

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 changing
5 Sections 30-10 and 80-10 and by adding Section 55-70 as
6 follows:

7 (60 ILCS 1/30-10)

8 Sec. 30-10. Notice of meeting; agenda.

9 (a) Notice of the time and place of holding the annual and
10 any special township meetings shall be given by the township
11 clerk (or, in the clerk's absence, the supervisor, assessor,
12 or collector) by posting written or printed notices in 3 of the
13 most public places in the township at least 15 days before the
14 meeting and, if there is an English language newspaper
15 published in the township, by at least one publication in that
16 newspaper before the meeting. The notice shall set forth the
17 agenda for the meeting.

18 A township that has a website that the full-time staff of
19 the township maintains shall also post on its website the
20 notice and agenda of the annual and any special township
21 meetings. A notice and agenda of the annual or a special
22 township meeting that is posted on a township's website shall
23 remain posted on the website at least until the annual or

1 special township meeting is concluded.

2 (b) Agenda. Not less than 15 days before the annual
3 meeting, the township board shall adopt an agenda for the
4 annual meeting. Any 15 or more registered voters in the
5 township may request an agenda item for consideration by the
6 electors at the annual meeting by giving written notice of a
7 specific request to the township clerk no later than March 1
8 prior to the annual meeting. The agenda published by the
9 township board shall include any such request made by voters
10 if the request is relevant to powers granted to electors under
11 the Township Code.

12 (c) Additional agenda items. Any matter or proposal not
13 set forth in the published agenda shall not be considered at
14 the annual meeting other than advising that the matter may be
15 considered at a special meeting of the electors at a later
16 date.

17 (d) Notice and agenda requirements for an annual township
18 meeting that has been postponed under subsection (d) of
19 Section 30-5 shall be the same as provided in this Section.

20 (Source: P.A. 101-632, eff. 6-5-20.)

21 (60 ILCS 1/55-70 new)

22 Sec. 55-70. Simultaneous service on school board.
23 Notwithstanding any other provision of law, a supervisor or
24 trustee of a township with fewer than 2,500 inhabitants may
25 simultaneously serve as a member of a school board, as defined

1 by Section 1-3 of the School Code, if otherwise qualified.

2 (60 ILCS 1/80-10)

3 Sec. 80-10. Board meetings; township and road district
4 accounts.

5 (a) The township board shall meet at the township clerk's
6 office for the purpose of examining and auditing the township
7 and road district accounts before any bills (other than
8 general assistance, obligations for Social Security taxes as
9 required by the Social Security Enabling Act, and wages that
10 are subject to the Illinois Wage Payment and Collection Act,
11 or other expenses determined by the township board by
12 resolution) are paid, provided that payments made pursuant to
13 a board resolution shall be reviewed and verified at the next
14 meeting. The board may meet at other times as they determine.
15 The township board may consider and approve bills individually
16 or in a summary statement of any number of bills.

17 (b) Upon the request of the supervisor or of any 2 board
18 members, the township clerk shall call a meeting at the time
19 requested and shall furnish to the board members at least 48
20 hours' notice of the meeting.

21 (c) The township board may declare a vacancy in the office
22 of township supervisor or trustee if the supervisor or a
23 trustee has 5 or more consecutive unexcused absences from
24 regularly scheduled township board meetings.

25 (d) The township board may adopt rules not inconsistent

1 with this Code to govern its meetings. The rules may provide
2 for excused absences of the supervisor or trustees from
3 township board meetings.

4 (e) All meetings of the township board shall be open to the
5 public as provided in the Open Meetings Act.

6 (f) Except as otherwise provided in Article 35, 3 members
7 of the township board shall constitute a quorum for the
8 transaction of business. The affirmative vote of 3 members of
9 the township board is necessary to adopt any motion,
10 resolution, or ordinance, unless a greater number is otherwise
11 required by State law.

12 (Source: P.A. 98-1174, eff. 1-12-15.)

13 Section 10. The Park District Code is amended by changing
14 Section 8-10b as follows:

15 (70 ILCS 1205/8-10b) (from Ch. 105, par. 8-10.2)

16 Sec. 8-10b. Joint recreational programs for persons with
17 disabilities. Any 2 or more park districts, or in counties
18 with a population of 300,000 or less, a single park district
19 and another unit of local government, are authorized to take
20 any action jointly relating to recreational programs for
21 persons with disabilities that could be taken individually and
22 to enter into agreements with other park districts, townships,
23 and recreation boards and the corporate authorities of cities,
24 villages and incorporated towns specified in Sections 11-95-2

1 and 11-95-3 of the "Illinois Municipal Code", approved May 29,
2 1961, as amended, or any combination thereof, for the purpose
3 of providing for the establishment, maintenance and management
4 of joint recreational programs for persons with disabilities
5 of all the participating districts and municipal areas,
6 including provisions for transportation of participants,
7 procedures for approval of budgets, authorization of
8 expenditures and sharing of expenses, location of recreational
9 areas in the area of any of the participating districts and
10 municipalities, acquisition of real estate by gift, legacy,
11 grant, or purchase, employment of a director and other
12 professional workers for such program who may be employed by
13 one participating district, municipality or board which shall
14 be reimbursed on a mutually agreed basis by the other
15 districts, municipalities and boards that are parties to the
16 joint agreement, authorization for one municipality, board or
17 district to supply professional workers for a joint program
18 conducted in another municipality or district and to provide
19 other requirements for operation of such joint program as may
20 be desirable.

21 (Source: P.A. 99-143, eff. 7-27-15.)