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SENATE BILL NO. 866

(As passed the Senate February 12, 2002)

A bill to amend 1917 PA 298, entitled

"An act to authorize cities and villages to levy a tax for the purpose of collecting and disposing of garbage; and providing for the issuance of bonds therefor,"

by amending section 1 (MCL 123.261).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 1. (1) The city council of a city, whether organized
- 2 under the general law or special charter, or the president and
- 3 board of trustees of a village may establish and maintain garbage
- 4 systems or plants for the collection and disposal of garbage in
- 5 the city or village, and may levy a tax not to exceed 3 mills on
- 6 the dollar on TAXABLE VALUE OF all taxable property in the city
- 7 or village according to the valuation of the -same PROPERTY, as
- 8 made for the purpose of state and county taxation by the last
- 9 assessment in the city or village for these purposes. The annual
- 10 garbage tax shall be in addition to the amount authorized to be

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levied for general purposes by the general law or special charter 1

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- 2 under which the city or village is incorporated. All cities or
- 3 villages may, for the construction of a garbage disposal plant or
- 4 system, issue bonds in a sum not to exceed 3 mills on the dollar
- 5 on all taxable property in the city or village according to the
- valuation of the same PROPERTY, as made for the purpose of 6
- 7 state and county taxation by the last assessment in the city or
- 8 village. , and may make the bonds run for a period of not to
- 9 exceed 5 years and to bear interest at a rate not to exceed the
- 10 maximum rate permitted by Act No. 202 of the Public Acts of 1943,
- 11 as amended, being sections 131.1 to 138.2 of the Michigan
- Compiled Laws. BONDS ISSUED UNDER THIS SECTION ARE SUBJECT TO 12
- THE REVISED MUNICIPAL FINANCE ACT, 2001 PA 34, MCL 141.2101 TO 13
- 14 141.2821.
- 15 (2) As used in this act, "garbage" means any putrescible and
- 16 nonputrescible solid wastes, except body wastes, and includes
- 17 ashes, incinerator ash, incinerator residue, street cleanings,
- solid market wastes, solid industrial wastes, and also rubbish 18
- 19 including such items as paper, cardboard, tin cans, yard clip-
- pings, wood, glass, bedding, crockery, and litter of any kind. 20