

**SB2586**



**95TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**State of Illinois**

**2007 and 2008**

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Introduced 2/15/2008, by Sen. Pamela J. Althoff

**SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:**

60 ILCS 1/25-10-5 new

Amends the Township Code. Provides that township organization may cease in an individual township if three-fourths of the registered voters in the township vote against the continuance of township organization. Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT  
MAY APPLY

HOUSING  
AFFORDABILITY  
IMPACT NOTE ACT  
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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 Township Code is amended by adding Section  
5 25-10-5 as follows:

6 (60 ILCS 1/25-10-5 new)

7 Sec. 25-10-5. Cessation of township organization within an  
8 individual township. Upon the petition of at least 10% of the  
9 registered voters of an individual township, the township board  
10 shall certify and cause to be submitted to the voters of the  
11 township, at the next general election, the question of whether  
12 township organization shall continue in that township. The  
13 proposition shall be substantially in the form:

14 "Shall township organization be continued in (name of  
15 township)?"

16 If it appears by the returns of the election that at least  
17 three-fourths of the registered voters in the township are  
18 against the continuance of township organization, then  
19 township organization shall cease in that township.

20 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon  
21 becoming law.