

HOUSE BILL No. 6090

May 30, 2018, Introduced by Rep. Bellino and referred to the Committee on Local Government.

A bill to amend 1939 PA 342, entitled "County public improvement act of 1939," by amending section 6 (MCL 46.176).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 6. The **COUNTY** board of ~~supervisors~~ **COMMISSIONERS** shall
2 designate either a committee selected from its membership or the
3 board of auditors, ~~in counties having boards of~~ **IF A COUNTY HAS A**
4 **BOARD OF** auditors, to be constituted **AS** a board of review for the
5 purpose of hearing and reviewing rates, charges, ~~and/or~~ **OR**
6 assessments. At the request of any unit of government, person,
7 firm, or corporation ~~charged for services rendered by any county~~
8 acting under ~~the provisions hereof,~~ **THIS ACT**, and on sufficient
9 cause being shown, or upon information presented to or obtained by
10 ~~said~~ **THE** board of review of the respective county, the action of

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1 the county agency in fixing or adjusting charges ~~and/or~~ **OR**
2 assessments ~~shall~~ **MUST** be reviewed and finally determined by ~~said~~
3 **THE** board of review. ~~Provided, That such~~ **THE** charges ~~and/or~~ **OR**
4 assessments ~~shall~~ **MUST** in all cases be sufficient to pay **THE**
5 operating expenses of the system and to meet sinking fund and
6 interest requirements on bonds and to meet principal and interest
7 payments on notes if any, and any other requirements under which
8 ~~such~~ **THE** bonds or notes may be issued. The board of review shall
9 adjust and correct rates, charges, ~~and/or~~ **OR** assessments in order
10 that the ~~same shall be~~ **RATES, CHARGES, OR ASSESSMENTS ARE** just and
11 equitable. The board of review shall meet at the room of the **COUNTY**
12 board of ~~supervisors~~ **COMMISSIONERS** in the county building ~~on the~~
13 ~~second Monday in May and September of each year, at 3:00 o'clock in~~
14 ~~the afternoon and continue in session during the day until 5:00~~
15 ~~o'clock in the afternoon thereof and during the same hours of the 2~~
16 ~~days following. Additional time for hearings may be granted by the~~
17 ~~board of review.~~ **WITHIN 60 DAYS OF A WRITTEN REQUEST TO REVIEW**
18 **RATES, CHARGES, OR ASSESSMENTS. THE BOARD OF REVIEW SHALL ALLOW**
19 **SUFFICIENT TIME FOR THE HEARING.** Notice of hearings to be held by
20 the board of review ~~shall~~ **MUST** be prepared by ~~such~~ **THE** board and
21 posted at 2 public places in each municipality where rates,
22 charges, ~~and/or~~ **OR** assessments are charged or assessed ~~in pursuance~~
23 ~~hereof,~~ **UNDER THIS ACT** at least 7 days ~~prior to~~ **BEFORE** the ~~second~~
24 ~~Monday in May and September.~~ **SCHEDULED HEARING.**