



## 96TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

### State of Illinois

2009 and 2010

HB3146

Introduced 2/24/2009, by Rep. Tom Cross

#### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

60 ILCS 1/5-40

Amends the Township Code. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning township names.

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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 Section  
5 5-40 as follows:

6 (60 ILCS 1/5-40)

7 Sec. 5-40. Township names. Townships shall be named in  
8 accordance with the ~~the~~ express wish of the inhabitants of the  
9 township. If there is not a degree of unanimity as to the name,  
10 the commissioners may designate the name. The county board may  
11 change the name of any township in its county upon a petition  
12 of a majority of the voters of the township. No 2 townships in  
13 the State shall have the same name.

14 (Source: P.A. 82-783; 88-62.)