

## 98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2013 and 2014 SB0440

Introduced 1/23/2013, by Sen. John J. Cullerton

## SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

35 ILCS 200/27-5

Amends the Property Tax Code. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning the Special Service Area Tax Law.

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1 AN ACT concerning revenue.

## Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

- 4 Section 5. The Property Tax Code is amended by changing
- 5 Section 27-5 as follows:
- 6 (35 ILCS 200/27-5)
- Sec. 27-5. Short title; definitions. This Article may be cited as the the Special Service Area Tax Law.
- 9 When used in this Article:
- "Special Service Area" means a contiguous area within a 10 municipality or county in which special governmental services 11 are provided in addition to those services provided generally 12 throughout the municipality or county, the cost of the special 13 14 services to be paid from revenues collected from taxes levied or imposed upon property within that area. Territory shall be 15 16 considered contiguous for purposes of this Article even though 17 certain completely surrounded portions of the territory are excluded from the special service area. A county may create a 18 19 special service area within a municipality or municipalities 20 when the municipality or municipalities consent to the creation 21 of the special service area. A municipality may create a 22 service area within а municipality special and unincorporated area of a county or within another municipality 23

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when the county or other municipality consents to the creation of the special service area.

"Special Services" means all forms of services pertaining to the government and affairs of the municipality or county, including but not limited to weather modification and improvements permissible under Article 9 of the Illinois Municipal Code, and contracts for the supply of water as described in Section 11-124-1 of the Illinois Municipal Code which may be entered into by the municipality or by the county on behalf of a county service area.

11 (Source: P.A. 86-1324; 88-445.)