

99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2015 and 2016

HB4238

by Rep. John M. Cabello

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

65 ILCS 5/8-3-20 new

Amends the Illinois Municipal Code. Provides that notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, on and after the effective date of this amendatory Act, no home rule unit may impose any tax increase, or levy any new or additional tax, without prior referendum approval.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY HOME RULE NOTE ACT MAY APPLY HB4238

AN ACT concerning local government.

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2 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, 3 represented in the General Assembly:

Section 5. The Illinois Municipal Code is amended by adding
Section 8-3-20 as follows:

(65 ILCS 5/8-3-20 new) 6 7 Sec. 8-3-20. Home rule taxing authority, referendum. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, on and 8 9 after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 99th General Assembly, no home rule unit may impose any tax 10 increase, or levy any new or additional tax, without prior 11 referendum approval. This Section is a denial and limitation of 12 home rule powers and functions under subsection (q) of Section 13 14 6 of Article VII of the Illinois Constitution.