SENATE BILL No. 846

May 5, 1988, Introduced by Senator ARTHURHULTZ and referred to the Committee on Local Government and Veterans.

A bill to amend the title and section 1 of Act No. 179 of the Public Acts of 1967, entitled

"An act to authorize a county, city, village or township to levy taxes and expend funds for youth centers,"

being section 123.461 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- Section 1. The title and section 1 of Act No. 179 of the
- 2 Public Acts of 1967, being section 123.461 of the Michigan
- 3 Compiled Laws, are amended to read as follows:
- 4 TITLE
- 5 An act to authorize a county, city, village, or township to
- 6 levy taxes and expend funds for youth centers; AND TO PERMIT A
- 7 REFERENDUM.
- 8 Sec. 1. (1) Any county, city, township, or village or
- 9 combination of counties, cities, townships, or villages may levy

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- 1 taxes and appropriate funds for operating centers open
- 2 exclusively to youths under 21 years of age and aimed at curbing
- 3 juvenile delinquency within the community.
- 4 (2) PETITIONS MAY BE FILED WITH THE SECRETARY OF STATE NOT
- 5 LESS THAN 120 DAYS BEFORE THE ELECTION AT WHICH THE QUESTION IS
- 6 TO BE VOTED UPON AND SIGNED BY A NUMBER OF REGISTERED ELECTORS
- 7 FROM A COUNTY, CITY, TOWNSHIP, OR VILLAGE OR A COMBINATION OF
- 8 COUNTIES, CITIES, TOWNSHIPS, OR VILLAGES EQUAL TO 5% OF THE TOTAL
- 9 VOTE CAST FOR ALL CANDIDATES FOR GOVERNOR AT THE LAST PRECEDING
- 10 GENERAL ELECTION AT WHICH A GOVERNOR WAS ELECTED WITHIN THE PETI-
- 11 TIONING UNIT OR COMBINATION OF UNITS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT REQUEST-
- 12 ING THAT THE UNIT OR UNITS OF GOVERNMENT SUBMIT THE QUESTION OF
- 13 LEVYING AN AD VALOREM PROPERTY TAX ON TAXABLE PROPERTY WITHIN THE
- 14 UNIT OR COMBINATION OF UNITS FOR THE OPERATION OF A YOUTH CENTER
- 15 AS DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (1) TO THE ELECTORS OF THE UNIT OR
- 16 EACH UNIT IN A COMBINATION OF UNITS AT THE NEXT GENERAL ELECTION
- 17 IN THE MANNER PROVIDED BY LAW. A TAX AUTHORIZED BY THIS SUBSEC-
- 18 TION SHALL BE LEVIED AND COLLECTED IN THE SAME MANNER AND AT THE
- 19 SAME TIME AS OTHER AD VALOREM PROPERTY TAXES IN THE UNIT OR COM-
- 20 BINATION OF UNITS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT.