

SB1469



99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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Introduced 2/20/2015, by Sen. Michael Connelly

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

55 ILCS 5/6-1001

from Ch. 34, par. 6-1001

Amends the Counties Code. Provides that the county board or board of county commissioners shall hold a public hearing regarding the county's annual budget after making the budget available for public inspection and at least 7 days prior to the board's final action on the budget. Effective immediately.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning local government.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Counties Code is amended by changing Section
5 6-1001 as follows:

6 (55 ILCS 5/6-1001) (from Ch. 34, par. 6-1001)

7 Sec. 6-1001. Annual budget. In all counties not required by
8 law to pass an annual appropriation bill within the first
9 quarter of the fiscal year, the county board or board of county
10 commissioners, as the case may be, shall adopt each year an
11 annual budget under the terms of this Division for the
12 succeeding fiscal year. Such budget shall be prepared by some
13 person or persons designated by the county board and such
14 budget shall be made conveniently available to public
15 inspection for at least fifteen days prior to final action
16 thereon. After being made available for public inspection and
17 at least 7 days prior to the final action, the county board or
18 county board of commissioners shall hold a public hearing
19 regarding the budget. The vote on such budget shall be taken by
20 ayes and nays and entered on the record of the meeting. The
21 annual budget adopted under this Act shall cover such a fiscal
22 period of one year to be determined by the county board of each
23 county except as hereinafter provided and all appropriations

1 made therein shall terminate with the close of said fiscal
2 period except as hereinafter provided, provided, however, that
3 any remaining balances shall be available until 30 days after
4 the close of the fiscal year in counties with a population of
5 less than 100,000, and until 90 days after the close of the
6 fiscal year in counties with a population of more than 100,000
7 but less than 3,000,000 inhabitants, only for the authorization
8 of the payment of obligations incurred prior to the close of
9 said fiscal period. Any county which determines to change its
10 fiscal year may adopt a budget to cover such period greater or
11 less than a year as may be necessary to effect such change and
12 appropriations made therein shall terminate with the close of
13 such period.

14 (Source: P.A. 90-777, eff. 1-1-99.)

15 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
16 becoming law.