



End of the Year Report June 5, 2020

On May 20th the House and Senate reconvened after more than a month's absence due to the COVID-19 pandemic. They were scheduled for three days of session but needed an extra day to complete their work. The General Assembly adjourned for the 2020 spring session in the early morning hours of May 24th. Veto session is scheduled to begin on November 17th.

Legislation

Budget

Two budget bills were passed for FY 21 though several other bills play prominent roles in completing the entire budget package of around \$42 billion. Lawmakers attempted to create a flat budget from the previous fiscal year, however there is an increase for FY 21 over FY 20. A large part of the budget is dependent upon federal borrowing and much of the budget is tentative as Illinois waits on the progression of COVID and potentially more financial aid from Congress. The Governor has also been given the authority to borrow up to \$1.5 billion from various state funds to the general fund.

Budget Bills:

HB 64- Includes various Capital budget appropriations and re-appropriations- Sent to Governor.

- Appropriates specified amounts from the Capital Development Fund, the School 9 Construction Fund, the Anti-Pollution Fund, the Transportation Bond Series A Fund, the Transportation Bond Series B Fund, the Coal Development Fund, the Transportation Bond Series D Fund, Multi-Modal Transportation Bond Fund, the Build Illinois Bond Fund, and other named Funds for specified capital and infrastructure projects. Effective immediately, except for certain provisions that are effective July 1, 2020.

SB 264- Operating budget of the State- Sent to Governor.

- Approximately \$42.8 billion in expenditures. It does not rely on fair tax constitutional amendment approval to balance. It does rely on approximately \$4 billion in federal borrowing, which could be less if another federal aid for States is passed by Congress.

HB 357- Budget Implementation Bill (BIMP) - Passed Both Chambers.

- Creates the Local Coronavirus Remediation Emergency (or local CURE) program for the purposes of administering and distributing federal dollars from the CARES Act to eligible local jurisdictions. Continues diversions from the Corporate Personal Property Replacement Tax (CPPRT). Unlike in FY 20, FY 21 **does not** contain a 5% reduction to LGDF.



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SB2099- Authorizes up to \$5 Billion in Borrowing- Sent to Governor.

- Creates the Coronavirus Urgent Remediation Emergency (CURE) Borrowing Act. Provides that the Governor, with the approval of the Comptroller and Treasurer, is authorized to borrow funds from the Federal Reserve Bank or its agent in accordance with the Municipal Liquidity Facility program established under the federal Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Stabilization Act (CARES) Act and the Federal Reserve Act, or in accordance with federal coronavirus financing legislation. Sets forth the purposes for which such funds can be used. Provides for the terms for borrowing, provides that the total amount borrowed may not exceed \$5,000,000,000 outstanding at any time, and provides for the repayment of funds borrowed.

Other Bills of Note

HB 2096- Local Government Omnibus- Passed both chambers.

- Amends the Township Code. Provides that, if the Governor declares a disaster under the Illinois Emergency Management Agency Act and the disaster declaration is effective during the dates designated for a township's annual meeting, a township board may postpone the annual meeting to the third Tuesday, after 6 p.m., of the month following the end of the disaster declaration if circumstances related to the disaster declaration prevent a township from holding its annual meeting. Requires consultation with and receipt of written approval from the county health department to proceed with an annual meeting during the course of a subsequent disaster declaration. Amends the Illinois Local Library Act and the Public Library District Act of 1991 creating the Cards for Kids Act. Provides that nonresident fees for the privilege and use of a library shall not be charged to a nonresident in an unincorporated area in Illinois who is a student whose household falls at or below the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Income Eligibility Guidelines. Removes provisions allowing libraries not to participate in nonresident card reciprocal borrowing programs of a regional library system. Amends the State Mandates Act requiring implementation without reimbursement for the nonresident fees provisions. Amends the School Code. In provisions requiring certain contracts to be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder, removes the provision that prohibits bids for construction purposes from being communicated, accepted, or opened electronically. Amends the General Assistance Article of the Illinois Public Aid Code. In the definition of "earned income", provides that the eligibility of any applicant for or recipient of general assistance is not affected by the payment of any rebate authorized under the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act or under any other federal economic stimulus program created in response to the COVID-19 emergency. Provides that the amount and nature of any financial aid or emergency financial assistance is not affected by the payment of any rebate authorized under the CARES Act or under any other federal economic stimulus program created in response to the COVID-19 emergency. Amends the Housing Authorities Act. Provides that the following powers and exemptions, currently applicable to a housing authority for any municipality having a population in excess of 1,000,000,



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also apply to a housing authority for any county having such a population: powers relating to rehabilitation, development, and ownership of low-income and mixed-income rental and for-sale housing as a partner or member of a partnership, limited liability company, or joint venture; and exemptions from approval of other specified requirements. Effective immediately.

SB 685- Delay of Property Tax Interest and Penalties- Sent to Governor.

- Amends the Property Tax Code. In a county with fewer than 3,000,000 inhabitants, provides for the permissive waiver of interest and penalties. Provides that, in counties with less than 3,000,000 inhabitants, the annual tax sale that would ordinarily be held in calendar year 2020 shall be held no earlier than (i) 120 days after the effective date of this amendatory Act or (2) until the first day of the first month during which there is no longer a statewide COVID-19 public health emergency, as evidenced by an effective disaster declaration of the Governor covering all counties in the State. In provisions concerning the homestead exemption for persons with disabilities, the homestead exemption for veterans with disabilities, and the senior citizens assessment freeze homestead exemption, provides that those exemptions may be granted without application for the 2020 taxable year if the property qualified for the exemption in the 2019 taxable year, subject to certain limitations related to the COVID-19 pandemic. Provides that under no circumstance may a tax year be offered at a scavenger sale prior to the annual tax sale for that tax year. Effective immediately.

SB 2135- OMA Updates for COVID- Sent to Governor.

- Amends the Open Meetings Act. Provides for remote participation in meetings of public bodies. Amends the Freedom of Information Act. Provides an exception from liability for certain delays in responding to requests for information. Amends the Electronic Commerce Security Act. Provides for remote witnessing and notarization. Amends the Illinois Governmental Ethics Act. Provides that the deadlines for filing statements of economic interests under this Section on or after March 17, 2020 shall be suspended until August 1, 2020. Creates the Government Emergency Administration Act. Provides legislative findings and purpose. Creates the Restore Illinois Collaborative Commission Act. Establishes the Restore Illinois Collaborative Commission within the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity to monitor actions taken by the Office of the Governor with regard to the Restore Illinois plan and to keep members of the General Assembly informed of those actions and any need for further legislative action. Amends the Broadband Advisory Council Act. Directs the Broadband Advisory Council to study the provision of access to broadband services at no cost to all residents of this State. Provides that the Council shall report its recommendations to the General Assembly by March 31, 2021.



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HB 2174- Extends Sunsets for 1 year- Passed both Chambers.

- Extends the repeal of the following by one year: the Crematory Regulation Act; the Cemetery Oversight Act; the Illinois Health Information Exchange and Technology Act; the Radiation Protection Act of 1990; the Renewable Energy, Energy Efficiency, and Coal Resources Development Law of 1997; a provision of the Illinois Power Agency Act concerning home rule preemption; the Emergency Telephone System Act; the Telecommunications Article of the Public Utilities Act; provisions of the Cable and Video Competition Article of the Public Utilities Act; the Mercury Thermostat Collection Act; and the Transportation Network Providers Act. Further amends the Emergency Telephone System Act to delay the required implementation of Next Generation 9-1-1 service until December 31, 2021 (rather than July 1, 2020) and to make conforming changes throughout the Act. Further amends the Cable and Video Competition Article of the Public Utilities Act to extend State-issued authorizations to provide cable or video service by one year. Amends the Mechanics Lien Act. In provisions concerning fixing or stipulating time for the completion of a contract or a time for payment in a contract in order to obtain a lien, extends the date that certain provisions are operative for one year. Amends Public Act 101-221. Delays, from July 1, 2020 until March 1, 2021, the effective date of the Hotel and Casino Employee Safety Act. Effective immediately.

SB 1857- Also Extended Various Sunsets for 1 year- Passed both Chambers.

SB 471- Public Employee Labor bill - Passed both Chambers.

- Amends the Public Employee Disability Act. Provides that upon the occurrence of circumstances which would hinder the physical recovery from an injury of an eligible employee within the one-year period as required under the Act, the eligible employee shall be entitled to an extension of no longer than 60 days by which he or she shall continue to be paid by the employing public entity on the same basis as he or she was paid before the injury. Provides that the employing public entity may require proof of the circumstances hindering an eligible employee's physical recovery before granting the extension. Makes conforming changes. Amends the Illinois Horse Racing Act of 1975. Provides that, as a condition of obtaining an organization gaming license under the Act, an entity that has at least 10 employees on average over the 12 months preceding application for the license must negotiate and enter into a labor agreement with labor organizations that seek to represent the entity's employees. Amends the Criminal Code of 2012. Provides that battery of a merchant is aggravated battery: (i) when the merchant is performing his or her duties, including, but not limited to, relaying directions for healthcare or safety from his or her supervisor or employer or relaying health or safety guidelines, recommendations, regulations, or rules from a federal, State, or local public health agency; and (ii) during a disaster declared by the Governor, or a state of emergency declared by the mayor of the municipality in which the merchant is located, due to a public health emergency and for a period of 6 months after such declaration. Effective immediately.



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SB 516- Chicago Casino Bill- Funds Capital Projects- Passed both Chambers.

Township Officials of Illinois

HB 301

Short Description: LOBBYIST-COUNTY BD PROHIBITION

House Sponsors

Rep. David McSweeney

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Lobbyist Registration Act. Provides that a person required to be registered under the Act, his or her spouse, and his or her immediate family members living with that person may not serve as a member of a county board. Amends the Counties Code to provide that no person is eligible to hold office as a county board member, commissioner, or executive if he or she is required to be registered as a lobbyist under the Lobbyist Registration Act. Makes conforming changes.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
1/28/2020	House	Assigned to Executive Committee

HB 320

Short Description: PROP TX-PTELL FREEZE

House Sponsors

Rep. David McSweeney and Jonathan Carroll

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Property Tax Code. Provides that, beginning with the 2019 levy year, the Property Tax Extension Limitation Law applies to all taxing districts, including home rule units. Provides that, for the 2019 levy year, the limiting rate under the Property Tax Extension Limitation Law shall be calculated by reducing the district's 2016 aggregate extension by 5%. Provides that, for the 2020 levy year, the limiting rate under the Property Tax Extension Limitation Law shall be calculated by reducing the district's 2018



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aggregate extension by 10%. Provides that, beginning with the 2021 levy year, the extension limitation is 0%. Preempts home rule. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
2/5/2020	House	To Property Tax Subcommittee

HB 2184

Short Description: LOCAL OFFICIALS HIRING SELF

House Sponsors

Rep. Natalie A. Manley

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Public Officer Prohibited Activities Act. Provides that no person holding an office, either by election or appointment, in a unit of local government may hire himself or herself to a position over which that official has supervisory authority.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
4/3/2019	House	Tabled

HB 3147

Short Description: OPEN MEETINGS ACT-NOTICE

House Sponsors

Rep. Brad Halbrook-Kathleen Willis-Carol Ammons-Allen Skillicorn and Chris Miller

Senate Sponsors

(Sen. Chapin Rose)



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Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Open Meetings Act. Provides that if a change is made concerning regular meeting dates, times, or locations (currently, only change in dates), at least 10 days' notice of such change shall be given by publication in a newspaper of general circulation in the area in which such body functions.

House Floor Amendment No. 2

Provides that at least 10 days' notice of a change made in regular meeting dates, times, or locations may also be provided on the website of a public body in addition to providing notice in a newspaper, or in lieu of providing notice in a newspaper if there is no such newspaper of general circulation in the area in which the public body functions.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
4/10/2019	Senate	Referred to Assignments

HB 3148

Short Description: REMOVAL OF APPOINTED OFFICIALS

House Sponsors

Rep. Brad Halbrook

Senate Sponsors

(Sen. Jason Plummer)

Synopsis As Introduced

Creates the Local Appointed Official Removal Act. Provides that the person or entity that appointed a member of the board of a unit of local government may remove that member the person or entity appointed for misconduct, official misconduct, or neglect of office. Provides that the provisions are in addition to any other method of removal provided by law. Defines terms. Effective immediately.

House Committee Amendment No. 1

Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Creates the Local Volunteer Board Member Removal Act. Provides that the person or entity that appointed a member of a volunteer board or commission may remove that member for misconduct, official misconduct, or neglect of office. Provides that removal under the Act is in addition to any other method of removal provided by law. Defines terms. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
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4/24/2019	Senate	Referred to Assignments
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HB 3656

Short Description: PTELL-RESERVES

House Sponsors

Rep. Fred Crespo

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Property Tax Extension Limitation Law in the Property Tax Code. Provides that, if, at the end of any levy year, a taxing district has reserves of 50% or more of its operating budget for that levy year, then, for the next levy year, "extension limitation" means 0% or the rate of increase approved by the voters. Preempts the power of home rule units to tax. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
2/20/2020	House	To Property Tax Subcommittee

HB 4106

Short Description: CEMETERY OVERSIGHT ACT-SUNSET

House Sponsors

Rep. Emanuel Chris Welch

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Regulatory Sunset Act. Extends the repeal date of the Cemetery Oversight Act from January 1, 2021 to January 1, 2031. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
2/18/2020	House	Assigned to Labor & Commerce Committee



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HB 4121

Comment:

Oppose

Short Description: TWP CD-TWP CONSOLIDATION

House Sponsors

Rep. Tom Demmer

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Township Code. Provides that all townships within a coterminous, or substantially coterminous, municipality may be discontinued (currently, municipalities in which the city council exercises the powers and duties of the township board, or in which one or more municipal officials serve as an officer or trustee of the township; that are located within a county with a population of 3 million or more; and which contain a territory of 7 square miles or more). Makes conforming changes. Repeals an Article of the Township Code regarding discontinuance of specified townships in St. Clair County. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
2/21/2020	House	To Consolidation & Tax Subcommittee

HB 4215

Short Description: GATA-APPLICABILITY

House Sponsors

Rep. Nicholas K. Smith-Carol Ammons

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Grant Accountability and Transparency Act. Provides that the requirements established under the Act do not apply to State shared revenues distributed by formula to units of local government from the Local Government Distributive Fund, the Personal Property Tax Replacement Fund, the Motor Fuel Tax Fund, or the Transportation Renewal Fund. Effective immediately.



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Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
3/3/2020	House	Assigned to Executive Committee

HB 4241

Short Description: PTELL-LIMITING RATE

House Sponsors

Rep. Mark L. Walker

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Property Tax Extension Limitation Law in the Property Tax Code. Provides that, for levy year 2021 and thereafter, the limiting rate shall include 50% of the value of new property (currently, 100% of the value of new property is excluded). Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
3/17/2020	House	Assigned to Revenue & Finance Committee

HB 4248

Short Description: GRADE CROSSING PROTECTION

House Sponsors

Rep. Robyn Gabel-Kelly M. Burke-Fred Crespo and Michelle Mussman

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Motor Fuel Tax Law. Provides that the funds transferred each month to the Grade Crossing Protection Fund may go to the maintenance of safety treatments to deter trespassing. Deletes language providing that the Illinois Commerce Commission shall not order more than \$2,000,000 per year in Grade Crossing Protection Fund moneys for pedestrian walkways. Amends the Illinois Vehicle Code.



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Allows the Illinois Commerce Commission, after a hearing or by stipulated agreement, to authorize and order the terms of installation, operation, maintenance, and use of safety treatments requested by a public authority or rail carrier to deter trespassing on railroad property at a place other than a public crossing.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
2/4/2020	House	Assigned to Appropriations-Public Safety Committee

HB 4276

Short Description: IDOT-ITEP SUPPLEMENTAL FUNDING

House Sponsors

Rep. Martin J. Moylan-John Connor-Carol Ammons, Terra Costa Howard, Robyn Gabel, Michelle Mussman, Will Guzzardi, Grant Wehrli and Rita Mayfield

Senate Sponsors

(Sen. Jacqueline Y. Collins-Ram Villivalam-Laura M. Murphy)

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Department of Transportation Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois. Provides that supplemental funding for the Illinois Transportation Enhancement Program shall be set aside on a yearly basis. Provides that local matching funding shall be required according to a sliding scale based on community size, median income, and percentage of population living below the federal poverty line (rather than community site, median income, and total property tax base). Provides that at least 25% of funding shall be directed towards projects in high-need communities, based on community median income and percentage of population living below the federal poverty line (rather than community median income and total property tax base).

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
2/26/2020	Senate	Referred to Assignments



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HB 4310

Short Description: USE/OCC-MOTOR FUEL-LOCAL GOV

House Sponsors

Rep. Debbie Meyers-Martin and William Davis

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the State Finance Act, the Motor Fuel Tax Law, the Emergency Telephone System Act, the Illinois Gambling Act, and the Video Gaming Act. Provides that, in the absence of an appropriation for any State fiscal year, moneys that are required to be distributed to units of local government and other entities from the State and Local Sales Tax Reform Fund, the Motor Fuel Tax Fund, the State Gaming Fund, the Local Government Video Gaming Distributive Fund, and the Statewide 9-1-1 Fund are subject to a continuing appropriation. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
3/12/2020	House	Assigned to Revenue & Finance Committee

HB 4319

Comment:

support

Short Description: BUILDING FEES AFTER DISASTER

House Sponsors

Rep. Tony McCombie-Michael Halpin

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Counties Code, Township Code, and Illinois Municipal Code. Provides that the governing body of a county, township, or municipality may waive any fees or costs associated with a permit, inspection, or certification of occupancy required by law for construction, reconstruction, alteration, repair, movement to another site, removal, or demolition of a manufactured home, building, dwelling, or structure, either commercial or residential, damaged as a result of a disaster, emergency, weather event, or for any reason deemed warranted in the interests of public safety, welfare, and recovery of the community by the governing body of the county, township, or municipality. Defines "disaster". Effective immediately.



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Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
3/12/2020	House	Assigned to Cities & Villages Committee

HB 4415

Short Description: UNFUNDED MANDATES PROHIBITED

House Sponsors

Rep. Anthony DeLuca-Tony McCombie

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the State Mandates Act. Provides that any State mandate regarding any subject matter implemented on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act that necessitates additional expenditures from local government revenues shall be void and unenforceable unless the General Assembly makes necessary appropriations to implement that mandate. Provides that the failure of the General Assembly to make necessary appropriations shall relieve the local government of the obligation to implement any State mandate. Makes conforming. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
2/18/2020	House	Assigned to Executive Committee

HB 4496

Comment:

Oppose

Short Description: TWP CD-TOWNSHIP DISSOLUTION

House Sponsors

Rep. Dan Ugaste



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Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Dissolution Of Townships in McHenry County Article of the Township Code. Changes the Article to apply to all counties under township organizations. Amends the Motor Fuel Tax Law making conforming changes. Amends the Illinois Highway Code. Changes provisions requiring road districts in townships in Lake County and McHenry County to be abolished if less than 15 miles of roads to require all townships to abolish such road districts. Repeals a Section allowing abolition of road districts of less than 15 miles of roads. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
3/12/2020	House	Assigned to Counties & Townships Committee

HB 4538

Comment:

Oppose

Short Description: PROP TX-AGGREGATE EXTENSION

House Sponsors

Rep. Amy Grant

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Property Tax Extension Limitation Law in the Property Tax Code. Provides that a taxing district shall reduce its aggregate extension base for the purpose of lowering its limiting rate for future years upon referendum approval initiated by the submission of a petition by the voters of the district. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
3/12/2020	House	Assigned to Revenue & Finance Committee

HB 4580

Comment:



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Oppose

Short Description: OPEN MEETINGS-RECORDINGS

House Sponsors

Rep. Grant Wehrli and Diane Pappas

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Open Meetings Act. Provides that all meetings required by the Act to be open to the public shall be audio recorded by the public body, and must be maintained by the public body for at least one year after the date of the meeting for which the recording was made.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
3/12/2020	House	Assigned to State Government Administration Committee

HB 4682

Short Description: ETHICS-LOCAL OFFICIAL LOBBYING

House Sponsors

Rep. Martin J. Moylan-Jonathan Carroll-David McSweeney-Rita Mayfield-Anne Stava-Murray, John Connor, Tom Weber, Carol Ammons and Michael Halpin

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Illinois Governmental Ethics Act. Provides that no local elected official may engage in lobbying if he or she accepts compensation specifically attributable to such lobbying, other than that provided by law or ordinance for local elected officials. Provides that nothing prohibits a local elected official from lobbying without compensation. Defines terms. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
3/17/2020	House	Assigned to Executive Committee



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HB 4691

Short Description: LOCAL GOV CONSOLIDATION-10 YRS

House Sponsors

Rep. Jeff Keicher

Synopsis As Introduced

Creates the Decennial Committees on Local Government Consolidation and Efficiency Act. Provides that within one year after the effective date of the Act and at least once every 10 years thereafter, each unit of local government (except municipalities and counties) must form a committee to: study local efficiencies, including an analysis of whether to consolidate with another governmental unit, municipality, or county; and create a report with recommendations regarding efficiencies, increased accountability, and consolidation. Provides that the duties of the committee include, but are not limited to, the study of the unit of local government's governing statutes, ordinances, rules, procedures, powers, jurisdiction, shared services, intergovernmental agreements, and interrelationships with other units of local government and the State. Provides that the committee shall collect data, research, analysis, and public input. Dissolves the committee after completion of its report and oral presentation of the report. Contains provisions about committee membership, meetings, and report requirements. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
3/12/2020	House	Assigned to Counties & Townships Committee

HB 4706

Short Description: BRING YOUR OWN CANNABIS

House Sponsors

Rep. Sonya M. Harper and Jehan Gordon-Booth

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Counties Code and the Illinois Municipal Code. Provides that the corporate authorities of a county or municipality may license or regulate businesses operating as a public accommodation that permit the consumption of cannabis on the business premises and that are not regulated under the Cannabis Regulation and Tax Act. Provides an exemption from a provision of the Cannabis Regulation and Tax Act. Defines "public accommodation". Effective immediately.



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Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
2/18/2020	House	Assigned to Judiciary - Criminal Committee

HB 4757

Comment:
Support

Short Description: GATA-APPLICABILITY

House Sponsors
Rep. Terri Bryant

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Grant Accountability and Transparency Act. Provides that the requirements established under the Act do not apply to State shared revenues distributed by formula to units of local government from the Local Government Distributive Fund, the Personal Property Tax Replacement Fund, the Motor Fuel Tax Fund, or the Transportation Renewal Fund. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
3/12/2020	House	Assigned to Revenue & Finance Committee

HB 4762

Comment:
Oppose

Short Description: PROP TX-TAX DISTRICT SURPLUS

House Sponsors



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Rep. Dan Ugaste

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Property Tax Code. Provides that no taxing district may hold more than 150% of the previous levy year's property tax collections in cash or cash-equivalent assets. Provides that excess amounts shall be refunded to taxpayers. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
3/12/2020	House	Assigned to Revenue & Finance Committee

HB 4774

Short Description: GOV LIABILITY-FAIL TO DIAGNOSE

House Sponsors

Rep. Curtis J. Tarver, II-André Thapedi

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Local Government and Governmental Employees Tort Immunity Act. Deletes language providing that neither a local public entity nor a public employee acting within the scope of his employment is liable for injury resulting from diagnosing or failing to diagnose that a person is afflicted with mental or physical illness or addiction or from failing to prescribe for mental or physical illness or addiction.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
2/26/2020	House	To Civil Procedure Subcommittee

HB 4792

Short Description: ETHICS-LOBBYING LOCAL GOVT



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House Sponsors

Rep. Delia C. Ramirez

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Illinois Governmental Ethics Act. Defines "lobbying" under the Act to include promoting or opposing in any manner the passage by a unit of local government of any local legislative matter affecting the interests of any individual, association, or corporation as distinct from those of the people a unit of local government. Defines "local legislative matter".

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
3/12/2020	House	Assigned to Executive Committee

HB 4844

Short Description: PREVAILING WAGE INFRASTRUCTURE

House Sponsors

Rep. Marcus C. Evans, Jr.

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Prevailing Wage Act. Includes within scope of the term "public works" work performed under an agreement between a public body and a private entity for the development, construction, maintenance, or operation of infrastructure.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
2/25/2020	House	Assigned to Labor & Commerce Committee

HB 4867

Comment:

Oppose



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Short Description: TWP-GENERAL ASSISTANCE FUNDS

House Sponsors

Rep. Kathleen Willis

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Township Code. Provides that township funds that shall not exceed an amount equal to or greater than 2.5 times the annual average expenditure of the previous 3 fiscal years include general assistance funds.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
3/3/2020	House	Assigned to Counties & Townships Committee

HB 4981

Short Description: ETHICS-LOBBYING LOCAL GOVT

House Sponsors

Rep. Eva Dina Delgado

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Illinois Governmental Ethics Act. Defines "lobbying" under the Act to include promoting or opposing in any manner the passage by a unit of local government of any local legislative matter affecting the interests of any individual, association, or corporation as distinct from those of the people a unit of local government. Defines "local legislative matter".

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
3/17/2020	House	Assigned to Executive Committee

HB 5020



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Comment:

Oppose

Short Description: FOIA-RESPONSE-FORMAT OF DATA

House Sponsors

Rep. Anne Stava-Murray

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Freedom of Information Act. Provides that a public body shall take all reasonable steps to provide records in a format that is readable by the requester, including, but not limited to, making the record available in any format that is available to the public body and requested by the requester. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
3/12/2020	House	Assigned to Executive Committee

HB 5021

Comment:

Oppose

Short Description: FOIA-CONSTITUENT FEE WAIVER

House Sponsors

Rep. Anne Stava-Murray

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Freedom of Information Act. Provides that, unless the request is made for a commercial purpose, a public body may not charge a fee to a requester who is a taxpayer within the jurisdiction of the public body. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
3/12/2020	House	Assigned to Executive Committee



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HB 5022

Short Description: FOIA-NO AUTOMATIC EXTENSION

House Sponsors

Rep. Anne Stava-Murray

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Freedom of Information Act. Provides that the person making a request and the public body may agree in writing to extend the time for compliance only after the public body has reviewed the request, determined that an extension is necessary, and notified the person making the request of the reasons for the extension and the date by which the response will be forthcoming. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
3/12/2020	House	Assigned to Executive Committee

HB 5029

Short Description: DOWNSTATE IMPACT NOTE ACT

House Sponsors

Rep. Avery Bourne, Daniel Swanson, Tony McCombie, Norine K. Hammond, Michael T. Marron, Terri Bryant, Dave Severin, Thomas M. Bennett, Mike Murphy, Darren Bailey, Blaine Wilhour and Patrick Windhorst

Synopsis As Introduced

Creates the Downstate Impact Note Act. Provides that every bill, the purpose or effect of which is to have an impact upon downstate Illinois, shall have prepared for it prior to second reading in the house of introduction a brief explanatory statement or note on the anticipated impact on downstate Illinois, which shall be known as a Downstate Impact Note. Provides requirements for the preparation and contents of Downstate Impact Notes. Provides that the fact that a Downstate Impact Note is prepared for any bill shall not preclude or restrict the appearance before any committee of the General Assembly of any official or authorized employee of any State board, commission, department, agency, or other entity who desires to be heard in support of or in opposition to the bill. Provides confidentiality requirements concerning the subject matter of bills submitted for Note preparation. Defines "downstate Illinois". Effective immediately.



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Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
3/12/2020	House	Assigned to Executive Committee

HB 5055

Comment:

Oppose

Short Description: PUBLIC OFFICER PROHIBITED ACTS

House Sponsors

Rep. Brad Halbrook

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Public Officer Prohibited Activities Act. Provides that a member of a county board may not also hold an office of township highway commissioner. Repeals a Section providing that a member of the county board in a county having fewer than 550,000 inhabitants, during the term of office for which he is elected, may also hold the office of township highway commissioner. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
2/25/2020	House	Assigned to Executive Committee

HB 5124

Short Description: PEMBROKE TWP NATURAL GAS PILOT

House Sponsors

Rep. Lindsay Parkhurst-Steven Reick-Thomas M. Bennett-André Thapedi



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Synopsis As Introduced

Creates the Pembroke Township Natural Gas Investment Pilot Program Act. Directs the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity to create a pilot program for the distribution of grants for the construction of new natural gas pipelines and infrastructure in Pembroke Township. Requires applicants for grants to demonstrate that the grants will result in the construction of a new natural gas pipeline to provide natural gas to the residents of the township. Provides that grantees are subject to audit by the State. Provides that the Department may accept private and public funds in furtherance of the purposes of the Pilot Program. Imposes data collection and reporting requirements. Provides that the Department shall report annually to the Governor and General Assembly beginning in 2022 regarding cost estimates for the Pilot Program, recommendations for improvement to the Pilot Program, and a recommendation as to whether the Pilot Program should be continued. Amends the State Finance Act to create the Pembroke Township Natural Gas Investment Pilot Program Fund.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
2/25/2020	House	Assigned to Public Utilities Committee

HB 5263

Short Description: PARKING-EXEMPT LOCAL GOV

House Sponsors

Rep. Mary Edly-Allen

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Parking Excise Tax Act. Provides that the tax imposed by the Act does not apply to a parking area or garage owned or operated by a city, village, county, township, or incorporated town. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
3/17/2020	House	Assigned to Revenue & Finance Committee

HB 5428



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Short Description: PROP TX-AGGREGATE LEVY

House Sponsors

Rep. Thomas Morrison-Grant Wehrli-Joe Sosnowski-Amy Grant, Lindsay Parkhurst and Tom Weber

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Truth in Taxation Law in the Property Tax Code. Provides that the adoption of an aggregate levy that exceeds 102% of the amount of the final aggregate levy for the preceding year shall require a truth in taxation hearing and a record vote of two-thirds of the members of the corporate authorities of the taxing district.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
3/12/2020	House	Assigned to Revenue & Finance Committee

HB 5432

Short Description: PROP TX-FIRST-TIME HOMEBUYER

House Sponsors

Rep. David A. Welter-Grant Wehrli-Amy Grant, Lindsay Parkhurst, Tom Weber and Darren Bailey

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Property Tax Code. Creates a first-time homebuyer homestead exemption. Provides that residential property valued at \$75,000 or more that is owned and occupied by a first-time homebuyer is entitled to a reduction in the equalized assessed value of the property in the amount of \$7,500. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
3/12/2020	House	Assigned to Revenue & Finance Committee



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HB 5487

Short Description: PROP TX-POLICE-RESCUE-FREEZE

House Sponsors

Rep. Bradley Stephens

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Property Tax Code. Provides that the surviving spouse of a fallen police officer, soldier, or rescue worker who meets certain income limitations is eligible for an assessment freeze. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
3/12/2020	House	Assigned to Revenue & Finance Committee

SB 110

Short Description: PROP TX-SURVIVING SPOUSE

Senate Sponsors

Sen. Terry Link, Melinda Bush-Antonio Muñoz-Laura Ellman, Scott M. Bennett, Laura Fine, Michael E. Hastings-Thomas Cullerton, John G. Mulroe, Jennifer Bertino-Tarrant-Neil Anderson, Julie A. Morrison, Rachelle Crowe, Kimberly A. Lightford, Laura M. Murphy, Suzy Glowiak Hilton, Napoleon Harris, III, Donald P. DeWitte, Dale Fowler, Chapin Rose and Christopher Belt

House Sponsors

(Rep. Jonathan Carroll-Grant Wehrli-Joe Sosnowski-Stephanie A. Kifowit, Joyce Mason, Monica Bristow, Michael Halpin, LaToya Greenwood, Karina Villa, Mark L. Walker, Mary Edly-Allen, Lance Yednock, Daniel Swanson and Mark Batinick)

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Property Tax Code. Provides that, for the 2015 taxable year and thereafter, the exemption for veterans with disabilities also carries over to the surviving spouse of a veteran who was killed in the line of duty in the current taxable year or any preceding taxable year. Provides that, for the 2019 taxable year and thereafter, the exemption for veterans with disabilities also carries over to (i) the surviving spouse of a veteran who did not obtain the exemption before death, but who would have qualified for the exemption in the current taxable year if he or she had survived and (ii) the surviving spouse of a veteran whose death was determined to be service-connected and who is certified by the United States Department of Veterans Affairs as being a current recipient of Dependency and Indemnity



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Compensation. Provides that, in the case of a surviving spouse who is certified by the United States Department of Veterans Affairs as being a current recipient of Dependency and Indemnity Compensation, the property is exempt. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
2/20/2020	House	To Property Tax Subcommittee

SB 1863

Short Description: FOIA/ELECTIONS-CYBERSECURITY

Senate Sponsors

Sen. Julie A. Morrison-Elgie R. Sims, Jr.-Andy Manar-Ram Villivalam-Omar Aquino, Emil Jones, III, Ann Gillespie, Kimberly A. Lightford, Mattie Hunter, Melinda Bush and Jacqueline Y. Collins

House Sponsors

(Rep. Kelly M. Burke-Katie Stuart-Deb Conroy-Carol Ammons, Ann M. Williams, Diane Pappas, Eva Dina Delgado, Mary Edly-Allen, Robyn Gabel, Terra Costa Howard, LaToya Greenwood, La Shawn K. Ford, Jennifer Gong-Gershowitz, Marcus C. Evans, Jr., Jaime M. Andrade, Jr., Mark L. Walker, Jonathan "Yoni" Pizer and Camille Y. Lilly)

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Freedom of Information Act. Exempts from disclosure risk and vulnerability assessments, security measures, schedules, certifications, and response policies or plans that are designed to detect, defend against, prevent, or respond to potential cyber attacks upon the State's or an election authority's network systems, or records that the disclosure of which would, in any way, constitute a risk to the proper administration of elections or voter registration. Provides that the information is exempt only to the extent that disclosure could reasonably be expected to jeopardize the effectiveness of the measures or the safety of computer systems. Provides that the exemption applies to records held by the State Board of Elections, the Department of Innovation and Technology, election authorities, and any other necessary party to protect the administration of elections. Amends the Election Code. In provisions governing the administration of the cyber navigator program, directs the allocation of resources received in accordance with the 2018 Help America Vote Act Election Security Grant (instead of the allocation of resources received in accordance with the federal Help America Vote Act). Effective immediately.

Land Conveyance Appraisal Note, House Floor Amendment No. 4 (Dept. of Transportation)

No land conveyances are included in Senate Bill 1863 (HA#4); therefore, there are no appraisals to be filed.

Pension Note, House Floor Amendment No. 4 (Government Forecasting & Accountability)



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SB 1863, as amended by HA 4, will not impact any public pension fund or retirement system in Illinois.

State Debt Impact Note, House Floor Amendment No. 4 (Government Forecasting & Accountability)

SB 1863, as amended by House Amendment 4, would not change the amount of authorization for any type of State-issued or State-supported bond, and, therefore, would not affect the level of State indebtedness.

Balanced Budget Note, House Floor Amendment No. 4 (Office of Management and Budget)

Please be advised that the Balanced Budget Note Act does not apply to Senate Bill 1863, as amended by House Amendment 4 as it is not a supplemental appropriation that increases or decreases appropriations. Under the Act, a balanced budget note must be prepared only for bills that change a general funds appropriation for the fiscal year in which the new bill is enacted.

Fiscal Note, House Floor Amendment No. 4 (State Board of Elections)

In order to implement the "at least once a month" requirement for information dissemination to political committees, the State Board of Elections will require two additional full time staff members dedicated to the project: (1) Voting and Registrations System Technician - \$49,908 (salary) + \$3,817.97 (FICA) = \$53,726; (2) Voting and Registrations System Specialist Trainee - \$33,120 (salary) + \$2,533.68 (FICA) = \$35,654; (3) Total Fiscal Impact= \$89,383.

Judicial Note, House Floor Amendment No. 4 (Admin Office of the Illinois Courts)

The proposed legislation would neither increase nor decrease the number of judges needed in the state of Illinois.

House Floor Amendment No. 5

Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Amends the Election Code. Creates the Conduct of the 2020 General Election Article in the Code. For the 2020 general election, provides for changes to vote by mail, first time registrants and changes of address for registrants, the public dissemination of information for the 2020 general election, early voting and election day requirements, judges of election, electronic service of objections, additional duties of election authorities and the State Board of Elections, and 2020 county party conventions. Establishes November 3, 2020 as a State holiday to be known as 2020 General Election Day to be observed throughout the State. Provides that all government offices (with the exception of election authorities) shall be closed unless authorized to be used as a location for election day services or as a polling place. Provides the State Board of Elections with emergency rulemaking authority. Repeals the Article on January 1, 2021. Makes conforming changes in the Illinois Administrative Procedure Act, the Illinois Procurement Code, the School Code, and the State Universities Civil Service Act. Effective immediately.

Pension Note, House Floor Amendment No. 5 (Government Forecasting & Accountability)

SB 1863, as amended by HA 5, will not impact any public pension fund or retirement system in the State of Illinois.



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State Debt Impact Note, House Floor Amendment No. 5 (Government Forecasting & Accountability)

SB 1863, as amended by House Amendment 5, would not change the amount of authorization for any type of State-issued or State-supported bond, and, therefore, would not affect the level of State indebtedness.

Judicial Note, House Floor Amendment No. 5 (Admin Office of the Illinois Courts)

Based on a review of the bill, it has been determined that the proposed legislation would neither increase nor decrease the number of judges needed in the state of Illinois.

Balanced Budget Note, House Floor Amendment No. 5 (Office of Management and Budget)

Please be advised that the Balanced Budget Note Act does not apply "to Senate Bill 1863, as amended by House Amendment 5 as it is not a supplemental appropriation that increases or decreases appropriations. Under the Act, a balanced budget note must be prepared only for bills that change a general funds appropriation for the fiscal year in which the new bill is enacted.

Land Conveyance Appraisal Note, House Floor Amendment No. 5 (Dept. of Transportation)

No land conveyances are included in Senate Bill 1863 House Amendment #5 ; therefore, there are no appraisals to be filed.

Home Rule Note, House Floor Amendment No. 5 (Dept. of Commerce & Economic Opportunity)

This bill does not pre-empt home rule authority.

State Mandates Fiscal Note, House Floor Amendment No. 5 (Dept. of Commerce & Economic Opportunity)

This bill does not create a State mandate.

House Floor Amendment No. 6

In provisions creating the Conduct of the 2020 General Election Article in the Election Code, excludes absent electors in military or naval service from the requirement that any elector submitting an application on or before October 1, 2020 shall receive a ballot no later than October 6, 2020. Provides that provisions concerning changes for first time registrants and change of address registrations do not apply to applications processed through automatic voter registration through the Secretary of State. Makes changes to the requirements for election judges. Reorganizes provisions concerning reimbursement for 2020 general election expenses and provides that the State Board of Elections may (rather than shall) adopt emergency rules to establish a program to provide reimbursement to election authorities for expenses related to the 2020 general election incurred as a result of COVID-19 and the requirements of the amendatory Act. Deletes language concerning 2020 county party conventions. Makes conforming changes.

Housing Affordability Impact Note, House Floor Amendment No. 5 (Housing Development Authority)



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This bill will have no effect on the cost of constructing, purchasing, owning, or selling a single-family residence.

Correctional Note, House Floor Amendment No. 5 (Dept of Corrections)

This amendment has no fiscal impact or population impact on the department.

Fiscal Note, House Floor Amendment No. 5 (State Board of Elections)

It is our opinion the contents of Senate Bill 1863, as amended by House Floor Amendment #5 would have an impact on the fiscal operations of the State Board of Elections. We anticipate the contents of the bill will expend all of the allotted funding the SBE has received from the CARES Act, which is approximately \$16,759,400 (including matching funds). The aforementioned funding would be expended through grants to local election authorities to help offset costs associated with this bill and other COVID-19 related expenditures. These costs include, but are not limited to: (1) Software programming costs incurred by the local election authorities to meet these requirements; (2). Expanded VBM costs: additional envelopes, certification envelopes, return envelopes, postage, additional costs associated with third-party vendors performing some or all of these services vs. election authorities performing them in-house, etc; (3) Mail processing equipment: sorting, folding, processing, etc; (4) Tabulation equipment: additional tabulators and/or higher volume tabulators.; (5) Additional temporary staffing and/or staffing overtime costs for pre- and post-election activities directly attributable to expanded VBM (i.e. - teams of 3 election judges are more than would be typically required for conducting the signature verification process, etc.); (6) Costs associated with personal protection equipment and sanitation supplies; (7) Purchase and installation of ballot drop boxes; (8) Increase costs associated with securing and staffing Election Day vote centers. The State Board of Elections believes the CARES Act funding will not be sufficient to offset all of the costs associated with SB1863, as amended by House Floor Amendment #5

Judicial Note, House Floor Amendment No. 6 (Admin Office of the Illinois Courts)

Based on a review of the bill, it has been determined that the proposed legislation would neither increase nor decrease the number of judges needed in the state of Illinois.

State Debt Impact Note, House Floor Amendment No. 6 (Government Forecasting & Accountability)

SB 1863, as amended by House Amendment 6, would not change the amount of authorization for any type of State-issued or State-supported bond, and, therefore, would not affect the level of State indebtedness.

Land Conveyance Appraisal Note, House Floor Amendment No. 6 (Dept. of Transportation)

No land conveyances are included in Senate Bill 1863 House Amendment #6; therefore, there are no appraisals to be filed.

Balanced Budget Note, House Floor Amendment No. 6 (Office of Management and Budget)

Please be advised that the Balanced Budget Note Act does not apply to Senate Bill 1863, as amended by House Amendment 6 as it is not a supplemental appropriation that increases or decreases appropriations. Under the Act, a balanced budget note must be prepared only for bills that change a general funds appropriation for the fiscal year in which the new bill is enacted.



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Correctional Note, House Floor Amendment No. 6 (Dept of Corrections)

This amendment has no fiscal impact or population impact on the department.

Pension Note, House Floor Amendment No. 6 (Government Forecasting & Accountability)

SB 1863, as amended by HA 6, will not impact any public pension fund or retirement system in the State of Illinois.

Home Rule Note, House Floor Amendment No. 6 (Dept. of Commerce & Economic Opportunity)

This bill does not pre-empt home rule authority.

State Mandates Fiscal Note, House Floor Amendment No. 6 (Dept. of Human Services)

This bill does not create a State mandate.

Fiscal Note, House Floor Amendment No. 6 (State Board of Elections)

It is our opinion the contents of Senate Bill 1863, as amended by House Floor Amendment #6, would have an impact on the fiscal operations of the State Board of Elections. We anticipate the contents of the bill will expend all of the allotted funding the SBE has received from the CARES Act, which is approximately \$16,759,400 (including matching funds). The aforementioned funding would be expended through grants to local election authorities to help offset costs associated with this bill and other COVID-19 related expenditures. These costs include, but are not limited to: (1) Software programming costs incurred by the local election authorities to meet these requirements; (2) Expanded VBM costs: additional envelopes, certification envelopes, return envelopes, postage, additional costs associated with third-party vendors performing some or all of these services vs. election authorities performing them in-house, etc.; (3) Mail processing equipment: sorting, folding, processing, etc.; (4) Tabulation equipment: additional tabulators and/or higher volume tabulators; (5) Additional temporary staffing and/or staffing overtime costs for pre- and post-election activities directly attributable to expanded VBM (i.e. - teams of 3 election judges are more than would be typically required for conducting the signature verification process, etc.); (6) Costs associated with personal protection equipment and sanitation supplies; (7) Purchase and installation of ballot drop boxes; (8) Increase costs associated with securing and staffing Election Day vote centers. The State Board of Elections believes the CARES Act funding will not be sufficient to offset all of the costs associated with SB1863, as amended by House Floor Amendment #6.

Correctional Note, House Floor Amendment No. 7 (Dept of Corrections)

This amendment has no fiscal impact or population impact on the department.

State Debt Impact Note, House Floor Amendment No. 7 (Government Forecasting & Accountability)

SB 1863, as amended by House Amendment 7, would not change the amount of authorization for any type of State-issued or State-supported bond, and, therefore, would not affect the level of State indebtedness.

Judicial Note, House Floor Amendment No. 7 (Admin Office of the Illinois Courts)



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Based on a review of the bill, it has been determined that the proposed legislation would neither increase nor decrease the number of judges needed in the state of Illinois.

Balanced Budget Note, House Floor Amendment No. 7 (Office of Management and Budget)

Please be advised that the Balanced Budget Note Act does not apply to Senate Bill 1863, as amended by House Amendment 7 as it is not a supplemental appropriation that increases or decreases appropriations. Under the Act, a balanced budget note must be prepared only for bills that change a general funds appropriation for the fiscal year in which the new bill is enacted.

Pension Note, House Floor Amendment No. 7 (Government Forecasting & Accountability)

SB 1873, as amended by HA 7, will not impact any public pension fund or retirement system in the State of Illinois.

Home Rule Note, House Floor Amendment No. 7 (Dept. of Commerce & Economic Opportunity)

This bill does not pre-empt home rule authority.

State Mandates Fiscal Note, House Floor Amendment No. 7 (Dept. of Commerce & Economic Opportunity)

This bill does not create a State Mandate.

Housing Affordability Impact Note, House Floor Amendment No. 6 (Housing Development Authority)

This bill will have no effect on the cost of constructing, purchasing, owning, or selling a single-family residence.

Housing Affordability Impact Note, House Floor Amendment No. 7 (Housing Development Authority)

This bill will have no effect on the cost of constructing, purchasing, owning, or selling a single-family residence.

Fiscal Note, House Floor Amendment No. 7 (State Board of Elections)

It is our opinion the contents of Senate Bill 1863, as amended by House Floor Amendment #7, would have an impact on the fiscal operations of the State Board of Elections. We anticipate the contents of the bill will expend all of the allotted funding the SBE has received from the CARES Act, which is approximately \$16,759,400 (including matching funds). The aforementioned funding would be expended through grants to local election authorities to help offset costs associated with this bill and other COVID-19 related expenditures. These costs include, but are not limited to: (1) Software programming costs incurred by the local election authorities to meet these requirements; (2) Expanded VBM costs: additional envelopes, certification envelopes, return envelopes, postage, additional costs associated with third-party vendors performing some or all of these services vs. election authorities performing them in-house, etc.; (3) Mail processing equipment: sorting, folding, processing, etc.; (4) Tabulation equipment: additional tabulators and/or higher volume tabulators; (5) Additional temporary staffing and/or staffing overtime costs for pre- and post-election activities directly attributable to expanded VBM (i.e. - teams of 3 election judges are more than would be typically required for conducting the signature verification process, etc.); (6) Costs associated with personal



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protection equipment and sanitation supplies; (7) Purchase and installation of ballot drop boxes; (8) Increase costs associated with securing and staffing Election Day vote centers. The State Board of Elections believes the CARES Act funding will not be sufficient to offset all of the costs associated with SB1863, as amended by House Floor Amendment #7.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
5/22/2020	Senate	Passed Both Houses

SB 2303

Short Description: LOCAL ROAD; POLICE VEHICLE

Senate Sponsors

Sen. Dale Fowler-Brian W. Stewart

House Sponsors

(Rep. Patrick Windhorst)

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Illinois Hazardous Materials Transportation Act. Defines "Local Road" as any roadway, except for (i) a highway with 3 or more lanes, or (ii) an interstate highway. Amends the Illinois Vehicle Code. Adds recreational off-highway vehicles, all-terrain vehicles, watercraft, and aircraft to the definition of a "police vehicle". Effective immediately.

Senate Committee Amendment No. 1

Deletes changes to the Illinois Hazardous Materials Transportation Act.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
2/27/2020	House	Referred to Rules Committee

SB 3162

Short Description: TWP CD-SAME TOWNSHIP NAMES

Senate Sponsors

Sen. Donald P. DeWitte-Jason Plummer, Paul Schimpf and John F. Curran



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Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Township Code. Provides that if the Secretary of State finds that any 2 or more townships within a single county (currently, 2 or more townships within the entire State) are named alike, he or she shall so inform the clerk of the county and the county board of that county shall, at its next meeting, adopt for one of the townships a different name. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
5/24/2020	Senate	Placed on Calendar Order of 3rd Reading November 17, 2020

SB 3709

Short Description: IDOT-RURAL INTERSECTION STUDY

Senate Sponsors

Sen. Chapin Rose

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Department of Transportation Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois. Provides that the Department of Transportation shall conduct a study of rural intersections that shall identify areas of significant safety concern. Provides that the Department shall publish the study by December 31, 2020 and shall make specific recommendations for policy changes to address the identified dangerous areas. Effective immediately.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
5/24/2020	Senate	Placed on Calendar Order of 2nd Reading November 17, 2020

SB 3796

Comment:

Oppose

Short Description: LOCAL-COMPENSATION POSTING

Senate Sponsors

Sen. Jason Plummer

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Local Records Act. Provides that a unit of local government shall compile a list of the pay



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and benefits of every employee, consultant, contractor, and other personnel of the unit of local government whose accumulated payments or compensation are at least \$1,000 during each fiscal year. Provides that the list shall continue to be updated throughout the entire fiscal year by adding additional names of persons being paid at least \$1,000. Provides that the unit of local government shall publish on its website, if it has one, the compiled list and shall update the list at least monthly. Provides that, if the unit of local government does not have a website, the unit of local government shall publish the list, on a monthly basis, in a newspaper of general circulation in the county in which the unit of local government is located. Limits home rule powers.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
5/24/2020	Senate	Placed on Calendar Order of 2nd Reading November 17, 2020

SB 3797

Comment:

Oppose

Short Description: LOCAL-DISCLOSE EXPENDITURES

Senate Sponsors

Sen. Jason Plummer

Synopsis As Introduced

Amends the Local Records Act. Provides that a unit of local government shall compile a list of each entity, address of each entity, product or service supplied by each entity, and amount paid to each entity for any expenditure of government funds greater than \$3,000 from the unit of local government during a fiscal year. Provides that the list shall continue to be updated throughout the entire fiscal year by adding additional names of entities that were paid an expenditure greater than \$3,000. Provides that the unit of local government shall publish on its website, if it has one, the compiled list and shall update the list at least monthly. Provides that, if the unit of local government does not have a website, the unit of local government shall publish the list, on a monthly basis, in a newspaper of general circulation in the county in which the unit of local government is located. Limits home rule powers.

Last Action

Date	Chamber	Action
5/24/2020	Senate	Placed on Calendar Order of 2nd Reading November 17, 2020

Totals: 45 - (House Bills: 38) (Senate Bills: 7) (Other Bills: 0)