



104TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2025 and 2026

HB3695

Introduced 2/18/2025, by Rep. Laura Faver Dias

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

55 ILCS 5/5-12024 new

Amends the Zoning Division of the Counties Code. Provides that a county may adopt an ordinance to regulate the location of retail tobacco stores in unincorporated areas near vulnerable areas, including schools, day care centers, and hospitals. Provides that a county may not adopt an ordinance that has the effect of prohibiting retail tobacco store in unincorporated areas.

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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 adding Section
5 5-12024 as follows:

6 (55 ILCS 5/5-12024 new)

7 Sec. 5-12024. Restrictions on retail tobacco store
8 locations.

9 (a) A county may adopt an ordinance to regulate the
10 location of retail tobacco stores, as defined in Section 10 of
11 the Smoke Free Illinois Act, in unincorporated areas near
12 vulnerable areas, including schools, day care centers, and
13 hospitals.

14 (b) A county may not adopt an ordinance that has the effect
15 of prohibiting retail tobacco stores, as defined in Section 10
16 of the Smoke Free Illinois Act, in unincorporated areas.