

HB2890



104TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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Introduced 2/6/2025, by Rep. Terra Costa Howard

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

5 ILCS 120/2.03

from Ch. 102, par. 42.03

Amends the Open Meetings Act. In provisions regarding notice of changes to regular meeting dates, deletes requirements for publication in a newspaper or, in certain cases, posting in at least 3 prominent places within the governmental unit. Adds a requirement that notice of changes to regular meeting dates shall also be posted on the website of the public body.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning government.

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

4 Section 5. The Open Meetings Act is amended by changing
5 Section 2.03 as follows:

6 (5 ILCS 120/2.03) (from Ch. 102, par. 42.03)

7 Sec. 2.03. In addition to the notice required by Section
8 2.02, each body subject to this Act must, at the beginning of
9 each calendar or fiscal year, prepare and make available a
10 schedule of all its regular meetings for such calendar or
11 fiscal year, listing the times and places of such meetings.

12 If a change is made in regular meeting dates, at least 10
13 days' notice of such change shall be given by posting
14 ~~publication in a newspaper of general circulation in the area~~
15 ~~in which such body functions. However, in the case of bodies of~~
16 ~~local governmental units with a population of less than 500 in~~
17 ~~which no newspaper is published, such 10 days' notice may be~~
18 ~~given by posting a notice of such change in at least 3~~
19 ~~prominent places within the governmental unit. Notice of such~~
20 ~~change shall also be posted~~ at the principal office of the
21 public body or, if no such office exists, at the building in
22 which the meeting is to be held. Notice of such change shall
23 also be posted on the website of the public body and supplied

1 to those news media which have filed an annual request for
2 notice as provided in paragraph (b) of Section 2.02.

3 (Source: Laws 1967, p. 1960.)