

## 102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2021 and 2022 SB2099

Introduced 2/26/2021, by Sen. Robert F. Martwick

## SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-9

from Ch. 24, par. 11-74.4-9

Amends the Tax Increment Allocation Redevelopment Act of the Illinois Municipal Code. Provides that if a county clerk determines that any lot, block, tract, or parcel of real property within a redevelopment project area is not taxable or has an initial equalized assessed value of \$0, then the fair market value of the lot, block, tract, or parcel shall be instead determined by a written MAI-certified appraisal or by a written certified appraisal of a State-certified or State-licensed real estate appraiser. Provides that this reappraisal shall be the initial equalized assessed value of the lot, block, tract, or parcel and shall be added to the total initial equalized assessed value of the taxable real property within the redevelopment project area. Limits the provisions to tax increment allocation financing ordinances adopted after the effective date of the amendatory Act.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

1 AN ACT concerning local government.

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

- Section 5. The Illinois Municipal Code is amended by changing Section 11-74.4-9 as follows:
- 6 (65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-9) (from Ch. 24, par. 11-74.4-9)
- 7 Sec. 11-74.4-9. Equalized assessed value of property.
- 8 (a) Except as provided in subsection (a-5), if  $\frac{1}{1}$  a 9 municipality by ordinance provides for tax increment allocation financing pursuant to Section 11-74.4-8, the county 10 clerk immediately thereafter shall determine (1) the most 11 recently ascertained equalized assessed value of each lot, 12 13 block, tract or parcel of real property within 14 redevelopment project area from which shall be deducted the homestead exemptions under Article 15 of the Property Tax 15 16 Code, which value shall be the "initial equalized assessed value" of each such piece of property, and (2) the total 17 equalized assessed value of all taxable real property within 18 19 such redevelopment project area by adding together the most 20 recently ascertained equalized assessed value of each taxable 21 lot, block, tract, or parcel of real property within such project area, from which shall be deducted the homestead 22 exemptions provided by Sections 15-170, 15-175, and 15-176 of 23

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the Property Tax Code, and shall certify such amount as the "total initial equalized assessed value" of the taxable real property within such project area.

(a-5) If the county clerk determines that any lot, block, tract, or parcel of real property within a redevelopment project area is not taxable or has an initial equalized assessed value of \$0 as determined in subsection (a), then the fair market value of the lot, block, tract, or parcel shall be instead determined by a written MAI-certified appraisal or by a written certified appraisal of a State-certified or State-licensed real estate appraiser. The appraisal shall be available for public inspection no later than 90 days after the date that the ordinance for tax increment allocation financing under Section 11-74.4-8 was adopted by the municipality. The appraiser's conclusion of fair market value shall be converted by the county clerk to an assessed value using the appropriate level of assessment and then equalized by using the most recent equalization factor. The county clerk shall use the resulting figure as the initial equalized assessed value of the lot, block, tract, or parcel and shall add this initial equalized assessed value to the total initial equalized assessed value of the taxable real property within the redevelopment project area. For purposes of paragraphs (b) and (c), the lot, block, tract, or parcel of real property shall be considered taxable real property. This subsection applies only to ordinances adopted on or after the effective 1

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## date of this amendatory Act of the 102nd General Assembly.

- (b) In reference to any municipality which has adopted tax increment financing after January 1, 1978, and in respect to which the county clerk has certified the "total initial equalized assessed value" of the property in the redevelopment area, the municipality may thereafter request the clerk in writing to adjust the initial equalized value of all taxable real property within the redevelopment project area by deducting therefrom the exemptions under Article 15 of the Property Tax Code applicable to each lot, block, tract or parcel of real property within such redevelopment project area. The county clerk shall immediately after the written request to adjust the total initial equalized value is received determine the total homestead exemptions in the redevelopment project area provided by Sections 15-170, 15-175, and 15-176 of the Property Tax Code by adding together the homestead exemptions provided by said Sections on each lot, block, tract or parcel of real property within such redevelopment project area and then shall deduct the total of said exemptions from the total initial equalized assessed value. The county clerk shall then promptly certify such amount as the "total initial equalized assessed value as adiusted" the taxable real property within of redevelopment project area.
  - (c) After the county clerk has certified the "total initial equalized assessed value" of the taxable real property

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in such area, then in respect to every taxing district containing a redevelopment project area, the county clerk or any other official required by law to ascertain the amount of the equalized assessed value of all taxable property within such district for the purpose of computing the rate per cent of tax to be extended upon taxable property within such district, shall in every year that tax increment allocation financing is in effect ascertain the amount of value of taxable property in a redevelopment project area by including in such amount the lower of the current equalized assessed value or the certified "total initial equalized assessed value" of all taxable real property in such area, except that after he has certified the "total initial equalized assessed value as adjusted" he shall in the year of said certification if tax rates have not been extended and in every year thereafter that tax increment allocation financing is in effect ascertain the amount of value of taxable property in a redevelopment project area by including in such amount the lower of the current equalized assessed value or the certified "total initial equalized assessed value as adjusted" of all taxable real property in such area. The rate per cent of tax determined shall be extended to the current equalized assessed value of all property in the redevelopment project area in the same manner as the rate per cent of tax is extended to all other taxable property in the taxing district. The method of extending taxes established under this Section shall terminate when the

- 1 municipality adopts an ordinance dissolving the special tax
- 2 allocation fund for the redevelopment project area. This
- 3 Division shall not be construed as relieving property owners
- 4 within a redevelopment project area from paying a uniform rate
- of taxes upon the current equalized assessed value of their
- 6 taxable property as provided in the Property Tax Code.
- 7 (Source: P.A. 95-644, eff. 10-12-07.)