



## 104TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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HB4196

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#### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

60 ILCS 1/80-85 new  
65 ILCS 5/8-1-19 new  
70 ILCS 1205/4-10 new  
105 ILCS 5/10-31 new  
105 ILCS 5/34-240 new  
110 ILCS 805/3-85 new

Amends the Township Code, the Park District Code, the Illinois Municipal Code, the School Code, and the Public Community College Act. Provides that if a township, park district, municipality, school district, or community college has been issued a credit card, then, each month, the governing authority of the township, park district, municipality, school district, or community college shall vote to verify the validity of an itemized statement of all purchases made using the credit card in the preceding month. Provides that the itemized statement must include all purchases made using the credit card in the preceding month and may not be redacted. Provides that the vote shall solely be for the approval of the itemized statement of all purchases made using the credit card and shall not include any other expense approval. Provides that, if a township, park district, municipality, school district, or community college has a website maintained by a full-time staff, then the township, park district, municipality, school district, or community college shall publish each itemized statement on its website.

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1 AN ACT concerning credit cards.

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 80-85 as follows:

6 (60 ILCS 1/80-85 new)

7 Sec. 80-85. Approval of township credit card statements.

8 (a) If a township has been issued a credit card, then, each  
9 month, the township board shall vote to verify the validity of  
10 an itemized statement all purchases made using the credit in  
11 the preceding month. The itemized statement must include all  
12 purchases made using the credit card in the preceding month  
13 and may not be redacted. The vote shall solely be for the  
14 approval of the itemized statement of all purchases made using  
15 the credit card and shall not include any other expense  
16 approval.

17 (b) If a township has a website maintained by full-time  
18 staff, then the township shall publish each itemized statement  
19 verified under subsection (a) on its website.

20 Section 10. The Illinois Municipal Code is amended by  
21 adding Section 8-1-19 as follows:

1 (65 ILCS 5/8-1-19 new)

2 Sec. 8-1-19. Approval of municipal credit card statements.

3 (a) If a municipality has been issued a credit card, then,  
4 each month, the corporate authorities of the municipality  
5 shall vote to verify the validity of an itemized statement of  
6 all purchases made using the credit card in the preceding  
7 month. The itemized statement must include all purchases made  
8 using the credit card in the preceding month and may not be  
9 redacted. The vote shall solely be for the approval of the  
10 itemized statement of all purchases made using the credit card  
11 and shall not include any other expense approval.

12 (b) If a municipality has a website maintained by  
13 full-time staff, then the municipality shall publish each  
14 itemized statement verified under subsection (a) on its  
15 website.

16 Section 15. The Park District Code is amended by adding  
17 Section 4-10 as follows:

18 (70 ILCS 1205/4-10 new)

19 Sec. 4-10. Approval of park district credit card  
20 statements.

21 (a) If a park district has been issued a credit card, then,  
22 each month, the board of the park district shall vote to verify  
23 the validity of an itemized statement of all purchases made  
24 using the credit card in the preceding month. The itemized

1 statement must include all purchases made using the credit  
2 card in the preceding month and may not be redacted. The vote  
3 shall solely be for the approval of the itemized statement of  
4 all purchases made using the credit card and shall not include  
5 any other expense approval.

6 (b) If a park district has a website maintained by  
7 full-time staff, then the park district shall publish each  
8 itemized statement verified under subsection (a) on its  
9 website.

10 Section 20. The School Code is amended by adding Sections  
11 10-31 and 34-240 as follows:

12 (105 ILCS 5/10-31 new)

13 Sec. 10-31. Approval of school district credit card  
14 statements.

15 (a) If the district has been issued a credit card, then,  
16 each month, the board shall vote to verify the validity of an  
17 itemized statement of all purchases made using the credit card  
18 in the preceding month. The itemized statement must include  
19 all purchases made using the credit card in the preceding  
20 month and may not be redacted. The vote shall solely be for the  
21 approval of the itemized statement of all purchases made using  
22 the credit card and shall not include any other expense  
23 approval.

24 (b) If the district has a website maintained by full-time

1 staff, then the district shall publish each itemized statement  
2 verified under subsection (a) on its website.

3 (105 ILCS 5/34-240 new)

4 Sec. 34-240. Approval of school district credit card  
5 statements.

6 (a) If the district has been issued a credit card, then,  
7 each month, the board shall vote to verify the validity of an  
8 itemized statement of all purchases made using the credit card  
9 in the preceding month. The itemized statement must include  
10 all purchases made using the credit card in the preceding  
11 month and may not be redacted. The vote shall solely be for the  
12 approval of the itemized statement of all purchases made using  
13 the credit card and shall not include any other expense  
14 approval.

15 (b) If the district has a website maintained by full-time  
16 staff, then the school district shall publish each itemized  
17 statement verified under subsection (a) on its website.

18 Section 25. The Public Community College Act is amended by  
19 adding Section 3-85 as follows:

20 (110 ILCS 805/3-85 new)

21 Sec. 3-85. Approval of community college credit card  
22 statements.

23 If a community college district has been issued a credit

1 card, then, each month, the board shall vote to verify the  
2 validity of an itemized statement of all purchases made using  
3 the credit card in the preceding month. The itemized statement  
4 must include all purchases made using the credit card in the  
5 preceding month and may not be redacted. The vote shall solely  
6 be for the approval of the itemized statement of all purchases  
7 made using the credit card and shall not include any other  
8 expense approval.

9 (b) If a community college has a website maintained by  
10 full-time staff, then the community college shall publish each  
11 itemized statement verified under subsection (a) on its  
12 website.