

AN ACT concerning transportation.

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

Section 5. The Local Mass Transit District Act is amended by changing Section 9 as follows:

(70 ILCS 3610/9) (from Ch. 111 2/3, par. 359)

Sec. 9. Discontinuance.

(a) Whenever the Board of Trustees of any District shall determine that there is no longer a public need for its transportation services or that other adequate services are or can be made available, and that it should terminate its existence and services, it may by resolution so certify to the participating municipalities and counties which created it. If the participating municipalities and counties approve of such discontinuance, they may by ordinance or resolution, as the case may be, authorize the District to discontinue its services and wind up its affairs. A copy of such ordinance or resolution or both, shall be filed with the county or municipal clerk or clerks and the Secretary of State. After payment of all its debts and settlement of all obligations and claims, any funds remaining after the sale and disposition of its property shall be disposed of by payment to the treasurer of the county or municipality which created it, or if created by 2 or more

municipalities or counties, by payment to the several treasurers, first, to repay in whole or pro rata, funds advanced to the authority, and the balance, if any, pro rata according to the length of scheduled transportation route miles operated in the several municipalities and unincorporated areas of the several counties during the preceding calendar year.

(b) Whenever the Board of Trustees of any District created under the provisions of Section 3.1 determines that there is no longer a public need for its existence or services, it may discontinue its existence by passing an ordinance or resolution stating that the District shall cease its existence on the date stated therein or, if no date is stated therein, on the date the ordinance or resolution was passed. A certified copy of the ordinance or resolution shall be filed with the Secretary of State and with the County Clerk of each county within the boundary of the District. The funds remaining after the payment of all debts and settlement of all obligations and claims shall be paid over on a pro rata basis based on area as follows:

(1) to the Treasurer of each municipality that was in whole or in part within the boundary of the District; and

(2) to the Treasurer of each county in which any unincorporated area of the county was within the boundary of the District.

(c) Prior to the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 98th General Assembly, if the Board of Trustees of any

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District created under Section 3.1 of this Act passed an ordinance or resolution intended to effect a dissolution of its existence, the discontinuation of that District is confirmed as valid and effective on the date set forth in the ordinance or resolution or, if no date is stated therein, on the date the ordinance or resolution was passed.

(Source: Laws 1959, p. 1635.)