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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

65	ILCS 5/11-74.4-2	from Ch. 24, par. 11-74.4-2
65	ILCS 5/11-74.4-3	from Ch. 24, par. 11-74.4-3
65	ILCS 5/11-74.4-5	from Ch. 24, par. 11-74.4-5
65	ILCS 5/11-74.4-7	from Ch. 24, par. 11-74.4-7
65	ILCS 5/11-74.4-8	from Ch. 24, par. 11-74.4-8
65	ILCS 5/11-74.4-8a	from Ch. 24, par. 11-74.4-8a

Amends the Tax Increment Allocation Redevelopment Act of the Illinois Municipal Code. Provides that surplus tax revenues may be used to pay for costs of special education, social services, and other costs of a public school district. Provides that for municipalities with a population of over 1,000,000, redevelopment project costs include public school district qualified workers, costs of providing special educational facilities and services, school psychological services, and school social work services, and any surplus balance in the special tax allocation fund at the end of the fiscal year shall be used for these workers, facilities, and services. Removes provisions allowing anticipated redevelopment project costs to be deemed surplus funds.

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AN ACT concerning local government.

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
changing Sections 11-74.4-2, 11-74.4-3, 11-74.4-5, 11-74.4-7,
11-74.4-8, and 11-74.4-8a as follows:

7 (65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-2) (from Ch. 24, par. 11-74.4-2)

Sec. 11-74.4-2. (a) It is hereby found and declared that 8 9 there exist in many municipalities within this State blighted conservation and industrial park conservation areas, as 10 defined herein; that the conservation areas are rapidly 11 deteriorating and declining and may soon become blighted areas 12 if their decline is not checked; that the stable economic and 13 14 physical development of the blighted areas, conservation areas and industrial park conservation areas is endangered by the 15 16 presence of blighting factors as manifested by progressive and 17 advanced deterioration of structures, by the overuse of housing and other facilities, by a lack of physical maintenance of 18 19 existing structures, by obsolete and inadequate community 20 facilities and a lack of sound community planning, by obsolete 21 platting, diversity of ownership, excessive tax and special 22 assessment delinquencies, by the growth of a large surplus of workers who lack the skills to meet existing or potential 23

employment opportunities or by a combination of these factors; 1 2 that as a result of the existence of blighted areas and areas 3 requiring conservation, there is an excessive and disproportionate expenditure of public funds, 4 inadequate 5 public and private investment, unmarketability of property, growth in delinquencies and crime, and housing and zoning law 6 violations in such areas together with an abnormal exodus of 7 families and businesses so that the decline of these areas 8 9 impairs the value of private investments and threatens the 10 sound growth and the tax base of taxing districts in such 11 areas, and threatens the health, safety, morals, and welfare of 12 the public and that the industrial park conservation areas 13 include under-utilized areas which, if developed as industrial 14 parks, will promote industrial and transportation activities, 15 thereby reducing the evils attendant upon involuntarv 16 unemployment and enhancing the public health and welfare of 17 this State.

(b) It is hereby found and declared that in order to 18 19 promote and protect the health, safety, morals, and welfare of 20 the public, that blighted conditions need to be eradicated and conservation measures instituted, and that redevelopment of 21 22 such areas be undertaken; that to remove and alleviate adverse 23 conditions it is necessary to encourage private investment and 24 restore and enhance the tax base of the taxing districts in 25 such areas by the development or redevelopment of project 26 areas. The eradication of blighted areas and treatment and

improvement of conservation areas and industrial park
 conservation areas by redevelopment projects is hereby
 declared to be essential to the public interest.

(c) It is found and declared that the use of incremental 4 5 tax revenues derived from the tax rates of various taxing districts in redevelopment project areas for the payment of 6 7 redevelopment project costs is of benefit to said taxing 8 districts for the reasons that taxing districts located in 9 redevelopment project areas would not derive the benefits of an 10 increased assessment base without the benefits of tax increment 11 financing, all surplus tax revenues are turned over to the 12 taxing districts in redevelopment project areas or used to pay 13 for costs of special education, social service, and other costs of its public school district, and all said districts benefit 14 from the removal of blighted conditions, the eradication of 15 16 conditions requiring conservation measures, and the 17 development of industrial parks.

18 (Source: P.A. 84-1090.)

19 (65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-3) (from Ch. 24, par. 11-74.4-3)

Sec. 11-74.4-3. Definitions. The following terms, wherever used or referred to in this Division 74.4 shall have the following respective meanings, unless in any case a different meaning clearly appears from the context.

(a) For any redevelopment project area that has been
 designated pursuant to this Section by an ordinance adopted

prior to November 1, 1999 (the effective date of Public Act 91-478), "blighted area" shall have the meaning set forth in this Section prior to that date.

On and after November 1, 1999, "blighted area" means any improved or vacant area within the boundaries of a redevelopment project area located within the territorial limits of the municipality where:

8 (1)If improved, industrial, commercial, and 9 residential buildings or improvements are detrimental to 10 the public safety, health, or welfare because of a 11 combination of 5 or more of the following factors, each of 12 which is (i) present, with that presence documented, to a meaningful extent so that a municipality may reasonably 13 14 find that the factor is clearly present within the intent 15 of the Act and (ii) reasonably distributed throughout the 16 improved part of the redevelopment project area:

17 (A) Dilapidation. An advanced state of disrepair 18 neglect of necessary repairs to the primary or 19 structural components of buildings or improvements in 20 combination that a documented such а building 21 condition analysis determines that major repair is 22 required or the defects are so serious and so extensive 23 that the buildings must be removed.

(B) Obsolescence. The condition or process of
falling into disuse. Structures have become ill-suited
for the original use.

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1 (C) Deterioration. With respect to buildings, 2 defects including, but not limited to, major defects in 3 secondary building components such as doors, the windows, porches, gutters and downspouts, and fascia. 4 5 With respect to surface improvements, that the 6 condition of roadways, alleys, curbs, gutters, 7 sidewalks, off-street parking, and surface storage 8 areas evidence deterioration, including, but not 9 limited to, surface cracking, crumbling, potholes, depressions, loose paving material, and weeds 10 11 protruding through paved surfaces.

12 (D) Presence of structures below minimum code 13 standards. All structures that do not meet the 14 standards of zoning, subdivision, building, fire, and 15 other governmental codes applicable to property, but 16 not including housing and property maintenance codes.

17 (E) Illegal use of individual structures. The use
18 of structures in violation of applicable federal,
19 State, or local laws, exclusive of those applicable to
20 the presence of structures below minimum code
21 standards.

(F) Excessive vacancies. The presence of buildings that are unoccupied or under-utilized and that represent an adverse influence on the area because of the frequency, extent, or duration of the vacancies.

(G) Lack of ventilation, light, or sanitary

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facilities. The absence of adequate ventilation for 1 light or air circulation in spaces or rooms without 2 3 windows, or that require the removal of dust, odor, gas, smoke, or other noxious airborne materials. 4 Inadequate natural light and ventilation means the 5 6 absence of skylights or windows for interior spaces or 7 rooms and improper window sizes and amounts by room 8 window area ratios. Inadequate sanitary area to 9 facilities refers to the absence or inadequacy of 10 garbage storage and enclosure, bathroom facilities, 11 hot water and kitchens, and structural inadequacies 12 preventing ingress and egress to and from all rooms and 13 units within a building.

14 (H) Inadequate utilities. Underground and overhead 15 utilities such as storm sewers and storm drainage, 16 sanitary sewers, water lines, and gas, telephone, and 17 electrical services that are shown to be inadequate. 18 Inadequate utilities are those that are: (i) of 19 insufficient capacity to serve the uses in the 20 redevelopment project area, (ii) deteriorated, 21 antiquated, obsolete, or in disrepair, or (iii) 22 lacking within the redevelopment project area.

(I) Excessive land coverage and overcrowding of
 structures and community facilities. The
 over-intensive use of property and the crowding of
 buildings and accessory facilities onto a site.

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1 Examples of problem conditions warranting the 2 designation of an area as one exhibiting excessive land 3 coverage are: (i) the presence of buildings either improperly situated on parcels or located on parcels of 4 5 inadequate size and shape in relation to present-day standards of development for health and safety and (ii) 6 7 the presence of multiple buildings on a single parcel. 8 For there to be a finding of excessive land coverage, 9 these parcels must exhibit one or more of the following 10 conditions: insufficient provision for light and air 11 within or around buildings, increased threat of spread 12 of fire due to the close proximity of buildings, lack 13 of adequate or proper access to a public right-of-way, lack of reasonably required off-street parking, or 14 15 inadequate provision for loading and service.

16 (J) Deleterious land use or layout. The existence
17 of incompatible land-use relationships, buildings
18 occupied by inappropriate mixed-uses, or uses
19 considered to be noxious, offensive, or unsuitable for
20 the surrounding area.

21 Environmental (K) clean-up. The proposed 22 redevelopment project area has incurred Illinois 23 Environmental Protection Agency or United States 24 Environmental Protection Agency remediation costs for, 25 or a study conducted by an independent consultant 26 recognized as having expertise in environmental

remediation has determined a need for, the clean-up of 1 2 hazardous waste, hazardous substances, or underground 3 storage tanks required by State or federal law, provided that the remediation costs constitute a 4 5 material impediment to the development or 6 redevelopment of the redevelopment project area.

(L) Lack of community planning. The proposed 7 8 redevelopment project area was developed prior to or 9 without the benefit or guidance of a community plan. 10 This means that the development occurred prior to the 11 adoption by the municipality of a comprehensive or 12 other community plan or that the plan was not followed 13 at the time of the area's development. This factor must 14 be documented by evidence of adverse or incompatible land-use relationships, inadequate street 15 layout, 16 improper subdivision, parcels of inadequate shape and 17 size to meet contemporary development standards, or other evidence demonstrating an absence of effective 18 19 community planning.

20 (M) The total equalized assessed value of the 21 proposed redevelopment project area has declined for 3 22 of the last 5 calendar years prior to the year in which 23 the redevelopment project area is designated or is 24 increasing at an annual rate that is less than the 25 balance of the municipality for 3 of the last 5 26 calendar years for which information is available or is

increasing at an annual rate that is less than the
Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers published
by the United States Department of Labor or successor
agency for 3 of the last 5 calendar years prior to the
year in which the redevelopment project area is
designated.

7 (2) If vacant, the sound growth of the redevelopment 8 project area is impaired by a combination of 2 or more of 9 the following factors, each of which is (i) present, with 10 that presence documented, to a meaningful extent so that a 11 municipality may reasonably find that the factor is clearly 12 present within the intent of the Act and (ii) reasonably 13 distributed throughout the vacant part of the 14 redevelopment project area to which it pertains:

15 (A) Obsolete platting of vacant land that results 16 in parcels of limited or narrow size or configurations 17 of parcels of irregular size or shape that would be difficult to develop on a planned basis and in a manner 18 19 compatible with contemporary standards and 20 requirements, or platting that failed to create 21 rights-of-ways for streets or alleys or that created 22 inadequate right-of-way widths for streets, alleys, or 23 other public rights-of-way or that omitted easements for public utilities. 24

(B) Diversity of ownership of parcels of vacant
 land sufficient in number to retard or impede the

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ability to assemble the land for development.

(C) Tax and special assessment delinquencies exist or the property has been the subject of tax sales under the Property Tax Code within the last 5 years.

5 (D) Deterioration of structures or site 6 improvements in neighboring areas adjacent to the 7 vacant land.

(E) The area has incurred Illinois Environmental 8 9 Protection Agency or United States Environmental 10 Protection Agency remediation costs for, or a study 11 conducted by an independent consultant recognized as 12 having expertise in environmental remediation has 13 determined a need for, the clean-up of hazardous waste, 14 hazardous substances, or underground storage tanks 15 required by State or federal law, provided that the 16 remediation costs constitute a material impediment to 17 the development or redevelopment of the redevelopment 18 project area.

19 The total equalized assessed value of the (F) 20 proposed redevelopment project area has declined for 3 21 of the last 5 calendar years prior to the year in which 22 the redevelopment project area is designated or is 23 increasing at an annual rate that is less than the balance of the municipality for 3 of the last 5 24 25 calendar years for which information is available or is 26 increasing at an annual rate that is less than the

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Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers published by the United States Department of Labor or successor agency for 3 of the last 5 calendar years prior to the year in which the redevelopment project area is designated.

6 (3) If vacant, the sound growth of the redevelopment 7 project area is impaired by one of the following factors 8 that (i) is present, with that presence documented, to a 9 meaningful extent so that a municipality may reasonably 10 find that the factor is clearly present within the intent 11 of the Act and (ii) is reasonably distributed throughout 12 the vacant part of the redevelopment project area to which 13 it pertains:

14 (A) The area consists of one or more unused
 15 quarries, mines, or strip mine ponds.

(B) The area consists of unused rail yards, rail tracks, or railroad rights-of-way.

18 (C) The area, prior to its designation, is subject 19 to (i) chronic flooding that adversely impacts on real 20 property in the area as certified by a registered 21 professional engineer or appropriate regulatory agency 22 or (ii) surface water that discharges from all or a 23 part of the area and contributes to flooding within the 24 same watershed, but only if the redevelopment project 25 provides for facilities or improvements to contribute 26 to the alleviation of all or part of the flooding.

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(D) The area consists of an unused or illegal disposal site containing earth, stone, building debris, or similar materials that were removed from construction, demolition, excavation, or dredge sites.

5 (E) Prior to November 1, 1999, the area is not less than 50 nor more than 100 acres and 75% of which is 6 7 vacant (notwithstanding that the area has been used for commercial agricultural purposes within 5 years prior 8 9 to the designation of the redevelopment project area), 10 and the area meets at least one of the factors itemized 11 in paragraph (1) of this subsection, the area has been 12 designated as a town or village center by ordinance or 13 comprehensive plan adopted prior to January 1, 1982, 14 and the area has not been developed for that designated 15 purpose.

16 (F) The area qualified as a blighted improved area 17 immediately prior to becoming vacant, unless there has 18 been substantial private investment in the immediately 19 surrounding area.

20 (b) For any redevelopment project area that has been 21 designated pursuant to this Section by an ordinance adopted 22 prior to November 1, 1999 (the effective date of Public Act 23 91-478), "conservation area" shall have the meaning set forth 24 in this Section prior to that date.

25 On and after November 1, 1999, "conservation area" means 26 any improved area within the boundaries of a redevelopment project area located within the territorial limits of the municipality in which 50% or more of the structures in the area have an age of 35 years or more. Such an area is not yet a blighted area but because of a combination of 3 or more of the following factors is detrimental to the public safety, health, morals or welfare and such an area may become a blighted area:

7 (1) Dilapidation. An advanced state of disrepair or 8 neglect of necessary repairs to the primary structural 9 components of buildings or improvements in such a 10 combination that a documented building condition analysis 11 determines that major repair is required or the defects are 12 so serious and so extensive that the buildings must be 13 removed.

14 (2) Obsolescence. The condition or process of falling
 15 into disuse. Structures have become ill-suited for the
 16 original use.

17 (3) Deterioration. With respect to buildings, defects including, but not limited to, major defects in the 18 19 secondary building components such as doors, windows, 20 porches, gutters and downspouts, and fascia. With respect 21 to surface improvements, that the condition of roadways, 22 alleys, curbs, gutters, sidewalks, off-street parking, and 23 surface storage areas evidence deterioration, including, 24 but not limited to, surface cracking, crumbling, potholes, 25 depressions, loose paving material, and weeds protruding 26 through paved surfaces.

1 (4) Presence of structures below minimum code 2 standards. All structures that do not meet the standards of 3 subdivision, building, fire, and zoning, other codes applicable to 4 governmental property, but not 5 including housing and property maintenance codes.

(5) Illegal use of individual structures. The use of 6 7 structures in violation of applicable federal, State, or local laws, exclusive of those applicable to the presence 8 9 of structures below minimum code standards.

10 (6) Excessive vacancies. The presence of buildings 11 that are unoccupied or under-utilized and that represent an 12 adverse influence on the area because of the frequency, extent, or duration of the vacancies. 13

14 Lack of ventilation, light, (7)or sanitary 15 facilities. The absence of adequate ventilation for light 16 or air circulation in spaces or rooms without windows, or 17 that require the removal of dust, odor, gas, smoke, or 18 other noxious airborne materials. Inadequate natural light 19 and ventilation means the absence or inadequacy of 20 skylights or windows for interior spaces or rooms and 21 improper window sizes and amounts by room area to window 22 area ratios. Inadequate sanitary facilities refers to the 23 absence or inadequacy of garbage storage and enclosure, 24 bathroom facilities, hot water and kitchens, and 25 structural inadequacies preventing ingress and egress to 26 and from all rooms and units within a building.

Inadequate utilities. Underground and overhead 1 (8) 2 utilities such as storm sewers and storm drainage, sanitary 3 sewers, water lines, and gas, telephone, and electrical services that are shown to be inadequate. Inadequate 4 5 utilities are those that are: (i) of insufficient capacity 6 to serve the uses in the redevelopment project area, (ii) 7 deteriorated, antiquated, obsolete, or in disrepair, or 8 (iii) lacking within the redevelopment project area.

9 Excessive land coverage and overcrowding of (9) 10 structures and community facilities. The over-intensive 11 use of property and the crowding of buildings and accessory 12 facilities onto a site. Examples of problem conditions 13 warranting the designation of an area as one exhibiting 14 excessive land coverage are: the presence of buildings 15 either improperly situated on parcels or located on parcels 16 of inadequate size and shape in relation to present-day 17 standards of development for health and safety and the presence of multiple buildings on a single parcel. For 18 19 there to be a finding of excessive land coverage, these 20 parcels must exhibit one or more of the following 21 conditions: insufficient provision for light and air 22 within or around buildings, increased threat of spread of 23 fire due to the close proximity of buildings, lack of 24 adequate or proper access to a public right-of-way, lack of 25 reasonably required off-street parking, or inadequate 26 provision for loading and service.

1 (10) Deleterious land use or layout. The existence of 2 incompatible land-use relationships, buildings occupied by 3 inappropriate mixed-uses, or uses considered to be 4 noxious, offensive, or unsuitable for the surrounding 5 area.

6 (11)Lack of community planning. The proposed 7 redevelopment project area was developed prior to or 8 without the benefit or quidance of a community plan. This 9 means that the development occurred prior to the adoption 10 by the municipality of a comprehensive or other community 11 plan or that the plan was not followed at the time of the 12 area's development. This factor must be documented by of 13 evidence adverse or incompatible land-use 14 relationships, inadequate street layout, improper 15 subdivision, parcels of inadequate shape and size to meet 16 contemporary development standards, or other evidence 17 demonstrating an absence of effective community planning.

The area has incurred Illinois Environmental 18 (12)19 Protection Agency or United States Environmental 20 Protection Agency remediation costs for, or a study conducted by an independent consultant recognized as 21 22 expertise in environmental remediation having has 23 determined a need for, the clean-up of hazardous waste, 24 hazardous substances, or underground storage tanks 25 required by State or federal law, provided that the 26 remediation costs constitute a material impediment to the

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development or redevelopment of the redevelopment project area.

3 (13) The total equalized assessed value of the proposed redevelopment project area has declined for 3 of the last 5 4 5 calendar years for which information is available or is increasing at an annual rate that is less than the balance 6 7 of the municipality for 3 of the last 5 calendar years for which information is available or is increasing at an 8 9 annual rate that is less than the Consumer Price Index for 10 All Urban Consumers published by the United States 11 Department of Labor or successor agency for 3 of the last 5 12 calendar years for which information is available.

13 (c) "Industrial park" means an area in a blighted or 14 conservation area suitable for use by any manufacturing, 15 industrial, research or transportation enterprise, of 16 facilities to include but not be limited to factories, mills, 17 processing plants, assembly plants, packing plants, industrial distribution 18 fabricating plants, centers, 19 warehouses, repair overhaul or service facilities, freight 20 terminals, research facilities, test facilities or railroad facilities. 21

(d) "Industrial park conservation area" means an area within the boundaries of a redevelopment project area located within the territorial limits of a municipality that is a labor surplus municipality or within 1 1/2 miles of the territorial limits of a municipality that is a labor surplus municipality 1 if the area is annexed to the municipality; which area is zoned 2 as industrial no later than at the time the municipality by 3 ordinance designates the redevelopment project area, and which 4 area includes both vacant land suitable for use as an 5 industrial park and a blighted area or conservation area 6 contiguous to such vacant land.

(e) "Labor surplus municipality" means a municipality in 7 8 which, at any time during the 6 months before the municipality 9 by ordinance designates an industrial park conservation area, 10 the unemployment rate was over 6% and was also 100% or more of 11 the national average unemployment rate for that same time as 12 published in the United States Department of Labor Bureau of 13 Statistics publication entitled Labor "The Employment Situation" or its successor publication. For the purpose of 14 15 this subsection, if unemployment rate statistics for the 16 municipality are not available, the unemployment rate in the 17 municipality shall be deemed to be the same as the unemployment rate in the principal county in which the municipality is 18 19 located.

20 (f) "Municipality" shall mean a city, village, 21 incorporated town, or a township that is located in the 22 unincorporated portion of a county with 3 million or more 23 inhabitants, if the county adopted an ordinance that approved 24 the township's redevelopment plan.

(g) "Initial Sales Tax Amounts" means the amount of taxes
paid under the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act, Use Tax Act,

Service Use Tax Act, the Service Occupation Tax Act, the
 Municipal Retailers' Occupation Tax Act, and the Municipal
 Service Occupation Tax Act by retailers and servicemen on
 transactions at places located in a State Sales Tax Boundary
 during the calendar year 1985.

6 (g-1) "Revised Initial Sales Tax Amounts" means the amount 7 of taxes paid under the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act, Use Tax 8 Act, Service Use Tax Act, the Service Occupation Tax Act, the 9 Municipal Retailers' Occupation Tax Act, and the Municipal 10 Service Occupation Tax Act by retailers and servicemen on 11 transactions at places located within the State Sales Tax 12 Boundary revised pursuant to Section 11-74.4-8a(9) of this Act.

13 (h) "Municipal Sales Tax Increment" means an amount equal 14 to the increase in the aggregate amount of taxes paid to a 15 municipality from the Local Government Tax Fund arising from 16 sales by retailers and servicemen within the redevelopment 17 project area or State Sales Tax Boundary, as the case may be, for as long as the redevelopment project area or State Sales 18 19 Tax Boundary, as the case may be, exist over and above the aggregate amount of taxes as certified by the Illinois 20 Department of Revenue and paid under the Municipal Retailers' 21 22 Occupation Tax Act and the Municipal Service Occupation Tax Act 23 by retailers and servicemen, on transactions at places of 24 business located in the redevelopment project area or State 25 Sales Tax Boundary, as the case may be, during the base year 26 which shall be the calendar year immediately prior to the year

in which the municipality adopted tax increment allocation 1 2 financing. For purposes of computing the aggregate amount of 3 such taxes for base years occurring prior to 1985, the Department of Revenue shall determine the Initial Sales Tax 4 5 Amounts for such taxes and deduct therefrom an amount equal to 6 4% of the aggregate amount of taxes per year for each year the 7 base year is prior to 1985, but not to exceed a total deduction 8 of 12%. The amount so determined shall be known as the 9 "Adjusted Initial Sales Tax Amounts". For purposes of 10 determining the Municipal Sales Tax Increment, the Department 11 of Revenue shall for each period subtract from the amount paid 12 to the municipality from the Local Government Tax Fund arising from sales by retailers and servicemen on transactions located 13 14 in the redevelopment project area or the State Sales Tax 15 Boundary, as the case may be, the certified Initial Sales Tax 16 Amounts, the Adjusted Initial Sales Tax Amounts or the Revised 17 Initial Sales Tax Amounts for the Municipal Retailers' Occupation Tax Act and the Municipal Service Occupation Tax 18 Act. For the State Fiscal Year 1989, this calculation shall be 19 20 made by utilizing the calendar year 1987 to determine the tax amounts received. For the State Fiscal Year 1990, this 21 22 calculation shall be made by utilizing the period from January 23 1, 1988, until September 30, 1988, to determine the tax amounts 24 received from retailers and servicemen pursuant to the 25 Municipal Retailers' Occupation Tax and the Municipal Service 26 Occupation Tax Act, which shall have deducted therefrom

nine-twelfths of the certified Initial Sales Tax Amounts, the 1 2 Adjusted Initial Sales Tax Amounts or the Revised Initial Sales 3 Tax Amounts as appropriate. For the State Fiscal Year 1991, this calculation shall be made by utilizing the period from 4 5 October 1, 1988, to June 30, 1989, to determine the tax amounts received from retailers and servicemen pursuant to 6 the 7 Municipal Retailers' Occupation Tax and the Municipal Service Occupation Tax Act which shall have deducted therefrom 8 9 nine-twelfths of the certified Initial Sales Tax Amounts, 10 Adjusted Initial Sales Tax Amounts or the Revised Initial Sales 11 Tax Amounts as appropriate. For every State Fiscal Year 12 thereafter, the applicable period shall be the 12 months beginning July 1 and ending June 30 to determine the tax 13 amounts received which shall have deducted therefrom the 14 15 certified Initial Sales Tax Amounts, the Adjusted Initial Sales 16 Tax Amounts or the Revised Initial Sales Tax Amounts, as the 17 case may be.

(i) "Net State Sales Tax Increment" means the sum of the 18 following: (a) 80% of the first \$100,000 of State Sales Tax 19 20 Increment annually generated within a State Sales Tax Boundary; (b) 60% of the amount in excess of \$100,000 but not exceeding 21 22 \$500,000 of State Sales Tax Increment annually generated within 23 a State Sales Tax Boundary; and (c) 40% of all amounts in excess of \$500,000 of State Sales Tax Increment annually 24 25 generated within a State Sales Tax Boundary. If, however, a 26 municipality established a tax increment financing district in

a county with a population in excess of 3,000,000 before 1 2 January 1, 1986, and the municipality entered into a contract 3 or issued bonds after January 1, 1986, but before December 31, 1986, to finance redevelopment project costs within a State 4 5 Sales Tax Boundary, then the Net State Sales Tax Increment means, for the fiscal years beginning July 1, 1990, and July 1, 6 1991, 100% of the State Sales Tax Increment annually generated 7 8 within a State Sales Tax Boundary; and notwithstanding any 9 other provision of this Act, for those fiscal years the 10 Department of Revenue shall distribute to those municipalities 11 100% of their Net State Sales Tax Increment before any 12 distribution to any other municipality and regardless of whether or not those other municipalities will receive 100% of 13 14 their Net State Sales Tax Increment. For Fiscal Year 1999, and 15 every year thereafter until the year 2007, for any municipality 16 that has not entered into a contract or has not issued bonds 17 prior to June 1, 1988 to finance redevelopment project costs within a State Sales Tax Boundary, the Net State Sales Tax 18 Increment shall be calculated as follows: By multiplying the 19 20 Net State Sales Tax Increment by 90% in the State Fiscal Year 1999; 80% in the State Fiscal Year 2000; 70% in the State 21 22 Fiscal Year 2001; 60% in the State Fiscal Year 2002; 50% in the 23 State Fiscal Year 2003; 40% in the State Fiscal Year 2004; 30% in the State Fiscal Year 2005; 20% in the State Fiscal Year 24 25 2006; and 10% in the State Fiscal Year 2007. No payment shall be made for State Fiscal Year 2008 and thereafter. 26

Municipalities that issued bonds in connection with a 1 2 redevelopment project in a redevelopment project area within 3 the State Sales Tax Boundary prior to July 29, 1991, or that entered into contracts in connection with a redevelopment 4 5 project in a redevelopment project area before June 1, 1988, 6 shall continue to receive their proportional share of the 7 Illinois Tax Increment Fund distribution until the date on 8 which the redevelopment project is completed or terminated. If, 9 however, a municipality that issued bonds in connection with a 10 redevelopment project in a redevelopment project area within 11 the State Sales Tax Boundary prior to July 29, 1991 retires the 12 bonds prior to June 30, 2007 or a municipality that entered 13 into contracts in connection with a redevelopment project in a 14 redevelopment project area before June 1, 1988 completes the contracts prior to June 30, 2007, then so long as the 15 16 redevelopment project is not completed or is not terminated, 17 the Net State Sales Tax Increment shall be calculated, beginning on the date on which the bonds are retired or the 18 19 contracts are completed, as follows: By multiplying the Net 20 State Sales Tax Increment by 60% in the State Fiscal Year 2002; 50% in the State Fiscal Year 2003; 40% in the State Fiscal Year 21 22 2004; 30% in the State Fiscal Year 2005; 20% in the State 23 Fiscal Year 2006; and 10% in the State Fiscal Year 2007. No payment shall be made for State Fiscal Year 2008 24 and 25 thereafter. Refunding of any bonds issued prior to July 29, 26 1991, shall not alter the Net State Sales Tax Increment.

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(j) "State Utility Tax Increment Amount" means an amount 1 2 equal to the aggregate increase in State electric and gas tax 3 charges imposed on owners and tenants, other than residential customers, of properties located within the redevelopment 4 5 project area under Section 9-222 of the Public Utilities Act, over and above the aggregate of such charges as certified by 6 the Department of Revenue and paid by owners and tenants, other 7 within 8 residential customers, of properties than the 9 redevelopment project area during the base year, which shall be 10 the calendar year immediately prior to the year of the adoption 11 of the ordinance authorizing tax increment allocation 12 financing.

13 (k) "Net State Utility Tax Increment" means the sum of the following: (a) 80% of the first \$100,000 of State Utility Tax 14 15 Increment annually generated by a redevelopment project area; 16 (b) 60% of the amount in excess of \$100,000 but not exceeding 17 \$500,000 of the State Utility Tax Increment annually generated by a redevelopment project area; and (c) 40% of all amounts in 18 excess of \$500,000 of State Utility Tax Increment annually 19 20 generated by a redevelopment project area. For the State Fiscal 21 Year 1999, and every year thereafter until the year 2007, for 22 any municipality that has not entered into a contract or has 23 not issued bonds prior to June 1, 1988 to finance redevelopment project costs within a redevelopment project area, the Net 24 25 State Utility Tax Increment shall be calculated as follows: By 26 multiplying the Net State Utility Tax Increment by 90% in the

State Fiscal Year 1999; 80% in the State Fiscal Year 2000; 70% in the State Fiscal Year 2001; 60% in the State Fiscal Year 2002; 50% in the State Fiscal Year 2003; 40% in the State Fiscal Year 2004; 30% in the State Fiscal Year 2005; 20% in the State Fiscal Year 2006; and 10% in the State Fiscal Year 2007. No payment shall be made for the State Fiscal Year 2008 and thereafter.

8 Municipalities that issue bonds in connection with the 9 redevelopment project during the period from June 1, 1988 until 10 3 years after the effective date of this Amendatory Act of 1988 11 shall receive the Net State Utility Tax Increment, subject to 12 appropriation, for 15 State Fiscal Years after the issuance of 13 such bonds. For the 16th through the 20th State Fiscal Years 14 after issuance of the bonds, the Net State Utility Tax 15 Increment shall be calculated as follows: By multiplying the Net State Utility Tax Increment by 90% in year 16; 80% in year 16 17 17; 70% in year 18; 60% in year 19; and 50% in year 20. Refunding of any bonds issued prior to June 1, 1988, shall not 18 19 alter the revised Net State Utility Tax Increment payments set 20 forth above.

(1) "Obligations" mean bonds, loans, debentures, notes, special certificates or other evidence of indebtedness issued by the municipality to carry out a redevelopment project or to refund outstanding obligations.

25 (m) "Payment in lieu of taxes" means those estimated tax 26 revenues from real property in a redevelopment project area

derived from real property that has been acquired by a 1 2 municipality which according to the redevelopment project or 3 plan is to be used for a private use which taxing districts would have received had a municipality not acquired the real 4 5 property and adopted tax increment allocation financing and 6 which would result from levies made after the time of the adoption of tax increment allocation financing to the time the 7 8 current equalized value of real property in the redevelopment 9 project area exceeds the total initial equalized value of real 10 property in said area.

(n) "Redevelopment plan" means the comprehensive program 11 12 of the municipality for development or redevelopment intended by the payment of redevelopment project costs to reduce or 13 eliminate those conditions the existence of which qualified the 14 area 15 redevelopment project as а "blighted area" or 16 "conservation area" or combination thereof or "industrial park 17 conservation area," and thereby to enhance the tax bases of the taxing districts which extend into the redevelopment project 18 19 area, provided that, with respect to redevelopment project 20 areas described in subsections (p-1) and (p-2), "redevelopment 21 plan" means the comprehensive program of the affected 22 municipality for the development of qualifying transit 23 facilities. On and after November 1, 1999 (the effective date of Public Act 91-478), no redevelopment plan may be approved or 24 25 amended that includes the development of vacant land (i) with a 26 golf course and related clubhouse and other facilities or (ii)

designated by federal, State, county, or municipal government 1 2 as public land for outdoor recreational activities or for 3 nature preserves and used for that purpose within 5 years prior to the adoption of the redevelopment plan. For the purpose of 4 5 this subsection, "recreational activities" is limited to mean camping and hunting. Each redevelopment plan shall set forth in 6 7 writing the program to be undertaken to accomplish the 8 objectives and shall include but not be limited to:

9 (A) an itemized list of estimated redevelopment 10 project costs;

(B) evidence indicating that the redevelopment project area on the whole has not been subject to growth and development through investment by private enterprise, provided that such evidence shall not be required for any redevelopment project area located within a transit facility improvement area established pursuant to Section 17 11-74.4-3.3;

18 (C) an assessment of any financial impact of the 19 redevelopment project area on or any increased demand for 20 services from any taxing district affected by the plan and 21 any program to address such financial impact or increased 22 demand;

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(D) the sources of funds to pay costs;

(E) the nature and term of the obligations to beissued;

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(F) the most recent equalized assessed valuation of the

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redevelopment project area;

2 (G) an estimate as to the equalized assessed valuation
3 after redevelopment and the general land uses to apply in
4 the redevelopment project area;

5 (H) a commitment to fair employment practices and an
6 affirmative action plan;

7 (I) if it concerns an industrial park conservation 8 area, the plan shall also include a general description of 9 any proposed developer, user and tenant of any property, a 10 description of the type, structure and general character of 11 the facilities to be developed, a description of the type, 12 class and number of new employees to be employed in the 13 operation of the facilities to be developed; and

(J) if property is to be annexed to the municipality,
the plan shall include the terms of the annexation
agreement.

17 The provisions of items (B) and (C) of this subsection (n) shall not apply to a municipality that before March 14, 1994 18 (the effective date of Public Act 88-537) had fixed, either by 19 its corporate authorities or by a commission designated under 20 subsection (k) of Section 11-74.4-4, a time and place for a 21 22 public hearing as required by subsection (a) of Section 23 11-74.4-5. No redevelopment plan shall be adopted unless a municipality complies with all of the following requirements: 24

(1) The municipality finds that the redevelopment
 project area on the whole has not been subject to growth

and development through investment by private enterprise and would not reasonably be anticipated to be developed without the adoption of the redevelopment plan, provided, however, that such a finding shall not be required with respect to any redevelopment project area located within a transit facility improvement area established pursuant to Section 11-74.4-3.3.

8 (2) The municipality finds that the redevelopment plan 9 and project conform to the comprehensive plan for the 10 development of the municipality as a whole, or, for 11 municipalities with a population of 100,000 or more, 12 regardless of when the redevelopment plan and project was adopted, the redevelopment plan and project either: (i) 13 14 conforms to the strategic economic development or 15 redevelopment plan issued by the designated planning 16 authority of the municipality, or (ii) includes land uses that have been approved by the planning commission of the 17 18 municipality.

19 (3) The redevelopment plan establishes the estimated 20 dates of completion of the redevelopment project and 21 retirement of obligations issued to finance redevelopment 22 project costs. Those dates may not be later than the dates 23 set forth under Section 11-74.4-3.5.

A municipality may by municipal ordinance amend an existing redevelopment plan to conform to this paragraph (3) as amended by Public Act 91-478, which municipal

ordinance may be adopted without further hearing or notice and without complying with the procedures provided in this Act pertaining to an amendment to or the initial approval of a redevelopment plan and project and designation of a redevelopment project area.

6 (3.5)The municipality finds, in the case of an 7 park conservation area, also that industrial the 8 municipality is a labor surplus municipality and that the 9 implementation of the redevelopment plan will reduce 10 unemployment, create new jobs and by the provision of new 11 facilities enhance the tax base of the taxing districts 12 that extend into the redevelopment project area.

13 (4) If any incremental revenues are being utilized 14 under Section 8(a)(1) or 8(a)(2) of this Act in 15 redevelopment project areas approved by ordinance after 16 January 1, 1986, the municipality finds: (a) that the 17 redevelopment project area would not reasonably be developed without the use of such incremental revenues, and 18 19 (b) that such incremental revenues will be exclusively 20 utilized for the development of the redevelopment project 21 area.

(5) If: (a) the redevelopment plan will not result in displacement of residents from 10 or more inhabited residential units, and the municipality certifies in the plan that such displacement will not result from the plan; or (b) the redevelopment plan is for a redevelopment

1 project area located within a transit facility improvement 2 area established pursuant to Section 11-74.4-3.3, and the 3 applicable project is subject to the process for evaluation of environmental effects under the National Environmental 4 5 Policy Act of 1969, 42 U.S.C. 4321 et seq., then a housing impact study need not be performed. If, however, the 6 7 redevelopment plan would result in the displacement of 8 residents from 10 or more inhabited residential units, or 9 if the redevelopment project area contains 75 or more 10 inhabited residential units and no certification is made, 11 then the municipality shall prepare, as part of the 12 separate feasibility report required by subsection (a) of Section 11-74.4-5, a housing impact study. 13

14 Part I of the housing impact study shall include (i) 15 data as to whether the residential units are single family 16 or multi-family units, (ii) the number and type of rooms within the units, if that information is available, (iii) 17 whether the units are inhabited or uninhabited, 18 as 19 determined not less than 45 days before the date that the 20 ordinance or resolution required by subsection (a) of 21 Section 11-74.4-5 is passed, and (iv) data as to the racial 22 and ethnic composition of the residents in the inhabited 23 residential units. The data requirement as to the racial 24 and ethnic composition of the residents in the inhabited 25 residential units shall be deemed to be fully satisfied by 26 data from the most recent federal census.

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Part II of the housing impact study shall identify the 1 2 inhabited residential units in the proposed redevelopment 3 project area that are to be or may be removed. If inhabited residential units are to be removed, then the housing 4 impact study shall identify (i) the number and location of 5 those units that will or may be removed, (ii) the 6 7 municipality's plans for relocation assistance for those 8 residents in the proposed redevelopment project area whose 9 residences are to be removed, (iii) the availability of 10 replacement housing for those residents whose residences 11 are to be removed, and shall identify the type, location, 12 and cost of the housing, and (iv) the type and extent of relocation assistance to be provided. 13

14 (6) On and after November 1, 1999, the housing impact
15 study required by paragraph (5) shall be incorporated in
16 the redevelopment plan for the redevelopment project area.

17 (7) On and after November 1, 1999, no redevelopment plan shall be adopted, nor an existing plan amended, nor 18 19 shall residential housing that is occupied by households of 20 low-income and very low-income persons in currently 21 existing redevelopment project areas be removed after 22 November 1, 1999 unless the redevelopment plan provides, 23 with respect to inhabited housing units that are to be 24 removed for households of low-income and very low-income 25 persons, affordable housing and relocation assistance not 26 less than that which would be provided under the federal

1 Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property 2 Acquisition Policies Act of 1970 and the regulations under 3 that Act, including the eligibility criteria. Affordable housing may be either existing or newly constructed 4 5 housing. For purposes of this paragraph (7), "low-income households", "very low-income households", and "affordable 6 7 housing" have the meanings set forth in the Illinois 8 Affordable Housing Act. The municipality shall make a good 9 faith effort to ensure that this affordable housing is 10 located in or near the redevelopment project area within 11 the municipality.

(8) On and after November 1, 1999, if, after the
adoption of the redevelopment plan for the redevelopment
project area, any municipality desires to amend its
redevelopment plan to remove more inhabited residential
units than specified in its original redevelopment plan,
that change shall be made in accordance with the procedures
in subsection (c) of Section 11-74.4-5.

19 (9) For redevelopment project areas designated prior 20 to November 1, 1999, the redevelopment plan may be amended 21 without further joint review board meeting or hearing, 22 provided that the municipality shall give notice of any 23 such changes by mail to each affected taxing district and 24 registrant on the interested party registry, to authorize 25 the municipality to expend tax increment revenues for 26 redevelopment project costs defined by paragraphs (5) and

1 (7.5), subparagraphs (E) and (F) of paragraph (11), and 2 paragraph (11.5) of subsection (q) of Section 11-74.4-3, so 3 long as the changes do not increase the total estimated 4 redevelopment project costs set out in the redevelopment 5 plan by more than 5% after adjustment for inflation from 6 the date the plan was adopted.

(o) "Redevelopment project" means any public and private 7 8 development project in furtherance of the objectives of a 9 redevelopment plan. On and after November 1, 1999 (the 10 effective date of Public Act 91-478), no redevelopment plan may 11 be approved or amended that includes the development of vacant 12 land (i) with a golf course and related clubhouse and other 13 facilities or (ii) designated by federal, State, county, or municipal government as public land for outdoor recreational 14 15 activities or for nature preserves and used for that purpose 16 within 5 years prior to the adoption of the redevelopment plan. 17 For the purpose of this subsection, "recreational activities" is limited to mean camping and hunting. 18

(p) "Redevelopment project area" means an area designated by the municipality, which is not less in the aggregate than 1 1/2 acres and in respect to which the municipality has made a finding that there exist conditions which cause the area to be classified as an industrial park conservation area or a blighted area or a conservation area, or a combination of both blighted areas and conservation areas.

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(p-1) Notwithstanding any provision of this Act to the

contrary, on and after August 25, 2009 (the effective date of 1 2 Public Act 96-680), a redevelopment project area may include areas within a one-half mile radius of an existing or proposed 3 Regional Transportation Authority Suburban Transit Access 4 5 Route (STAR Line) station without a finding that the area is classified as an industrial park conservation area, a blighted 6 7 area, a conservation area, or a combination thereof, but only 8 if the municipality receives unanimous consent from the joint 9 review board created to review the proposed redevelopment 10 project area.

11 (p-2) Notwithstanding any provision of this Act to the 12 contrary, on and after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 99th General Assembly, a redevelopment project area 13 may include areas within a transit facility improvement area 14 15 that has been established pursuant to Section 11-74.4-3.3 16 without a finding that the area is classified as an industrial 17 park conservation area, a blighted area, a conservation area, 18 or any combination thereof.

19 "Redevelopment project costs", except (q) for 20 redevelopment project areas created pursuant to subsection (p-1) or (p-2), means and includes the sum total of all 21 22 reasonable or necessary costs incurred or estimated to be 23 incurred, and any such costs incidental to a redevelopment plan and a redevelopment project. Such costs include, without 24 25 limitation, the following:

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(1) Costs of studies, surveys, development of plans,

and specifications, implementation and administration of 1 2 the redevelopment plan including but not limited to staff 3 professional service costs for architectural, and engineering, legal, financial, planning or other services, 4 5 provided however that no charges for professional services 6 mav be based on a percentage of the tax increment 7 collected; except that on and after November 1, 1999 (the effective date of Public Act 91-478), no contracts for 8 9 professional services, excluding architectural and 10 engineering services, may be entered into if the terms of 11 the contract extend beyond a period of 3 years. In 12 addition, "redevelopment project costs" shall not include After 13 lobbying expenses. consultation with the 14 municipality, each tax increment consultant or advisor to a 15 municipality that plans to designate or has designated a 16 redevelopment project area shall inform the municipality 17 in writing of any contracts that the consultant or advisor has entered into with entities or individuals that have 18 19 received, or are receiving, payments financed by tax 20 increment revenues produced by the redevelopment project 21 area with respect to which the consultant or advisor has 22 performed, or will be performing, service for the 23 municipality. This requirement shall be satisfied by the 24 consultant or advisor before the commencement of services 25 for the municipality and thereafter whenever any other 26 contracts with those individuals or entities are executed

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by the consultant or advisor;

(1.5) After July 1, 1999, annual administrative costs
shall not include general overhead or administrative costs
of the municipality that would still have been incurred by
the municipality if the municipality had not designated a
redevelopment project area or approved a redevelopment
plan;

8 (1.6) The cost of marketing sites within the 9 redevelopment project area to prospective businesses, 10 developers, and investors;

11 (2) Property assembly costs, including but not limited 12 to acquisition of land and other property, real or personal, or rights or interests therein, demolition of 13 14 buildings, site preparation, site improvements that serve 15 as an engineered barrier addressing ground level or below 16 ground environmental contamination, including, but not 17 limited to parking lots and other concrete or asphalt barriers, and the clearing and grading of land; 18

19 (3) Costs of rehabilitation, reconstruction or repair 20 or remodeling of existing public or private buildings, 21 fixtures, and leasehold improvements; and the cost of 22 replacing an existing public building if pursuant to the 23 implementation of a redevelopment project the existing public building is to be demolished to use the site for 24 25 private investment or devoted to a different use requiring 26 private investment; including any direct or indirect costs

1 relating to Green Globes or LEED certified construction 2 elements or construction elements with an equivalent 3 certification;

(4) Costs of the construction of public works or 4 5 improvements, including any direct or indirect costs relating to Green Globes or LEED certified construction 6 7 elements or construction elements with an equivalent 8 certification, except that on and after November 1, 1999, 9 redevelopment project costs shall not include the cost of 10 constructing a new municipal public building principally 11 used to provide offices, storage space, or conference 12 facilities or vehicle storage, maintenance, or repair for administrative, public safety, or public works personnel 13 14 and that is not intended to replace an existing public 15 building as provided under paragraph (3) of subsection (q) 16 of Section 11-74.4-3 unless either (i) the construction of 17 the new municipal building implements a redevelopment project that was included in a redevelopment plan that was 18 19 adopted by the municipality prior to November 1, 1999, (ii) 20 the municipality makes a reasonable determination in the 21 redevelopment plan, supported by information that provides 22 the basis for that determination, that the new municipal 23 building is required to meet an increase in the need for 24 public safety purposes anticipated to result from the 25 implementation of the redevelopment plan, or (iii) the new 26 municipal public building is for the storage, maintenance,

1 or repair of transit vehicles and is located in a transit 2 facility improvement area that has been established 3 pursuant to Section 11-74.4-3.3;

4 (5) Costs of job training and retraining projects,
5 including the cost of "welfare to work" programs
6 implemented by businesses located within the redevelopment
7 project area;

8 (6) Financing costs, including but not limited to all 9 necessary and incidental expenses related to the issuance 10 of obligations and which may include payment of interest on 11 any obligations issued hereunder including interest 12 accruing during the estimated period of construction of any redevelopment project for which such obligations 13 are 14 issued and for not exceeding 36 months thereafter and 15 including reasonable reserves related thereto;

16 (7) To the extent the municipality by written agreement 17 accepts and approves the same, all or a portion of a taxing 18 district's capital costs resulting from the redevelopment 19 project necessarily incurred or to be incurred within a 20 taxing district in furtherance of the objectives of the 21 redevelopment plan and project;

(7.5) For redevelopment project areas designated (or redevelopment project areas amended to add or increase the number of tax-increment-financing assisted housing units) on or after November 1, 1999, an elementary, secondary, or unit school district's increased costs attributable to

assisted housing units located within the redevelopment 1 2 project area for which the developer or redeveloper 3 receives financial assistance through an agreement with the municipality or because the municipality incurs the 4 5 cost of necessary infrastructure improvements within the 6 boundaries of the assisted housing sites necessary for the 7 completion of that housing as authorized by this Act, and 8 which costs shall be paid by the municipality from the 9 Special Tax Allocation Fund when the tax increment revenue 10 is received as a result of the assisted housing units and 11 shall be calculated annually as follows:

12 (A) for foundation districts, excluding any school 13 district in a municipality with a population in excess 14 of 1,000,000, by multiplying the district's increase 15 in attendance resulting from the net increase in new 16 students enrolled in that school district who reside in 17 housing units within the redevelopment project area that have received financial assistance through an 18 19 agreement with the municipality or because the 20 municipality incurs the cost of necessarv 21 infrastructure improvements within the boundaries of 22 the housing sites necessary for the completion of that 23 housing as authorized by this Act since the designation 24 of the redevelopment project area by the most recently 25 available per capita tuition cost as defined in Section 26 10-20.12a of the School Code less any increase in

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general State aid as defined in Section 18-8.05 of the School Code or evidence-based funding as defined in Section 18-8.15 of the School Code attributable to these added new students subject to the following annual limitations:

(i) for unit school districts with a district average 1995-96 Per Capita Tuition Charge of less than \$5,900, no more than 25% of the total amount of property tax increment revenue produced by those housing units that have received tax increment finance assistance under this Act;

(ii) for elementary school districts with a district average 1995-96 Per Capita Tuition Charge of less than \$5,900, no more than 17% of the total amount of property tax increment revenue produced by those housing units that have received tax increment finance assistance under this Act; and

(iii) for secondary school districts with a district average 1995-96 Per Capita Tuition Charge of less than \$5,900, no more than 8% of the total amount of property tax increment revenue produced by those housing units that have received tax increment finance assistance under this Act.

(B) For alternate method districts, flat grant
 districts, and foundation districts with a district
 average 1995-96 Per Capita Tuition Charge equal to or

more than \$5,900, excluding any school district with a 1 population in excess of 1,000,000, by multiplying the 2 district's increase in attendance resulting from the 3 net increase in new students enrolled in that school 4 5 district who reside in housing units within the received 6 redevelopment project area that have 7 financial assistance through an agreement with the municipality or because the municipality incurs the 8 9 cost of necessary infrastructure improvements within 10 the boundaries of the housing sites necessary for the 11 completion of that housing as authorized by this Act 12 since the designation of the redevelopment project 13 area by the most recently available per capita tuition cost as defined in Section 10-20.12a of the School Code 14 15 less any increase in general state aid as defined in 16 Section 18-8.05 of the School Code or evidence-based 17 funding as defined in Section 18-8.15 of the School Code attributable to these added new students subject 18 19 to the following annual limitations:

20 (i) for unit school districts, no more than 40%
21 of the total amount of property tax increment
22 revenue produced by those housing units that have
23 received tax increment finance assistance under
24 this Act;

(ii) for elementary school districts, no more
than 27% of the total amount of property tax

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increment revenue produced by those housing units that have received tax increment finance assistance under this Act; and

4 (iii) for secondary school districts, no more 5 than 13% of the total amount of property tax 6 increment revenue produced by those housing units 7 that have received tax increment finance 8 assistance under this Act.

9 (C) For any school district in a municipality with 10 a population in excess of 1,000,000, the following 11 restrictions shall apply to the reimbursement of 12 increased costs under this paragraph (7.5):

13 (i) no increased costs shall be reimbursed 14 unless the school district certifies that each of 15 the schools affected by the assisted housing 16 project is at or over its student capacity;

(ii) the amount reimbursable shall be reduced by the value of any land donated to the school district by the municipality or developer, and by the value of any physical improvements made to the schools by the municipality or developer; and

(iii) the amount reimbursed may not affect
amounts otherwise obligated by the terms of any
bonds, notes, or other funding instruments, or the
terms of any redevelopment agreement.

Any school district seeking payment under this

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paragraph (7.5) shall, after July 1 and before 1 September 30 of each year, provide the municipality 2 3 with reasonable evidence to support its claim for reimbursement before the municipality 4 shall be 5 required to approve or make the payment to the school district. If the school district fails to provide the 6 7 information during this period in any year, it shall 8 forfeit any claim to reimbursement for that year. 9 School districts may adopt a resolution waiving the 10 right to all or a portion of the reimbursement 11 otherwise required by this paragraph (7.5).By 12 acceptance of this reimbursement the school district waives the right to directly or indirectly set aside, 13 14 modify, or contest in any manner the establishment of 15 the redevelopment project area or projects;

16 (7.7) For redevelopment project areas designated (or 17 redevelopment project areas amended to add or increase the number of tax-increment-financing assisted housing units) 18 19 on or after January 1, 2005 (the effective date of Public 20 Act 93-961), a public library district's increased costs attributable to assisted housing units located within the 21 22 redevelopment project area for which the developer or 23 redeveloper receives financial assistance through an 24 agreement with the municipality or because the 25 municipality incurs the cost of necessary infrastructure 26 improvements within the boundaries of the assisted housing

sites necessary for the completion of that housing as 1 2 authorized by this Act shall be paid to the library 3 district by the municipality from the Special Tax Allocation Fund when the tax increment revenue is received 4 5 as a result of the assisted housing units. This paragraph 6 (7.7) applies only if (i) the library district is located 7 in a county that is subject to the Property Tax Extension 8 Limitation Law or (ii) the library district is not located 9 in a county that is subject to the Property Tax Extension 10 Limitation Law but the district is prohibited by any other 11 law from increasing its tax levy rate without a prior voter 12 referendum.

The amount paid to a library district under this 13 14 paragraph (7.7) shall be calculated by multiplying (i) the 15 net increase in the number of persons eligible to obtain a 16 library card in that district who reside in housing units 17 within the redevelopment project area that have received assistance through an 18 financial agreement with the 19 municipality or because the municipality incurs the cost of 20 necessarv infrastructure improvements within the 21 boundaries of the housing sites necessary for the 22 completion of that housing as authorized by this Act since 23 the designation of the redevelopment project area by (ii) 24 the per-patron cost of providing library services so long 25 as it does not exceed \$120. The per-patron cost shall be 26 the Total Operating Expenditures Per Capita for the library

in the previous fiscal year. The municipality may deduct 1 2 from the amount that it must pay to a library district 3 under this paragraph any amount that it has voluntarily paid to the library district from the tax increment 4 5 revenue. The amount paid to a library district under this paragraph (7.7) shall be no more than 2% of the amount 6 7 produced by the assisted housing units and deposited into 8 the Special Tax Allocation Fund.

9 A library district is not eligible for any payment 10 under this paragraph (7.7) unless the library district has 11 experienced an increase in the number of patrons from the 12 municipality that created the tax-increment-financing 13 district since the designation of the redevelopment 14 project area.

15 Any library district seeking payment under this 16 paragraph (7.7) shall, after July 1 and before September 30 17 of each year, provide the municipality with convincing evidence to support its claim for reimbursement before the 18 19 municipality shall be required to approve or make the 20 payment to the library district. If the library district 21 fails to provide the information during this period in any 22 year, it shall forfeit any claim to reimbursement for that 23 year. Library districts may adopt a resolution waiving the 24 right to all or a portion of the reimbursement otherwise 25 required by this paragraph (7.7). By acceptance of such 26 reimbursement, the library district shall forfeit any

1 right to directly or indirectly set aside, modify, or 2 contest in any manner whatsoever the establishment of the 3 redevelopment project area or projects;

4 (8) Relocation costs to the extent that a municipality 5 determines that relocation costs shall be paid or is 6 required to make payment of relocation costs by federal or 7 State law or in order to satisfy subparagraph (7) of 8 subsection (n);

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(9) Payment in lieu of taxes;

(10) Costs of job training, retraining, advanced 10 11 vocational education or career education, including but 12 not limited to courses in occupational, semi-technical or technical fields leading directly to employment, incurred 13 14 by one or more taxing districts, provided that such costs 15 (i) are related to the establishment and maintenance of 16 additional job training, advanced vocational education or 17 career education programs for persons employed or to be employed by employers located in a redevelopment project 18 19 area; and (ii) when incurred by a taxing district or taxing 20 districts other than the municipality, are set forth in a 21 written agreement by or among the municipality and the 22 taxing district or taxing districts, which agreement 23 describes the program to be undertaken, including but not 24 limited to the number of employees to be trained, a 25 description of the training and services to be provided, 26 the number and type of positions available or to be

available, itemized costs of the program and sources of
funds to pay for the same, and the term of the agreement.
Such costs include, specifically, the payment by community
college districts of costs pursuant to Sections 3-37, 3-38,
3-40 and 3-40.1 of the Public Community College Act and by
school districts of costs pursuant to Sections 10-22.20a
and 10-23.3a of the School Code;

8 (11) Interest cost incurred by a redeveloper related to 9 the construction, renovation or rehabilitation of a 10 redevelopment project provided that:

11 (A) such costs are to be paid directly from the 12 special tax allocation fund established pursuant to 13 this Act;

(B) such payments in any one year may not exceed
30% of the annual interest costs incurred by the
redeveloper with regard to the redevelopment project
during that year;

(C) if there are not sufficient funds available in the special tax allocation fund to make the payment pursuant to this paragraph (11) then the amounts so due shall accrue and be payable when sufficient funds are available in the special tax allocation fund;

(D) the total of such interest payments paid
pursuant to this Act may not exceed 30% of the total
(i) cost paid or incurred by the redeveloper for the
redevelopment project plus (ii) redevelopment project

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costs excluding any property assembly costs and any relocation costs incurred by a municipality pursuant to this Act;

(E) the cost limits set forth in subparagraphs (B) 4 5 and (D) of paragraph (11) shall be modified for the financing of rehabilitated or new housing units for 6 low-income households and very low-income households, 7 as defined in Section 3 of the Illinois Affordable 8 9 Housing Act. The percentage of 75% shall be substituted 10 for 30% in subparagraphs (B) and (D) of paragraph (11); 11 and

12 (F) instead of the eligible costs provided by 13 subparagraphs (B) and (D) of paragraph (11), as 14 modified by this subparagraph, and notwithstanding any 15 other provisions of this Act to the contrary, the 16 municipality may pay from tax increment revenues up to 17 50% of the cost of construction of new housing units to occupied by low-income households 18 and verv be low-income households as defined in Section 3 of the 19 20 Illinois Affordable Housing Act. The cost of 21 construction of those units may be derived from the 22 proceeds of bonds issued by the municipality under this 23 Act or other constitutional or statutory authority or 24 from other sources of municipal revenue that may be 25 reimbursed from tax increment revenues or the proceeds 26 of bonds issued to finance the construction of that - 50 - LRB100 18158 AWJ 33354 b

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2 this The eligible costs provided under 3 subparagraph (F) of paragraph (11) shall be an eligible the for construction, renovation, 4 cost and 5 rehabilitation of all low and very low-income housing defined in Section 3 of 6 units, as the Illinois 7 Affordable Housing Act, within the redevelopment project area. If the low and very low-income units are 8 9 part of a residential redevelopment project that 10 includes units not affordable to low and verv 11 low-income households, only the low and very 12 low-income units shall be eligible for benefits under this subparagraph (F) of paragraph (11). The standards 13 14 for maintaining the occupancy by low-income households 15 and very low-income households, as defined in Section 3 16 of the Illinois Affordable Housing Act, of those units constructed with eligible costs made available under 17 the provisions of this subparagraph (F) of paragraph 18 19 (11) shall be established by guidelines adopted by the 20 municipality. The responsibility for annually 21 documenting the initial occupancy of the units by 22 low-income households and very low-income households, 23 as defined in Section 3 of the Illinois Affordable 24 Housing Act, shall be that of the then current owner of 25 the property. For ownership units, the guidelines will 26 provide, at a minimum, for a reasonable recapture of

funds, or other appropriate methods designed to 1 2 preserve the original affordability of the ownership 3 units. For rental units, the guidelines will provide, at a minimum, for the affordability of rent to low and 4 5 very low-income households. As units become available, 6 they shall be rented to income-eligible tenants. The 7 municipality may modify these guidelines from time to time; the quidelines, however, shall be in effect for 8 9 as long as tax increment revenue is being used to pay 10 for costs associated with the units or for the 11 retirement of bonds issued to finance the units or for 12 the life of the redevelopment project area, whichever 13 is later;

14 (11.5) If the redevelopment project area is located 15 within a municipality with a population of more than 16 100,000, the cost of day care services for children of 17 employees from low-income families working for businesses located within the redevelopment project area and all or a 18 19 portion of the cost of operation of day care centers 20 established by redevelopment project area businesses to 21 serve employees from low-income families working in 22 businesses located in the redevelopment project area. For 23 the purposes of this paragraph, "low-income families" 24 means families whose annual income does not exceed 80% of 25 the municipal, county, or regional median income, adjusted 26 for family size, as the annual income and municipal,

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county, or regional median income are determined from time to time by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development;-

(12) For any school district in a municipality with a 4 5 population in excess of 1,000,000, the costs associated with employing qualified workers, as defined in Section 6 7 14-1.10 of the School Code, the costs of providing special 8 educational facilities and services, as defined in Section 9 14-1.08 of the School Code, school psychological services, 10 as defined in Section 14-1.09.1 of the School Code, or 11 school social work services, as defined in Section 12 14-1.09.2 of the School Code.

13 Unless explicitly stated herein the cost of construction of 14 new privately-owned buildings shall not be an eligible 15 redevelopment project cost.

16 After November 1, 1999 (the effective date of Public Act 17 91-478), none of the redevelopment project costs enumerated in this subsection shall be eligible redevelopment project costs 18 if those costs would provide direct financial support to a 19 retail entity initiating operations in the redevelopment 20 project area while terminating operations at another Illinois 21 22 location within 10 miles of the redevelopment project area but 23 outside the boundaries of the redevelopment project area 24 municipality. For purposes of this paragraph, termination 25 means a closing of a retail operation that is directly related 26 to the opening of the same operation or like retail entity owned or operated by more than 50% of the original ownership in a redevelopment project area, but it does not mean closing an operation for reasons beyond the control of the retail entity, as documented by the retail entity, subject to a reasonable finding by the municipality that the current location contained inadequate space, had become economically obsolete, or was no longer a viable location for the retailer or serviceman.

8 No cost shall be a redevelopment project cost in a 9 redevelopment project area if used to demolish, remove, or 10 substantially modify a historic resource, after August 26, 2008 11 (the effective date of Public Act 95-934), unless no prudent 12 and feasible alternative exists. "Historic resource" for the purpose of this paragraph means (i) a place or structure that 13 is included or eligible for inclusion on the National Register 14 15 of Historic Places or (ii) a contributing structure in a district on the National Register of Historic Places. This 16 17 paragraph does not apply to a place or structure for which demolition, removal, or modification is subject to review by 18 the preservation agency of a Certified Local Government 19 20 designated as such by the National Park Service of the United States Department of the Interior. 21

If a special service area has been established pursuant to the Special Service Area Tax Act or Special Service Area Tax Law, then any tax increment revenues derived from the tax imposed pursuant to the Special Service Area Tax Act or Special Service Area Tax Law may be used within the redevelopment

project area for the purposes permitted by that Act or Law as
 well as the purposes permitted by this Act.

3 (q-1) For redevelopment project areas created pursuant to 4 subsection (p-1), redevelopment project costs are limited to 5 those costs in paragraph (q) that are related to the existing 6 or proposed Regional Transportation Authority Suburban Transit 7 Access Route (STAR Line) station.

8 (q-2) For a redevelopment project area located within a 9 transit facility improvement area established pursuant to 10 Section 11-74.4-3.3, redevelopment project costs means those 11 costs described in subsection (q) that are related to the 12 construction, reconstruction, rehabilitation, remodeling, or 13 repair of any existing or proposed transit facility.

(r) "State Sales Tax Boundary" means the redevelopment project area or the amended redevelopment project area boundaries which are determined pursuant to subsection (9) of Section 11-74.4-8a of this Act. The Department of Revenue shall certify pursuant to subsection (9) of Section 11-74.4-8a the appropriate boundaries eligible for the determination of State Sales Tax Increment.

(s) "State Sales Tax Increment" means an amount equal to the increase in the aggregate amount of taxes paid by retailers and servicemen, other than retailers and servicemen subject to the Public Utilities Act, on transactions at places of business located within a State Sales Tax Boundary pursuant to the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act, the Use Tax Act, the Service Use

Tax Act, and the Service Occupation Tax Act, except such 1 2 portion of such increase that is paid into the State and Local Sales Tax Reform Fund, the Local Government Distributive Fund, 3 the Local Government Tax Fund and the County and Mass Transit 4 5 District Fund, for as long as State participation exists, over and above the Initial Sales Tax Amounts, Adjusted Initial Sales 6 7 Tax Amounts or the Revised Initial Sales Tax Amounts for such 8 taxes as certified by the Department of Revenue and paid under 9 those Acts by retailers and servicemen on transactions at 10 places of business located within the State Sales Tax Boundary 11 during the base year which shall be the calendar year 12 immediately prior to the year in which the municipality adopted 13 tax increment allocation financing, less 3.0% of such amounts 14 generated under the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act, Use Tax Act 15 and Service Use Tax Act and the Service Occupation Tax Act, 16 which sum shall be appropriated to the Department of Revenue to 17 cover its costs of administering and enforcing this Section. For purposes of computing the aggregate amount of such taxes 18 19 for base years occurring prior to 1985, the Department of 20 Revenue shall compute the Initial Sales Tax Amount for such taxes and deduct therefrom an amount equal to 4% of the 21 22 aggregate amount of taxes per year for each year the base year 23 is prior to 1985, but not to exceed a total deduction of 12%. 24 The amount so determined shall be known as the "Adjusted 25 Initial Sales Tax Amount". For purposes of determining the 26 State Sales Tax Increment the Department of Revenue shall for

each period subtract from the tax amounts received from 1 2 retailers and servicemen on transactions located in the State 3 Sales Tax Boundary, the certified Initial Sales Tax Amounts, Adjusted Initial Sales Tax Amounts or Revised Initial Sales Tax 4 5 Amounts for the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act, the Use Tax Act, 6 the Service Use Tax Act and the Service Occupation Tax Act. For the State Fiscal Year 1989 this calculation shall be made by 7 8 utilizing the calendar year 1987 to determine the tax amounts 9 received. For the State Fiscal Year 1990, this calculation 10 shall be made by utilizing the period from January 1, 1988, 11 until September 30, 1988, to determine the tax amounts received 12 from retailers and servicemen, which shall have deducted therefrom nine-twelfths of the certified Initial Sales Tax 13 14 Amounts, Adjusted Initial Sales Tax Amounts or the Revised Initial Sales Tax Amounts as appropriate. For the State Fiscal 15 16 Year 1991, this calculation shall be made by utilizing the 17 period from October 1, 1988, until June 30, 1989, to determine the tax amounts received from retailers and servicemen, which 18 shall have deducted therefrom nine-twelfths of the certified 19 20 Initial State Sales Tax Amounts, Adjusted Initial Sales Tax Revised 21 Amounts or the Initial Sales Tax Amounts as 22 appropriate. For every State Fiscal Year thereafter, the 23 applicable period shall be the 12 months beginning July 1 and ending on June 30, to determine the tax amounts received which 24 25 shall have deducted therefrom the certified Initial Sales Tax 26 Amounts, Adjusted Initial Sales Tax Amounts or the Revised

Initial Sales Tax Amounts. Municipalities intending to receive
 a distribution of State Sales Tax Increment must report a list
 of retailers to the Department of Revenue by October 31, 1988
 and by July 31, of each year thereafter.

5 (t) "Taxing districts" means counties, townships, cities 6 and incorporated towns and villages, school, road, park, 7 sanitary, mosquito abatement, forest preserve, public health, 8 fire protection, river conservancy, tuberculosis sanitarium 9 and any other municipal corporations or districts with the 10 power to levy taxes.

(u) "Taxing districts' capital costs" means those costs of taxing districts for capital improvements that are found by the municipal corporate authorities to be necessary and directly result from the redevelopment project.

15 (v) As used in subsection (a) of Section 11-74.4-3 of this 16 Act, "vacant land" means any parcel or combination of parcels 17 property without industrial, commercial, of real and residential buildings which has not been used for commercial 18 agricultural purposes within 5 years prior to the designation 19 20 of the redevelopment project area, unless the parcel is included in an industrial park conservation area or the parcel 21 22 has been subdivided; provided that if the parcel was part of a 23 larger tract that has been divided into 3 or more smaller 24 tracts that were accepted for recording during the period from 25 1950 to 1990, then the parcel shall be deemed to have been 26 subdivided, and all proceedings and actions of the municipality

taken in that connection with respect to any previously 1 approved or designated redevelopment project area or amended 2 3 redevelopment project area are hereby validated and hereby declared to be legally sufficient for all purposes of this Act. 4 5 For purposes of this Section and only for land subject to the subdivision requirements of the Plat Act, land is subdivided 6 7 when the original plat of the proposed Redevelopment Project 8 Area or relevant portion thereof has been properly certified, 9 acknowledged, approved, and recorded or filed in accordance 10 with the Plat Act and a preliminary plat, if any, for any 11 subsequent phases of the proposed Redevelopment Project Area or 12 relevant portion thereof has been properly approved and filed 13 applicable in accordance with the ordinance of the 14 municipality.

15 (w) "Annual Total Increment" means the sum of each 16 municipality's annual Net Sales Tax Increment and each 17 municipality's annual Net Utility Tax Increment. The ratio of the Annual Total Increment of each municipality to the Annual 18 19 Total Increment for all municipalities, as most recently 20 calculated by the Department, shall determine the proportional shares of the Illinois Tax Increment Fund to be distributed to 21 22 each municipality.

(x) "LEED certified" means any certification level of construction elements by a qualified Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design Accredited Professional as determined by the U.S. Green Building Council.

(y) "Green Globes certified" means any certification level
 of construction elements by a qualified Green Globes
 Professional as determined by the Green Building Initiative.
 (Source: P.A. 99-792, eff. 8-12-16; 100-201, eff. 8-18-17;
 100-465, eff. 8-31-17.)

6 (65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5) (from Ch. 24, par. 11-74.4-5)

7 Sec. 11-74.4-5. Public hearing; joint review board.

8 (a) The changes made by this amendatory Act of the 91st 9 General Assembly do not apply to a municipality that, (i) 10 before the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 91st 11 General Assembly, has adopted an ordinance or resolution fixing 12 a time and place for a public hearing under this Section or (ii) before July 1, 1999, has adopted an ordinance or 13 resolution providing for a feasibility study under Section 14 15 11-74.4-4.1, but has not yet adopted an ordinance approving 16 redevelopment plans and redevelopment projects or designating redevelopment project areas under Section 11-74.4-4, until 17 18 after that municipality adopts an ordinance approving 19 redevelopment plans and redevelopment projects or designating 20 redevelopment project areas under Section 11-74.4-4; 21 thereafter the changes made by this amendatory Act of the 91st 22 General Assembly apply to the same extent that they apply to 23 redevelopment plans and redevelopment projects that were 24 approved and redevelopment projects that were designated 25 before the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 91st

1 General Assembly.

2 Prior to the adoption of an ordinance proposing the designation of a redevelopment project area, or approving a 3 redevelopment plan or redevelopment project, the municipality 4 5 by its corporate authorities, or as it may determine by any 6 under subsection commission designated (k) of Section 11-74.4-4 shall adopt an ordinance or resolution fixing a time 7 8 and place for public hearing. At least 10 days prior to the 9 adoption of the ordinance or resolution establishing the time 10 and place for the public hearing, the municipality shall make 11 available for public inspection a redevelopment plan or a 12 separate report that provides in reasonable detail the basis 13 for the eligibility of the redevelopment project area. The report along with the name of a person to contact for further 14 information shall be sent within a reasonable time after the 15 adoption of such ordinance or resolution to the affected taxing 16 17 districts by certified mail. On and after the effective date of amendatory Act of the 91st General Assembly, 18 this the 19 municipality shall print in a newspaper of general circulation within the municipality a notice that interested persons may 20 register with the municipality in order to receive information 21 22 on the proposed designation of a redevelopment project area or 23 the approval of a redevelopment plan. The notice shall state the place of registration and the operating hours of that 24 25 place. The municipality shall have adopted reasonable rules to 26 implement this registration process under Section 11-74.4-4.2.

The municipality shall provide notice of the availability of 1 2 the redevelopment plan and eligibility report, including how to obtain this information, by mail within a reasonable time after 3 the adoption of the ordinance or resolution, to all residential 4 5 addresses that, after a good faith effort, the municipality determines are located outside the proposed redevelopment 6 7 project area and within 750 feet of the boundaries of the 8 proposed redevelopment project area. This requirement is 9 subject to the limitation that in a municipality with a population of over 100,000, if the total number of residential 10 11 addresses outside the proposed redevelopment project area and 12 within 750 feet of the boundaries of the proposed redevelopment project area exceeds 750, the municipality shall be required to 13 provide the notice to only the 750 residential addresses that, 14 after a good faith effort, the municipality determines are 15 16 outside the proposed redevelopment project area and closest to 17 the boundaries of the proposed redevelopment project area. Notwithstanding the foregoing, notice given after August 7, 18 2001 (the effective date of Public Act 92-263) and before the 19 20 effective date of this amendatory Act of the 92nd General Assembly to residential addresses within 750 feet of the 21 22 boundaries of a proposed redevelopment project area shall be 23 deemed to have been sufficiently given in compliance with this Act if given only to residents outside the boundaries of the 24 proposed redevelopment project area. The notice shall also be 25 26 provided by the municipality, regardless of its population, to

those organizations and residents that have registered with the municipality for that information in accordance with the registration guidelines established by the municipality under Section 11-74.4-4.2.

5 At the public hearing any interested person or affected taxing district may file with the municipal clerk written 6 7 objections to and may be heard orally in respect to any issues 8 embodied in the notice. The municipality shall hear all 9 protests and objections at the hearing and the hearing may be 10 adjourned to another date without further notice other than a 11 motion to be entered upon the minutes fixing the time and place 12 of the subsequent hearing. At the public hearing or at any time prior to the adoption by the municipality of an ordinance 13 14 approving a redevelopment plan, the municipality may make 15 changes in the redevelopment plan. Changes which (1) add 16 additional parcels of property to the proposed redevelopment 17 project area, (2) substantially affect the general land uses proposed in the redevelopment plan, (3) substantially change 18 the nature of or extend the life of the redevelopment project, 19 20 or (4) increase the number of inhabited residential units to be 21 displaced from the redevelopment project area, as measured from 22 the time of creation of the redevelopment project area, to a 23 total of more than 10, shall be made only after the municipality gives notice, convenes a joint review board, and 24 25 conducts a public hearing pursuant to the procedures set forth in this Section and in Section 11-74.4-6 of this Act. Changes 26

which do not (1) add additional parcels of property to the 1 2 proposed redevelopment project area, (2) substantially affect 3 the general land uses proposed in the redevelopment plan, (3) substantially change the nature of or extend the life of the 4 5 redevelopment project, or (4) increase the number of inhabited residential units to be displaced from the redevelopment 6 7 project area, as measured from the time of creation of the redevelopment project area, to a total of more than 10, may be 8 9 made without further hearing, provided that the municipality 10 shall give notice of any such changes by mail to each affected 11 taxing district and registrant on the interested parties 12 registry, provided for under Section 11-74.4-4.2, and by publication in a newspaper of general circulation within the 13 affected taxing district. Such notice by mail and by 14 15 publication shall each occur not later than 10 days following the adoption by ordinance of such changes. Hearings with regard 16 17 to a redevelopment project area, project or plan may be held 18 simultaneously.

19 (b) Prior to holding a public hearing to approve or amend a 20 redevelopment plan or to designate or add additional parcels of property to a redevelopment project area, the municipality 21 22 shall convene a joint review board. The board shall consist of 23 a representative selected by each community college district, local elementary school district and high school district or 24 25 each local community unit school district, park district, library district, township, fire protection district, and 26

1 county that will have the authority to directly levy taxes on 2 the property within the proposed redevelopment project area at 3 the time that the proposed redevelopment project area is 4 approved, a representative selected by the municipality and a 5 public member. The public member shall first be selected and 6 then the board's chairperson shall be selected by a majority of 7 the board members present and voting.

8 For redevelopment project areas with redevelopment plans 9 or proposed redevelopment plans that would result in the 10 displacement of residents from 10 or more inhabited residential 11 units or that include 75 or more inhabited residential units, 12 the public member shall be a person who resides in the 13 redevelopment project area. If, as determined by the housing 14 impact study provided for in paragraph (5) of subsection (n) of Section 11-74.4-3, or if no housing impact study is required 15 16 then based on other reasonable data, the majority of 17 residential units are occupied by very low, low, or moderate income households, as defined in Section 3 of the Illinois 18 19 Affordable Housing Act, the public member shall be a person who 20 resides in very low, low, or moderate income housing within the redevelopment project area. Municipalities with fewer than 21 22 15,000 residents shall not be required to select a person who 23 lives in very low, low, or moderate income housing within the redevelopment project area, provided that the redevelopment 24 25 plan or project will not result in displacement of residents from 10 or more inhabited units, and the municipality so 26

1 certifies in the plan. If no person satisfying these 2 requirements is available or if no qualified person will serve 3 as the public member, then the joint review board is relieved 4 of this paragraph's selection requirements for the public 5 member.

6 Within 90 days of the effective date of this amendatory Act 7 of the 91st General Assembly, each municipality that designated 8 a redevelopment project area for which it was not required to 9 convene a joint review board under this Section shall convene a 10 joint review board to perform the duties specified under 11 paragraph (e) of this Section.

12 All board members shall be appointed and the first board 13 meeting shall be held at least 14 days but not more than 28 days after the mailing of notice by the municipality to the 14 15 taxing districts as required by Section 11-74.4-6(c). 16 Notwithstanding the preceding sentence, a municipality that 17 adopted either a public hearing resolution or a feasibility resolution between July 1, 1999 and July 1, 2000 that called 18 for the meeting of the joint review board within 14 days of 19 20 notice of public hearing to affected taxing districts is deemed to be in compliance with the notice, meeting, and public 21 22 hearing provisions of the Act. Such notice shall also advise 23 the taxing bodies represented on the joint review board of the time and place of the first meeting of the board. Additional 24 25 meetings of the board shall be held upon the call of any 26 member. The municipality seeking designation of the

redevelopment project area shall provide administrative
 support to the board.

The board shall review (i) the public record, planning 3 documents and proposed ordinances approving the redevelopment 4 5 and project and (ii) proposed amendments to the plan redevelopment plan or additions of parcels of property to the 6 7 redevelopment project area to be adopted by the municipality. 8 As part of its deliberations, the board may hold additional 9 hearings on the proposal. A board's recommendation shall be an 10 advisory, non-binding recommendation. The recommendation shall 11 be adopted by a majority of those members present and voting. 12 The recommendations shall be submitted to the municipality within 30 days after convening of the board. Failure of the 13 14 board to submit its report on a timely basis shall not be cause 15 to delay the public hearing or any other step in the process of 16 designating or amending the redevelopment project area but 17 shall be deemed to constitute approval by the joint review board of the matters before it. 18

19 The board shall base its recommendation to approve or 20 disapprove the redevelopment plan and the designation of the 21 redevelopment project area or the amendment of the 22 redevelopment plan or addition of parcels of property to the 23 redevelopment project area on the basis of the redevelopment 24 project area and redevelopment plan satisfying the plan 25 requirements, the eligibility criteria defined in Section 26 11-74.4-3, and the objectives of this Act.

The board shall issue a written report describing why the 1 2 redevelopment plan and project area or the amendment thereof 3 meets or fails to meet one or more of the objectives of this Act and both the plan requirements and the eligibility criteria 4 defined in Section 11-74.4-3. In the event the Board does not 5 file a report it shall be presumed that these taxing bodies 6 7 find the redevelopment project area and redevelopment plan 8 satisfy the objectives of this Act and the plan requirements 9 and eligibility criteria.

10 If the board recommends rejection of the matters before it, 11 the municipality will have 30 days within which to resubmit the 12 plan or amendment. During this period, the municipality will 13 meet and confer with the board and attempt to resolve those 14 issues set forth in the board's written report that led to the 15 rejection of the plan or amendment.

16 Notwithstanding the resubmission set forth above, the 17 municipality may commence the scheduled public hearing and either adjourn the public hearing or continue the public 18 hearing until a date certain. Prior to continuing any public 19 20 hearing to a date certain, the municipality shall announce during the public hearing the time, date, and location for the 21 22 reconvening of the public hearing. Any changes to the 23 redevelopment plan necessary to satisfy the issues set forth in the joint review board report shall be the subject of a public 24 25 hearing before the hearing is adjourned if the changes would 26 (1) substantially affect the general land uses proposed in the

redevelopment plan, (2) substantially change the nature of or 1 2 extend the life of the redevelopment project, or (3) increase 3 the number of inhabited residential units to be displaced from the redevelopment project area, as measured from the time of 4 5 creation of the redevelopment project area, to a total of more than 10. Changes to the redevelopment plan necessary to satisfy 6 7 the issues set forth in the joint review board report shall not 8 require any further notice or convening of a joint review board 9 meeting, except that any changes to the redevelopment plan that 10 would add additional parcels of property to the proposed 11 redevelopment project area shall be subject to the notice, 12 public hearing, and joint review board meeting requirements 13 established for such changes by subsection (a) of Section $11 - 74 \cdot 4 - 5$. 14

15 In the event that the municipality and the board are unable 16 to resolve these differences, or in the event that the 17 resubmitted plan or amendment is rejected by the board, the municipality may proceed with the plan or amendment, but only 18 19 upon a three-fifths vote of the corporate authority responsible 20 for approval of the plan or amendment, excluding positions of 21 members that are vacant and those members that are ineligible 22 to vote because of conflicts of interest.

(c) After a municipality has by ordinance approved a redevelopment plan and designated a redevelopment project area, the plan may be amended and additional properties may be added to the redevelopment project area only as herein

provided. Amendments which (1) add additional parcels of 1 2 property to the proposed redevelopment project area, (2)substantially affect the general land uses proposed in the 3 redevelopment plan, (3) substantially change the nature of the 4 5 redevelopment project, (4) increase the total estimated 6 redevelopment project costs set out in the redevelopment plan 7 by more than 5% after adjustment for inflation from the date 8 the plan was adopted, (5) add additional redevelopment project 9 costs to the itemized list of redevelopment project costs set 10 out in the redevelopment plan, or (6) increase the number of 11 inhabited residential units to be displaced from the 12 redevelopment project area, as measured from the time of 13 creation of the redevelopment project area, to a total of more 14 than 10, shall be made only after the municipality gives 15 notice, convenes a joint review board, and conducts a public 16 hearing pursuant to the procedures set forth in this Section 17 and in Section 11-74.4-6 of this Act. Changes which do not (1) additional parcels of property to 18 add the proposed 19 redevelopment project area, (2) substantially affect the 20 general land uses proposed in the redevelopment plan, (3) substantially change the nature of the redevelopment project, 21 22 (4) increase the total estimated redevelopment project cost set 23 out in the redevelopment plan by more than 5% after adjustment 24 for inflation from the date the plan was adopted, (5) add 25 additional redevelopment project costs to the itemized list of 26 redevelopment project costs set out in the redevelopment plan,

or (6) increase the number of inhabited residential units to be 1 displaced from the redevelopment project area, as measured from 2 3 the time of creation of the redevelopment project area, to a total of more than 10, may be made without further public 4 5 hearing and related notices and procedures including the convening of a joint review board as set forth in Section 6 11-74.4-6 of this Act, provided that the municipality shall 7 8 give notice of any such changes by mail to each affected taxing 9 district and registrant on the interested parties registry, 10 provided for under Section 11-74.4-4.2, and by publication in a 11 newspaper of general circulation within the affected taxing 12 district. Such notice by mail and by publication shall each 13 occur not later than 10 days following the adoption by 14 ordinance of such changes.

15 (d) After the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 16 91st General Assembly, a municipality shall submit in an 17 format the following information for each electronic redevelopment project area (i) to the State Comptroller under 18 Section 8-8-3.5 of the Illinois Municipal Code, subject to any 19 20 extensions or exemptions provided at the Comptroller's discretion under that Section, and (ii) to all taxing districts 21 22 overlapping the redevelopment project area no later than 180 23 days after the close of each municipal fiscal year or as soon audited financial 24 thereafter as the statements become 25 available and, in any case, shall be submitted before the 26 annual meeting of the Joint Review Board to each of the taxing 1 districts that overlap the redevelopment project area:

2 (1) Any amendments to the redevelopment plan, the 3 redevelopment project area, or the State Sales Tax 4 Boundary.

5 (1.5) A list of the redevelopment project areas 6 administered by the municipality and, if applicable, the 7 date each redevelopment project area was designated or 8 terminated by the municipality.

9 (2) Audited financial statements of the special tax 10 allocation fund once a cumulative total of \$100,000 has 11 been deposited in the fund.

12 (3) Certification of the Chief Executive Officer of the 13 municipality that the municipality has complied with all of 14 the requirements of this Act during the preceding fiscal 15 year.

16 (4) An opinion of legal counsel that the municipality17 is in compliance with this Act.

18 (5) An analysis of the special tax allocation fund19 which sets forth:

20 (A) the balance in the special tax allocation fund
21 at the beginning of the fiscal year;

(B) all amounts deposited in the special taxallocation fund by source;

(C) an itemized list of all expenditures from the
 special tax allocation fund by category of permissible
 redevelopment project cost; and

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(D) for municipalities with a population less than 1 2 1,000,000, the balance in the special tax allocation 3 fund at the end of the fiscal year including a breakdown of that balance by source and a breakdown of 4 5 that balance identifying any portion of the balance that is required, pledged, earmarked, or otherwise 6 7 designated for payment of or securing of obligations and anticipated redevelopment project costs. Any 8 9 portion of such ending balance that has not been 10 identified or is not identified as being required, 11 pledged, earmarked, or otherwise designated for 12 payment of or securing of obligations or anticipated 13 redevelopment projects costs shall be designated as 14 surplus as set forth in Section 11-74.4-7 hereof. 15 (E) For municipalities with a population greater 16 than 1,000,000, the balance in the special tax allocation fund at the end of the fiscal year, 17 including a breakdown of that balance by source and a 18 19 breakdown of that balance identifying any portion of 20 the balance that is required, pledged, earmarked, or 21 otherwise designated for payment of or securing of 22 obligations. Any portion of such ending balance that 23 has not been identified or is not identified as being 24 required, pledged, earmarked, or otherwise designated

designated as surplus, and used, as set forth in

for payment of or securing of obligations shall be

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2	(6) A description of all property purchased by the
3	municipality within the redevelopment project area
4	including:
5	(A) Street address.
6	(B) Approximate size or description of property.
7	(C) Purchase price.
8	(D) Seller of property.
9	(7) A statement setting forth all activities
10	undertaken in furtherance of the objectives of the
11	redevelopment plan, including:
12	(A) Any project implemented in the preceding
13	fiscal year.
14	(B) A description of the redevelopment activities
15	undertaken.
16	(C) A description of any agreements entered into by
17	the municipality with regard to the disposition or
18	redevelopment of any property within the redevelopment
19	project area or the area within the State Sales Tax
20	Boundary.
21	(D) Additional information on the use of all funds
22	received under this Division and steps taken by the
23	municipality to achieve the objectives of the
24	redevelopment plan.
25	(E) Information regarding contracts that the
26	municipality's tax increment advisors or consultants

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have entered into with entities or persons that have received, or are receiving, payments financed by tax increment revenues produced by the same redevelopment project area.

5 (F) Any reports submitted to the municipality by
6 the joint review board.

7 (G) A review of public and, to the extent possible, private investment actually undertaken to date after 8 9 the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 91st 10 General Assembly and estimated to be undertaken during 11 the following year. This review shall, on а 12 project-by-project basis, set forth the estimated 13 amounts of public and private investment incurred 14 after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 15 91st General Assembly and provide the ratio of private 16 investment to public investment to the date of the 17 report and as estimated to the completion of the 18 redevelopment project.

19 (8) With regard to any obligations issued by the20 municipality:

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(A) copies of any official statements; and

(B) an analysis prepared by financial advisor or
underwriter setting forth: (i) nature and term of
obligation; and (ii) projected debt service including
required reserves and debt coverage.

26 (9) For special tax allocation funds that have

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experienced cumulative deposits of 1 incremental tax 2 revenues of \$100,000 or more, a certified audit report 3 reviewing compliance with this Act performed by an independent public accountant certified and licensed by 4 5 the authority of the State of Illinois. The financial 6 portion of the audit must be conducted in accordance with 7 Standards for Audits of Governmental Organizations, 8 Activities, and Functions adopted by the Programs, 9 Comptroller General of the United States (1981), as 10 amended, or the standards specified by Section 8-8-5 of the 11 Illinois Municipal Auditing Law of the Illinois Municipal 12 Code. The audit report shall contain a letter from the 13 certified public independent accountant indicating 14 compliance or noncompliance with the requirements of 15 subsection (q) of Section 11-74.4-3. For redevelopment 16 plans or projects that would result in the displacement of 17 residents from 10 or more inhabited residential units or that contain 75 or more inhabited residential units, notice 18 19 of the availability of the information, including how to 20 obtain the report, required in this subsection shall also be sent by mail to all residents or organizations that 21 22 operate in the municipality that register with the 23 for information municipality that according to 24 registration procedures adopted under Section 11-74.4-4.2. 25 All municipalities are subject to this provision.

(10) A list of all intergovernmental agreements in

effect during the fiscal year to which the municipality is a party and an accounting of any moneys transferred or received by the municipality during that fiscal year pursuant to those intergovernmental agreements.

5 (d-1) Prior to the effective date of this amendatory Act of 6 the 91st General Assembly, municipalities with populations of 7 over 1,000,000 shall, after adoption of a redevelopment plan or 8 project, make available upon request to any taxing district in 9 which the redevelopment project area is located the following 10 information:

(1) Any amendments to the redevelopment plan, the redevelopment project area, or the State Sales Tax Boundary; and

14 (2) In connection with any redevelopment project area
15 for which the municipality has outstanding obligations
16 issued to provide for redevelopment project costs pursuant
17 to Section 11-74.4-7, audited financial statements of the
18 special tax allocation fund.

(e) The joint review board shall meet annually 180 days after the close of the municipal fiscal year or as soon as the redevelopment project audit for that fiscal year becomes available to review the effectiveness and status of the redevelopment project area up to that date.

24 (f) (Blank).

25 (g) In the event that a municipality has held a public 26 hearing under this Section prior to March 14, 1994 (the effective date of Public Act 88-537), the requirements imposed by Public Act 88-537 relating to the method of fixing the time and place for public hearing, the materials and information required to be made available for public inspection, and the information required to be sent after adoption of an ordinance or resolution fixing a time and place for public hearing shall not be applicable.

8 (h) On and after the effective date of this amendatory Act 9 of the 96th General Assembly, the State Comptroller must post 10 on the State Comptroller's official website the information 11 submitted by a municipality pursuant to subsection (d) of this 12 Section. The information must be posted no later than 45 days 13 after the State Comptroller receives the information from the 14 municipality. The State Comptroller must also post a list of 15 the municipalities not in compliance with the reporting 16 requirements set forth in subsection (d) of this Section.

17 (i) No later than 10 years after the corporate authorities municipality adopt ordinance to 18 of an establish а а 19 redevelopment project area, the municipality must compile a 20 status report concerning the redevelopment project area. The status report must detail without limitation the following: (i) 21 22 the amount of revenue generated within the redevelopment 23 project area, (ii) any expenditures made by the municipality redevelopment project 24 for the area including without 25 limitation expenditures from the special tax allocation fund, 26 (iii) the status of planned activities, goals, and objectives

set forth in the redevelopment plan including details on new or 1 2 planned construction within the redevelopment project area, (iv) the amount of private and public investment within the 3 redevelopment project area, and (v) any other relevant 4 5 evaluation or performance data. Within 30 days after the municipality compiles the status report, the municipality must 6 7 hold at least one public hearing concerning the report. The 8 municipality must provide 20 days' public notice of the 9 hearing.

(j) Beginning in fiscal year 2011 and in each fiscal year thereafter, a municipality must detail in its annual budget (i) the revenues generated from redevelopment project areas by source and (ii) the expenditures made by the municipality for redevelopment project areas.

15 (Source: P.A. 98-922, eff. 8-15-14.)

16 (65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-7) (from Ch. 24, par. 11-74.4-7)

17 Sec. 11-74.4-7. Obligations secured by the special tax allocation fund set forth in Section 11-74.4-8 for 18 the redevelopment project area may be issued to provide for 19 redevelopment project costs. Such obligations, when so issued, 20 21 shall be retired in the manner provided in the ordinance 22 authorizing the issuance of such obligations by the receipts of taxes levied as specified in Section 11-74.4-9 against the 23 24 taxable property included in the area, by revenues as specified by Section 11-74.4-8a and other revenue designated by the 25

municipality. A municipality may in the ordinance pledge all or 1 2 any part of the funds in and to be deposited in the special tax allocation fund created pursuant to Section 11-74.4-8 to the 3 payment of the redevelopment project costs and obligations. For 4 5 municipalities with a population less than 1,000,000, any Any pledge of funds in the special tax allocation fund shall 6 provide for distribution to the taxing districts and to the 7 8 Illinois Department of Revenue of moneys not required, pledged, 9 earmarked, or otherwise designated for payment and securing of 10 the obligations and anticipated redevelopment project costs 11 and such excess funds shall be calculated annually and deemed 12 to be "surplus" funds. In the event a municipality, with a 13 population less than 1,000,000, only applies or pledges a portion of the funds in the special tax allocation fund for the 14 15 payment or securing of anticipated redevelopment project costs 16 or of obligations, any such funds remaining in the special tax 17 allocation fund after complying with the requirements of the application or pledge, shall also be calculated annually and 18 deemed "surplus" funds. All surplus funds in the special tax 19 20 allocation fund shall be distributed annually within 180 days after the close of the municipality's fiscal year by being paid 21 22 by the municipal treasurer to the County Collector, to the 23 Department of Revenue and to the municipality in direct proportion to the tax incremental revenue received as a result 24 25 of an increase in the equalized assessed value of property in 26 the redevelopment project area, tax incremental revenue

received from the State and tax incremental revenue received 1 2 from the municipality, but not to exceed as to each such source the total incremental revenue received from that source. The 3 County Collector shall thereafter make distribution to the 4 5 respective taxing districts in the same manner and proportion as the most recent distribution by the county collector to the 6 7 affected districts of real property taxes from real property in 8 the redevelopment project area. For municipalities with a 9 population greater than 1,000,000, the balance in the special tax allocation fund at the end of the fiscal year that is not 10 11 required, pledged, earmarked, or otherwise designated for 12 payment of or securing of obligations shall be entirely used to 13 pay costs of special education, social service, and other costs 14 of its public school district as described in paragraph (12) of 15 subsection (q) of Section 11-74.4-3.

16 Without limiting the foregoing in this Section, the 17 municipality may in addition to obligations secured by the special tax allocation fund pledge for a period not greater 18 than the term of the obligations towards payment of such 19 20 obligations any part or any combination of the following: (a) 21 net revenues of all or part of any redevelopment project; (b) 22 taxes levied and collected on any or all property in the 23 the full faith and municipality; (C) credit of the 24 municipality; (d) mortgage on part all of the а or of 25 redevelopment project; (d-5) repayment bonds issued pursuant to subsection (p-130) of Section 19-1 of the School 26

Code; or (e) any other taxes or anticipated receipts that the
 municipality may lawfully pledge.

Such obligations may be issued in one or more series 3 bearing interest at such rate or rates as the corporate 4 5 authorities of the municipality shall determine by ordinance. Such obligations shall bear such date or dates, mature at such 6 time or times not exceeding 20 years from their respective 7 8 dates, be in such denomination, carry such registration 9 privileges, be executed in such manner, be payable in such 10 medium of payment at such place or places, contain such 11 covenants, terms and conditions, and be subject to redemption 12 as such ordinance shall provide. Obligations issued pursuant to this Act may be sold at public or private sale at such price as 13 14 shall be determined by the corporate authorities of the 15 municipalities. No referendum approval of the electors shall be 16 required as a condition to the issuance of obligations pursuant 17 to this Division except as provided in this Section.

In the event the municipality authorizes issuance of 18 obligations pursuant to the authority of this Division secured 19 by the full faith and credit of the municipality, which 20 obligations are other than obligations which may be issued 21 22 under home rule powers provided by Article VII, Section 6 of 23 the Illinois Constitution, or pledges taxes pursuant to (b) or 24 (c) of the second paragraph of this section, the ordinance 25 authorizing the issuance of such obligations or pledging such 26 taxes shall be published within 10 days after such ordinance

has been passed in one or more newspapers, with general 1 2 circulation within such municipality. The publication of the ordinance shall be accompanied by a notice of (1) the specific 3 number of voters required to sign a petition requesting the 4 5 question of the issuance of such obligations or pledging taxes to be submitted to the electors; (2) the time in which such 6 7 petition must be filed; and (3) the date of the prospective 8 referendum. The municipal clerk shall provide a petition form 9 to any individual requesting one.

10 If no petition is filed with the municipal clerk, as 11 hereinafter provided in this Section, within 30 days after the 12 publication of the ordinance, the ordinance shall be in effect. 13 But, if within that 30 day period a petition is filed with the 14 municipal clerk, signed by electors in the municipality 15 numbering 10% or more of the number of registered voters in the 16 municipality, asking that the question of issuing obligations 17 using full faith and credit of the municipality as security for the cost of paying for redevelopment project costs, or of 18 pledging taxes for the payment of such obligations, or both, be 19 20 submitted to the electors of the municipality, the corporate authorities of the municipality shall call a special election 21 22 in the manner provided by law to vote upon that question, or, 23 if a general, State or municipal election is to be held within a period of not less than 30 or more than 90 days from the date 24 such petition is filed, shall submit the question at the next 25 general, State or municipal election. If it appears upon the 26

1 canvass of the election by the corporate authorities that a 2 majority of electors voting upon the question voted in favor 3 thereof, the ordinance shall be in effect, but if a majority of 4 the electors voting upon the question are not in favor thereof, 5 the ordinance shall not take effect.

6 The ordinance authorizing the obligations may provide that 7 the obligations shall contain a recital that they are issued 8 pursuant to this Division, which recital shall be conclusive 9 evidence of their validity and of the regularity of their 10 issuance.

11 In the event the municipality authorizes issuance of 12 obligations pursuant to this Section secured by the full faith and credit of the municipality, the ordinance authorizing the 13 obligations may provide for the levy and collection of a direct 14 15 annual tax upon all taxable property within the municipality 16 sufficient to pay the principal thereof and interest thereon as 17 it matures, which levy may be in addition to and exclusive of the maximum of all other taxes authorized to be levied by the 18 19 municipality, which levy, however, shall be abated to the 20 extent that monies from other sources are available for payment 21 of the obligations and the municipality certifies the amount of 22 said monies available to the county clerk.

A certified copy of such ordinance shall be filed with the county clerk of each county in which any portion of the municipality is situated, and shall constitute the authority for the extension and collection of the taxes to be deposited

1 in the special tax allocation fund.

A municipality may also issue its obligations to refund in whole or in part, obligations theretofore issued by such municipality under the authority of this Act, whether at or prior to maturity, provided however, that the last maturity of the refunding obligations may not be later than the dates set forth under Section 11-74.4-3.5.

8 In the event a municipality issues obligations under home 9 rule powers or other legislative authority the proceeds of 10 which are pledged to pay for redevelopment project costs, the 11 municipality may, if it has followed the procedures in 12 conformance with this division, retire said obligations from 13 funds in the special tax allocation fund in amounts and in such 14 manner as if such obligations had been issued pursuant to the 15 provisions of this division.

All obligations heretofore or hereafter issued pursuant to this Act shall not be regarded as indebtedness of the municipality issuing such obligations or any other taxing district for the purpose of any limitation imposed by law. (Source: P.A. 100-531, eff. 9-22-17.)

21 (65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-8) (from Ch. 24, par. 11-74.4-8)

22 Sec. 11-74.4-8. Tax increment allocation financing. A 23 municipality may not adopt tax increment financing in a 24 redevelopment project area after the effective date of this 25 amendatory Act of 1997 that will encompass an area that is

currently included in an enterprise zone created under the 1 2 Illinois Enterprise Zone Act unless that municipality, pursuant to Section 5.4 of the Illinois Enterprise Zone Act, 3 amends the enterprise zone designating ordinance to limit the 4 5 eligibility for tax abatements as provided in Section 5.4.1 of 6 the Illinois Enterprise Zone Act. A municipality, at the time a redevelopment project area is designated, may adopt tax 7 8 allocation financing by passing an increment ordinance 9 providing that the ad valorem taxes, if any, arising from the 10 levies upon taxable real property in such redevelopment project 11 area by taxing districts and tax rates determined in the manner 12 provided in paragraph (c) of Section 11-74.4-9 each year after 13 the effective date of the ordinance until redevelopment project 14 costs and all municipal obligations financing redevelopment 15 project costs incurred under this Division have been paid shall 16 be divided as follows, provided, however, that with respect to 17 any redevelopment project area located within a transit facility improvement area established pursuant to Section 18 19 11-74.4-3.3 in a municipality with a population of 1,000,000 or 20 more, ad valorem taxes, if any, arising from the levies upon taxable real property in such redevelopment project area shall 21 22 be allocated as specifically provided in this Section:

(a) That portion of taxes levied upon each taxable lot,
block, tract or parcel of real property which is
attributable to the lower of the current equalized assessed
value or the initial equalized assessed value of each such

1 taxable lot, block, tract or parcel of real property in the 2 redevelopment project area shall be allocated to and when 3 collected shall be paid by the county collector to the 4 respective affected taxing districts in the manner 5 required by law in the absence of the adoption of tax 6 increment allocation financing.

7 (b) Except from a tax levied by a township to retire 8 issued to satisfy court-ordered damages, that bonds 9 portion, if any, of such taxes which is attributable to the 10 increase in the current equalized assessed valuation of 11 each taxable lot, block, tract or parcel of real property 12 in the redevelopment project area over and above the initial equalized assessed value of each property in the 13 14 project area shall be allocated to and when collected shall 15 be paid to the municipal treasurer who shall deposit said 16 taxes into a special fund called the special tax allocation 17 fund of the municipality for the purpose of paying redevelopment project costs and obligations incurred in 18 19 the payment thereof. In any county with a population of 3,000,000 or more that has adopted a procedure for 20 collecting taxes that provides for one or more of the 21 22 installments of the taxes to be billed and collected on an 23 estimated basis, the municipal treasurer shall be paid for 24 deposit in the special tax allocation fund of the 25 municipality, from the taxes collected from estimated 26 bills issued for property in the redevelopment project

area, the difference between the amount actually collected 1 2 from each taxable lot, block, tract, or parcel of real 3 property within the redevelopment project area and an amount determined by multiplying the rate at which taxes 4 5 were last extended against the taxable lot, block, track, 6 or parcel of real property in the manner provided in subsection (c) of Section 11-74.4-9 by the initial 7 8 equalized assessed value of the property divided by the 9 number of installments in which real estate taxes are 10 billed and collected within the county; provided that the 11 payments on or before December 31, 1999 to a municipal 12 treasurer shall be made only if each of the following 13 conditions are met:

14 (1) The total equalized assessed value of the
15 redevelopment project area as last determined was not
16 less than 175% of the total initial equalized assessed
17 value.

18 (2) Not more than 50% of the total equalized
19 assessed value of the redevelopment project area as
20 last determined is attributable to a piece of property
21 assigned a single real estate index number.

(3) The municipal clerk has certified to the county
clerk that the municipality has issued its obligations
to which there has been pledged the incremental
property taxes of the redevelopment project area or
taxes levied and collected on any or all property in

the municipality or the full faith and credit of the 1 2 municipality to pay or secure payment for all or a 3 portion of the redevelopment project costs. The certification shall be filed annually no later than 4 September 1 for the estimated taxes to be distributed 5 in the following year; however, for the year 1992 the 6 7 certification shall be made at any time on or before March 31, 1992. 8

9 (4) The municipality has not requested that the 10 total initial equalized assessed value of real 11 property be adjusted as provided in subsection (b) of 12 Section 11-74.4-9.

13 The conditions of paragraphs (1) through (4) do not 14 apply after December 31, 1999 to payments to a municipal 15 treasurer made by a county with 3,000,000 or more 16 inhabitants that has adopted an estimated billing 17 procedure for collecting taxes. If a county that has adopted the estimated billing procedure makes an erroneous 18 19 overpayment of tax revenue to the municipal treasurer, then 20 the county may seek a refund of that overpayment. The 21 county shall send the municipal treasurer a notice of 22 liability for the overpayment on or before the mailing date 23 of the next real estate tax bill within the county. The 24 refund shall be limited to the amount of the overpayment.

It is the intent of this Division that after the effective date of this amendatory Act of 1988 a

municipality's own ad valorem tax arising from levies on 1 taxable real property be included in the determination of 2 3 incremental revenue in the manner provided in paragraph (c) of Section 11-74.4-9. If the municipality does not extend 4 5 such a tax, it shall annually deposit in the municipality's Special Tax Increment Fund an amount equal to 10% of the 6 7 total contributions to the fund from all other taxing 8 districts in that year. The annual 10% deposit required by 9 this paragraph shall be limited to the actual amount of 10 municipally produced incremental tax revenues available to 11 the municipality from taxpayers located in the 12 redevelopment project area in that year if: (a) the plan 13 for the area restricts the use of the property primarily to 14 industrial purposes, (b) the municipality establishing the 15 redevelopment project area is a home-rule community with a 16 1990 population of between 25,000 and 50,000, (c) the 17 municipality is wholly located within a county with a 1990 population of over 750,000 and (d) the redevelopment 18 19 project area was established by the municipality prior to 20 June 1, 1990. This payment shall be in lieu of a 21 contribution of ad valorem taxes on real property. If no 22 such payment is made, any redevelopment project area of the 23 municipality shall be dissolved.

If a municipality has adopted tax increment allocation financing by ordinance and the County Clerk thereafter certifies the "total initial equalized assessed value as

adjusted" of the taxable real property within such 1 2 redevelopment project area in the manner provided in paragraph (b) of Section 11-74.4-9, each year after the 3 date of the certification of the total initial equalized 4 5 assessed value as adjusted until redevelopment project 6 costs and all municipal obligations financing 7 redevelopment project costs have been paid the ad valorem 8 taxes, if any, arising from the levies upon the taxable 9 real property in such redevelopment project area by taxing 10 districts and tax rates determined in the manner provided 11 in paragraph (c) of Section 11-74.4-9 shall be divided as 12 follows, provided, however, that with respect to any redevelopment project area located within a 13 transit 14 facility improvement area established pursuant to Section 15 11-74.4-3.3 in a municipality with a population of 16 1,000,000 or more, ad valorem taxes, if any, arising from 17 levies upon the taxable real property in such the shall 18 redevelopment project area be allocated as 19 specifically provided in this Section:

20 (1) That portion of the taxes levied upon each 21 taxable lot, block, tract or parcel of real property 22 which is attributable to the lower of the current 23 assessed value or "current equalized equalized 24 assessed value as adjusted" or the initial equalized 25 assessed value of each such taxable lot, block, tract, 26 or parcel of real property existing at the time tax

increment financing was adopted, minus the total 1 2 current homestead exemptions under Article 15 of the 3 Property Tax Code in the redevelopment project area shall be allocated to and when collected shall be paid 4 5 by the county collector to the respective affected 6 taxing districts in the manner required by law in the absence of the adoption of tax increment allocation 7 financing. 8

9 (2) That portion, if any, of such taxes which is 10 attributable to the increase in the current equalized 11 assessed valuation of each taxable lot, block, tract, 12 or parcel of real property in the redevelopment project 13 area, over and above the initial equalized assessed 14 value of each property existing at the time tax 15 increment financing was adopted, minus the total 16 current homestead exemptions pertaining to each piece 17 of property provided by Article 15 of the Property Tax Code in the redevelopment project area, shall be 18 19 allocated to and when collected shall be paid to the 20 municipal Treasurer, who shall deposit said taxes into 21 a special fund called the special tax allocation fund 22 the municipality for the purpose of paying of 23 redevelopment project costs and obligations incurred 24 in the payment thereof.

The municipality may pledge in the ordinance the funds in and to be deposited in the special tax allocation fund

1 for the payment of such costs and obligations. No part of 2 the current equalized assessed valuation of each property 3 in the redevelopment project area attributable to any increase above the total initial equalized assessed value, 4 5 or the total initial equalized assessed value as adjusted, of such properties shall be used in calculating the general 6 7 State aid formula, provided for in Section 18-8 of the 8 School Code, or the evidence-based funding formula, 9 provided for in Section 18-8.15 of the School Code, until 10 such time as all redevelopment project costs have been paid 11 as provided for in this Section.

12 Whenever a municipality issues bonds for the purpose of financing redevelopment project costs, such municipality 13 14 may provide by ordinance for the appointment of a trustee, 15 which may be any trust company within the State, and for 16 establishment of such funds or accounts to be the 17 maintained by such trustee as the municipality shall deem necessary to provide for the security and payment of the 18 19 bonds. If such municipality provides for the appointment of 20 a trustee, such trustee shall be considered the assignee of 21 any payments assigned by the municipality pursuant to such 22 ordinance and this Section. Any amounts paid to such trustee as assignee shall be deposited in the funds or 23 24 accounts established pursuant to such trust agreement, and 25 shall be held by such trustee in trust for the benefit of 26 the holders of the bonds, and such holders shall have a

lien on and a security interest in such funds or accounts so long as the bonds remain outstanding and unpaid. Upon retirement of the bonds, the trustee shall pay over any excess amounts held to the municipality for deposit in the special tax allocation fund.

6 For municipalities with a population less than 7 1,000,000, when When such redevelopment projects costs, 8 including without limitation all municipal obligations 9 financing redevelopment project costs incurred under this 10 Division, have been paid, all surplus funds then remaining 11 in the special tax allocation fund shall be distributed by 12 being paid by the municipal treasurer to the Department of 13 Revenue, the municipality and the county collector; first 14 to the Department of Revenue and the municipality in direct 15 proportion to the tax incremental revenue received from the 16 State and the municipality, but not to exceed the total 17 incremental revenue received from the State or the municipality less any annual surplus distribution of 18 19 incremental revenue previously made; with any remaining funds to be paid to the County Collector who shall 20 immediately thereafter pay said funds to the taxing 21 22 districts in the redevelopment project area in the same 23 manner and proportion as the most recent distribution by 24 the county collector to the affected districts of real 25 property taxes from real property in the redevelopment 26 project area. For municipalities with a population greater

than 1,000,000, the balance in the special tax allocation fund at the end of the fiscal year that is not required, pledged, earmarked, or otherwise designated for payment of or securing of obligations shall be entirely used to pay costs of special education, social service, and other costs of its public school district as described in paragraph (12) of subsection (q) of Section 11-74.4-3.

8 Upon the payment of all redevelopment project costs, 9 the retirement of obligations, the distribution of any 10 excess monies pursuant to this Section, and final closing 11 of the books and records of the redevelopment project area, 12 the municipality shall adopt an ordinance dissolving the 13 special tax allocation fund for the redevelopment project 14 area and terminating the designation of the redevelopment 15 project area as a redevelopment project area. Title to real 16 or personal property and public improvements acquired by or 17 for the municipality as a result of the redevelopment project and plan shall vest in the municipality when 18 19 acquired and shall continue to be held by the municipality 20 after the redevelopment project area has been terminated. 21 Municipalities shall notify affected taxing districts 22 prior to November 1 if the redevelopment project area is to 23 be terminated by December 31 of that same year. If a 24 municipality extends estimated dates of completion of a 25 redevelopment project and retirement of obligations to 26 finance a redevelopment project, as allowed by this

amendatory Act of 1993, that extension shall not extend the property tax increment allocation financing authorized by this Section. Thereafter the rates of the taxing districts shall be extended and taxes levied, collected and distributed in the manner applicable in the absence of the adoption of tax increment allocation financing.

7 If a municipality with a population of 1,000,000 or 8 more has adopted by ordinance tax increment allocation 9 financing for a redevelopment project area located in a 10 transit facility improvement area established pursuant to 11 Section 11-74.4-3.3, for each year after the effective date 12 of the ordinance until redevelopment project costs and all 13 municipal obligations financing redevelopment project 14 costs have been paid, the ad valorem taxes, if any, arising 15 from the levies upon the taxable real property in that 16 redevelopment project area by taxing districts and tax 17 rates determined in the manner provided in paragraph (c) of Section 11-74.4-9 shall be divided as follows: 18

19 (1) That portion of the taxes levied upon each 20 taxable lot, block, tract or parcel of real property which is attributable to the lower of (i) the current 21 22 equalized assessed value or "current equalized 23 as adjusted" or (ii) the assessed value initial 24 equalized assessed value of each such taxable lot, 25 block, tract, or parcel of real property existing at 26 the time tax increment financing was adopted, minus the

total current homestead exemptions under Article 15 of the Property Tax Code in the redevelopment project area shall be allocated to and when collected shall be paid by the county collector to the respective affected taxing districts in the manner required by law in the absence of the adoption of tax increment allocation financing.

(2) That portion, if any, of such taxes which is 8 9 attributable to the increase in the current equalized 10 assessed valuation of each taxable lot, block, tract, 11 or parcel of real property in the redevelopment project 12 area, over and above the initial equalized assessed 13 value of each property existing at the time tax 14 increment financing was adopted, minus the total 15 current homestead exemptions pertaining to each piece 16 of property provided by Article 15 of the Property Tax 17 Code in the redevelopment project area, shall be allocated to and when collected shall be paid by the 18 19 county collector as follows:

20 (A) First, that portion which would be payable district whose boundaries 21 to а school are 22 coterminous with such municipality in the absence 23 the adoption of tax increment allocation of 24 financing, shall be paid to such school district in 25 the manner required by law in the absence of the 26 adoption of tax increment allocation financing;

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(B) 80% of the remaining portion shall be paid to the municipal Treasurer, who shall deposit said taxes into a special fund called the special tax allocation fund of the municipality for the purpose of paying redevelopment project costs and obligations incurred in the payment thereof; and then

9 (C) 20% of the remaining portion shall be paid 10 to the respective affected taxing districts, other 11 than the school district described in clause (a) 12 above, in the manner required by law in the absence 13 of the adoption of tax increment allocation 14 financing.

Nothing in this Section shall be construed as relieving property in such redevelopment project areas from being assessed as provided in the Property Tax Code or as relieving owners of such property from paying a uniform rate of taxes, as required by Section 4 of Article IX of the Illinois Constitution.

21 (Source: P.A. 99-792, eff. 8-12-16; 100-465, eff. 8-31-17.)

(65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-8a) (from Ch. 24, par. 11-74.4-8a)
Sec. 11-74.4-8a. (1) Until June 1, 1988, a municipality
which has adopted tax increment allocation financing prior to
January 1, 1987, may by ordinance (1) authorize the Department

of Revenue, subject to appropriation, to annually certify and 1 2 cause to be paid from the Illinois Tax Increment Fund to such 3 municipality for deposit in the municipality's special tax allocation fund an amount equal to the Net State Sales Tax 4 5 Increment and (2) authorize the Department of Revenue to annually notify the municipality of the amount of the Municipal 6 7 Sales Tax Increment which shall be deposited by the 8 municipality in the municipality's special tax allocation 9 fund. Provided that for purposes of this Section no amendments 10 adding additional area to the redevelopment project area which 11 has been certified as the State Sales Tax Boundary shall be 12 taken into account if such amendments are adopted by the municipality after January 1, 1987. If an amendment is adopted 13 14 which decreases the area of a State Sales Tax Boundary, the 15 municipality shall update the list required by subsection 16 (3)(a) of this Section. The Retailers' Occupation Tax 17 liability, Use Tax liability, Service Occupation Tax liability and Service Use Tax liability for retailers and servicemen 18 located within the disconnected area shall be excluded from the 19 20 base from which tax increments are calculated and the revenue from any such retailer or serviceman shall not be included in 21 22 calculating incremental revenue payable to the municipality. A 23 municipality adopting an ordinance under this subsection (1) of 24 this Section for a redevelopment project area which is 25 certified as a State Sales Tax Boundary shall not be entitled 26 to payments of State taxes authorized under subsection (2) of

this Section for the same redevelopment project area. Nothing herein shall be construed to prevent a municipality from receiving payment of State taxes authorized under subsection (2) of this Section for a separate redevelopment project area that does not overlap in any way with the State Sales Tax Boundary receiving payments of State taxes pursuant to subsection (1) of this Section.

8 A certified copy of such ordinance shall be submitted by 9 the municipality to the Department of Commerce and Economic 10 Opportunity and the Department of Revenue not later than 30 11 days after the effective date of the ordinance. Upon submission 12 of the ordinances, and the information required pursuant to 13 subsection 3 of this Section, the Department of Revenue shall 14 promptly determine the amount of such taxes paid under the 15 Retailers' Occupation Tax Act, Use Tax Act, Service Use Tax 16 Act, the Service Occupation Tax Act, the Municipal Retailers' 17 Occupation Tax Act and the Municipal Service Occupation Tax Act by retailers and servicemen on transactions at places located 18 in the redevelopment project area during the base year, and 19 shall certify all the foregoing "initial sales tax amounts" to 20 the municipality within 60 days of submission of the list 21 22 required of subsection (3) (a) of this Section.

If a retailer or serviceman with a place of business located within a redevelopment project area also has one or more other places of business within the municipality but outside the redevelopment project area, the retailer or

serviceman shall, upon request of the Department of Revenue, 1 2 certify to the Department of Revenue the amount of taxes paid pursuant to the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act, the Municipal 3 Retailers' Occupation Tax Act, the Service Occupation Tax Act 4 5 and the Municipal Service Occupation Tax Act at each place of business which is located within the redevelopment project area 6 in the manner and for the periods of time requested by the 7 8 Department of Revenue.

9 When the municipality determines that a portion of an 10 increase in the aggregate amount of taxes paid by retailers and 11 servicemen under the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act, Use Tax 12 Act, Service Use Tax Act, or the Service Occupation Tax Act is the result of a retailer or serviceman initiating retail or 13 14 service operations in the redevelopment project area by such 15 retailer or serviceman with a resulting termination of retail 16 or service operations by such retailer or serviceman at another 17 location in Illinois in the standard metropolitan statistical area of such municipality, the Department of Revenue shall be 18 19 notified that the retailers occupation tax liability, use tax 20 liability, service occupation tax liability, or service use tax liability from such retailer's or serviceman's terminated 21 22 operation shall be included in the base Initial Sales Tax 23 Amounts from which the State Sales Tax Increment is calculated 24 for purposes of State payments to the affected municipality; 25 provided, however, for purposes this of paragraph 26 "termination" shall mean a closing of a retail or service

operation which is directly related to the opening of the same retail or service operation in a redevelopment project area which is included within a State Sales Tax Boundary, but it shall not include retail or service operations closed for reasons beyond the control of the retailer or serviceman, as determined by the Department.

7 If the municipality makes the determination referred to in 8 the prior paragraph and notifies the Department and if the 9 relocation is from a location within the municipality, the 10 Department, at the request of the municipality, shall adjust the certified aggregate amount of taxes that constitute the 11 12 Municipal Sales Tax Increment paid by retailers and servicemen on transactions at places of business located within the State 13 14 Sales Tax Boundary during the base year using the same 15 procedures as are employed to make the adjustment referred to 16 in the prior paragraph. The adjusted Municipal Sales Tax 17 Increment calculated by the Department shall be sufficient to satisfy the requirements of subsection (1) of this Section. 18

19 When a municipality which has adopted tax increment 20 allocation financing in 1986 determines that a portion of the aggregate amount of taxes paid by retailers and servicemen 21 22 under the Retailers Occupation Tax Act, Use Tax Act, Service 23 Use Tax Act, or Service Occupation Tax Act, the Municipal 24 Retailers' Occupation Tax Act and the Municipal Service 25 Occupation Tax Act, includes revenue of a retailer or 26 serviceman which terminated retailer or service operations in

1 1986, prior to the adoption of tax increment allocation 2 financing, the Department of Revenue shall be notified by such 3 municipality that the retailers' occupation tax liability, use tax liability, service occupation tax liability or service use 4 5 tax liability, from such retailer's or serviceman's terminated operations shall be excluded from the Initial Sales Tax Amounts 6 for such taxes. The revenue from any such retailer or 7 8 serviceman which is excluded from the base year under this 9 paragraph, shall not be included in calculating incremental 10 revenues if such retailer or serviceman reestablishes such 11 business in the redevelopment project area.

For State fiscal year 1992, the Department of Revenue shall budget, and the Illinois General Assembly shall appropriate from the Illinois Tax Increment Fund in the State treasury, an amount not to exceed \$18,000,000 to pay to each eligible municipality the Net State Sales Tax Increment to which such municipality is entitled.

Beginning on January 1, 1993, each municipality's 18 proportional share of the Illinois Tax Increment Fund shall be 19 20 determined by adding the annual Net State Sales Tax Increment and the annual Net Utility Tax Increment to determine the 21 22 Annual Total Increment. The ratio of the Annual Total Increment 23 of each municipality to the Annual Total Increment for all 24 municipalities, as most recently calculated by the Department, 25 shall determine the proportional shares of the Illinois Tax 26 Increment Fund to be distributed to each municipality.

Beginning in October, 1993, and each January, April, July and October thereafter, the Department of Revenue shall certify to the Treasurer and the Comptroller the amounts payable quarter annually during the fiscal year to each municipality under this Section. The Comptroller shall promptly then draw warrants, ordering the State Treasurer to pay such amounts from the Illinois Tax Increment Fund in the State treasury.

8 The Department of Revenue shall utilize the same periods 9 established for determining State Sales Tax Increment to 10 determine the Municipal Sales Tax Increment for the area within 11 a State Sales Tax Boundary and certify such amounts to such 12 municipal treasurer who shall transfer such amounts to the 13 special tax allocation fund.

The provisions of this subsection (1) do not apply to 14 15 additional municipal retailers' occupation or service 16 occupation taxes imposed by municipalities using their home 17 rule powers or imposed pursuant to Sections 8-11-1.3, 8-11-1.4 and 8-11-1.5 of this Act. A municipality shall not receive from 18 the State any share of the Illinois Tax Increment Fund unless 19 such municipality deposits all its Municipal Sales 20 Tax 21 Increment and the local incremental real property tax revenues, 22 as provided herein, into the appropriate special tax allocation 23 fund. If, however, a municipality has extended the estimated dates of completion of the redevelopment project and retirement 24 25 of obligations to finance redevelopment project costs by municipal ordinance to December 31, 2013 under subsection (n) 26

of Section 11-74.4-3, then that municipality shall continue to 1 2 receive from the State a share of the Illinois Tax Increment 3 Fund so long as the municipality deposits, from any funds available, excluding funds in the special tax allocation fund, 4 5 an amount equal to the municipal share of the real property tax increment revenues into the special tax allocation fund during 6 the extension period. The amount to be deposited by the 7 8 municipality in each of the tax years affected by the extension 9 to December 31, 2013 shall be equal to the municipal share of 10 the property tax increment deposited into the special tax 11 allocation fund by the municipality for the most recent year 12 that the property tax increment was distributed. A municipality 13 located within an economic development project area created 14 under the County Economic Development Project Area Property Tax 15 Allocation Act which has abated any portion of its property 16 taxes which otherwise would have been deposited in its special 17 tax allocation fund shall not receive from the State the Net Sales Tax Increment. 18

19 A municipality which has adopted tax increment (2)20 allocation financing with regard to an industrial park or industrial park conservation area, prior to January 1, 1988, 21 22 may by ordinance authorize the Department of Revenue to 23 annually certify and pay from the Illinois Tax Increment Fund to such municipality for deposit in the municipality's special 24 25 tax allocation fund an amount equal to the Net State Utility 26 Tax Increment. Provided that for purposes of this Section no

amendments adding additional area to the redevelopment project 1 2 area shall be taken into account if such amendments are adopted 3 by the municipality after January 1, 1988. Municipalities adopting an ordinance under this subsection (2) of this Section 4 5 for a redevelopment project area shall not be entitled to payment of State taxes authorized under subsection (1) of this 6 7 Section for the same redevelopment project area which is within 8 a State Sales Tax Boundary. Nothing herein shall be construed 9 to prevent a municipality from receiving payment of State taxes 10 authorized under subsection (1) of this Section for a separate 11 redevelopment project area within a State Sales Tax Boundary 12 that does not overlap in any way with the redevelopment project 13 area receiving payments of State taxes pursuant to subsection 14 (2) of this Section.

15 A certified copy of such ordinance shall be submitted to 16 the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity and the 17 Department of Revenue not later than 30 days after the 18 effective date of the ordinance.

19 When a municipality determines that a portion of an 20 increase in the aggregate amount of taxes paid by industrial or commercial facilities under the Public Utilities Act, is the 21 22 result of an industrial or commercial facility initiating 23 operations in the redevelopment project area with a resulting termination of such operations by such industrial or commercial 24 25 facility at another location in Illinois, the Department of Revenue shall be notified by such municipality that such 26

industrial or commercial facility's liability under the Public
 Utility Tax Act shall be included in the base from which tax
 increments are calculated for purposes of State payments to the
 affected municipality.

5 After receipt of the calculations by the public utility as 6 required by subsection (4) of this Section, the Department of 7 Revenue shall annually budget and the Illinois General Assembly 8 shall annually appropriate from the General Revenue Fund 9 through State Fiscal Year 1989, and thereafter from the 10 Illinois Tax Increment Fund, an amount sufficient to pay to 11 each eligible municipality the amount of incremental revenue 12 attributable to State electric and gas taxes as reflected by the charges imposed on persons in the project area to which 13 14 such municipality is entitled by comparing the preceding 15 calendar year with the base year as determined by this Section. Beginning on January 1, 1993, each municipality's proportional 16 17 share of the Illinois Tax Increment Fund shall be determined by adding the annual Net State Utility Tax Increment and the 18 annual Net Utility Tax Increment to determine the Annual Total 19 20 Increment. The ratio of the Annual Total Increment of each 21 municipality to the Annual Total Increment for all 22 municipalities, as most recently calculated by the Department, 23 shall determine the proportional shares of the Illinois Tax 24 Increment Fund to be distributed to each municipality.

A municipality shall not receive any share of the Illinois
 Tax Increment Fund from the State unless such municipality

imposes the maximum municipal charges authorized pursuant to Section 9-221 of the Public Utilities Act and deposits all municipal utility tax incremental revenues as certified by the public utilities, and all local real estate tax increments into such municipality's special tax allocation fund.

6 (3) Within 30 days after the adoption of the ordinance 7 required by either subsection (1) or subsection (2) of this 8 Section, the municipality shall transmit to the Department of 9 Commerce and Economic Opportunity and the Department of Revenue 10 the following:

11 (a) if applicable, a certified copy of the ordinance 12 required by subsection (1) accompanied by a complete list 13 of street names and the range of street numbers of each 14 street located within the redevelopment project area for 15 which payments are to be made under this Section in both 16 the base year and in the year preceding the payment year; 17 and the addresses of persons registered with the Department of Revenue; and, the name under which each such retailer or 18 19 serviceman conducts business at that address, if different 20 from the corporate name; and the Illinois Business Tax 21 Number of each such person (The municipality shall update 22 this list in the event of a revision of the redevelopment 23 project area, or the opening or closing or name change of 24 any street or part thereof in the redevelopment project 25 area, or if the Department of Revenue informs the 26 municipality of an addition or deletion pursuant to the

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monthly updates given by the Department.);

2 (b) if applicable, a certified copy of the ordinance 3 required by subsection (2) accompanied by a complete list 4 of street names and range of street numbers of each street 5 located within the redevelopment project area, the utility 6 customers in the project area, and the utilities serving 7 the redevelopment project areas;

8 (c) certified copies of the ordinances approving the 9 redevelopment plan and designating the redevelopment 10 project area;

11 (d) a copy of the redevelopment plan as approved by the 12 municipality;

(e) an opinion of legal counsel that the municipalityhad complied with the requirements of this Act; and

15 (f) a certification by the chief executive officer of 16 the municipality that with regard to a redevelopment 17 project area: (1) the municipality has committed all of the municipal tax increment created pursuant to this Act for 18 deposit in the special tax allocation fund, (2) 19 the 20 redevelopment projects described in the redevelopment plan would not be completed without the use of State incremental 21 22 revenues pursuant to this Act, (3) the municipality will 23 pursue the implementation of the redevelopment plan in an 24 expeditious manner, (4) the incremental revenues created 25 pursuant to this Section will be exclusively utilized for 26 the development of the redevelopment project area, and (5)

1 the increased revenue created pursuant to this Section 2 shall be used exclusively to pay redevelopment project 3 costs as defined in this Act.

4 (4) The Department of Revenue upon receipt of the
5 information set forth in paragraph (b) of subsection (3) shall
6 immediately forward such information to each public utility
7 furnishing natural gas or electricity to buildings within the
8 redevelopment project area. Upon receipt of such information,
9 each public utility shall promptly:

10 (a) provide to the Department of Revenue and the 11 municipality separate lists of the names and addresses of 12 persons within the redevelopment project area receiving 13 natural gas or electricity from such public utility. Such 14 list shall be updated as necessary by the public utility. 15 Each month thereafter the public utility shall furnish the 16 Department of Revenue and the municipality with an itemized 17 listing of charges imposed pursuant to Sections 9-221 and 9-222 of the Public Utilities Act on persons within the 18 19 redevelopment project area.

20 (b) determine the amount of charges imposed pursuant to 21 Sections 9-221 and 9-222 of the Public Utilities Act on 22 persons in the redevelopment project area during the base 23 year, both as a result of municipal taxes on electricity 24 and gas and as a result of State taxes on electricity and 25 gas and certify such amounts both to the municipality and 26 the Department of Revenue; and - 110 - LRB100 18158 AWJ 33354 b

(c) determine the amount of charges imposed pursuant to 1 Sections 9-221 and 9-222 of the Public Utilities Act on 2 persons in the redevelopment project area on a monthly 3 basis during the base year, both as a result of State and 4 5 municipal taxes on electricity and gas and certify such amounts both to the municipality and 6 separate the 7 Department of Revenue.

8 After the determinations are made in paragraphs (b) and 9 (c), the public utility shall monthly during the existence of 10 the redevelopment project area notify the Department of Revenue 11 and the municipality of any increase in charges over the base 12 year determinations made pursuant to paragraphs (b) and (c).

13 (5) The payments authorized under this Section shall be 14 deposited by the municipal treasurer in the special tax 15 allocation fund of the municipality, which for accounting 16 purposes shall identify the sources of each payment as: 17 municipal receipts from the State retailers occupation, service occupation, use and service use taxes; and municipal 18 public utility taxes charged to customers under the Public 19 Utilities Act and State public utility taxes charged to 20 customers under the Public Utilities Act. 21

(6) Before the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 91st General Assembly, any municipality receiving payments authorized under this Section for any redevelopment project area or area within a State Sales Tax Boundary within the municipality shall submit to the Department of Revenue and to

the taxing districts which are sent the notice required by Section 6 of this Act annually within 180 days after the close of each municipal fiscal year the following information for the immediately preceding fiscal year:

5 (a) Any amendments to the redevelopment plan, the 6 redevelopment project area, or the State Sales Tax 7 Boundary.

8 (b) Audited financial statements of the special tax9 allocation fund.

10 (c) Certification of the Chief Executive Officer of the 11 municipality that the municipality has complied with all of 12 the requirements of this Act during the preceding fiscal 13 year.

14 (d) An opinion of legal counsel that the municipality15 is in compliance with this Act.

(e) An analysis of the special tax allocation fundwhich sets forth:

18 (1) the balance in the special tax allocation fund
19 at the beginning of the fiscal year;

20 (2) all amounts deposited in the special tax
21 allocation fund by source;

(3) all expenditures from the special tax
allocation fund by category of permissible
redevelopment project cost; and

25 (4) for municipalities with a population less than
 26 <u>1,000,000</u>, the balance in the special tax allocation

fund at the end of the fiscal year including a 1 2 breakdown of that balance by source. Such ending 3 balance shall be designated as surplus if it is not required for anticipated redevelopment project costs 4 5 or to pay debt service on bonds issued to finance redevelopment project costs, as set forth in Section 6 11-74.4-7 hereof. 7 (f) A description of all property purchased by the 8 9 municipality within the redevelopment project area 10 including: 11 1. Street address

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3. Purchase price

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4. Seller of property.

(g) A statement setting forth all activities
undertaken in furtherance of the objectives of the
redevelopment plan, including:

2. Approximate size or description of property

1. Any project implemented in the preceding fiscal
 year

20 2. A description of the redevelopment activities21 undertaken

3. A description of any agreements entered into by
the municipality with regard to the disposition or
redevelopment of any property within the redevelopment
project area or the area within the State Sales Tax
Boundary.

1 (h) With regard to any obligations issued by the 2 municipality:

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3 4 1. copies of bond ordinances or resolutions

2. copies of any official statements

5 3. an analysis prepared by financial advisor or 6 underwriter setting forth: (a) nature and term of 7 obligation; and (b) projected debt service including 8 required reserves and debt coverage.

9 (i) A certified audit report reviewing compliance with 10 this statute performed by an independent public accountant 11 certified and licensed by the authority of the State of 12 Illinois. The financial portion of the audit must be 13 conducted in accordance with Standards for Audits of 14 Governmental Organizations, Programs, Activities, and 15 Functions adopted by the Comptroller General of the United 16 States (1981), as amended. The audit report shall contain a 17 letter from the independent certified public accountant 18 indicating compliance or noncompliance with the 19 requirements of subsection (q) of Section 11-74.4-3. If the 20 audit indicates that expenditures are not in compliance 21 with the law, the Department of Revenue shall withhold 22 State sales and utility tax increment payments to the 23 municipality until compliance has been reached, and an 24 amount equal to the ineligible expenditures has been 25 returned to the Special Tax Allocation Fund.

26 (6.1) After July 29, 1988 and before the effective date of

this amendatory Act of the 91st General Assembly, any funds 1 2 which have not been designated for use in a specific 3 development project in the annual report shall be designated as surplus by municipalities with population of less than 4 5 1,000,000. No funds may be held in the Special Tax Allocation 6 Fund for more than 36 months from the date of receipt unless 7 the money is required for payment of contractual obligations 8 for specific development project costs. If held for more than 9 36 months in violation of the preceding sentence, such funds 10 shall be designated as surplus. Any funds designated as surplus 11 must first be used for early redemption of any bond 12 obligations. Any funds designated as surplus which are not 13 disposed of as otherwise provided in this paragraph, shall be 14 distributed as surplus as provided in Section 11-74.4-7. For municipalities with a population greater than 1,000,000, when 15 16 such redevelopment projects costs, including without 17 limitation all municipal obligations financing redevelopment project costs incurred under this Division, have been paid, all 18 19 surplus funds then remaining in the special tax allocation fund 20 shall be entirely used to pay costs of special education, 21 social service, and other costs of its public school district 22 as described in paragraph (12) of subsection (q) of Section 23 11-74.4-3.

(7) Any appropriation made pursuant to this Section for the
1987 State fiscal year shall not exceed the amount of \$7
million and for the 1988 State fiscal year the amount of \$10

million. The amount which shall be distributed to 1 each municipality shall be the incremental revenue to which each 2 3 municipality is entitled as calculated by the Department of Revenue, unless the requests of the municipality exceed the 4 5 appropriation, then the amount to which each municipality shall 6 be entitled shall be prorated among the municipalities in the 7 same proportion as the increment to which the municipality would be entitled bears to the total increment which all 8 9 municipalities would receive in the absence of this limitation, 10 provided that no municipality may receive an amount in excess 11 of 15% of the appropriation. For the 1987 Net State Sales Tax 12 Increment payable in Fiscal Year 1989, no municipality shall 13 receive more than 7.5% of the total appropriation; provided, 14 however, that any of the appropriation remaining after such 15 distribution shall be prorated among municipalities on the 16 basis of their pro rata share of the total increment. Beginning 17 on January 1, 1993, each municipality's proportional share of the Illinois Tax Increment Fund shall be determined by adding 18 the annual Net State Sales Tax Increment and the annual Net 19 20 Utility Tax Increment to determine the Annual Total Increment. 21 The ratio of the Annual Total Increment of each municipality to 22 the Annual Total Increment for all municipalities, as most 23 recently calculated by the Department, shall determine the proportional shares of the Illinois Tax Increment Fund to be 24 25 distributed to each municipality.

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(7.1) No distribution of Net State Sales Tax Increment to a

municipality for an area within a State Sales Tax Boundary 1 2 shall exceed in any State Fiscal Year an amount equal to 3 3 times the sum of the Municipal Sales Tax Increment, the real property tax increment and deposits of funds from other 4 5 sources, excluding state and federal funds, as certified by the city treasurer to the Department of Revenue for an area within 6 a State Sales Tax Boundary. After July 29, 1988, for those 7 8 municipalities which issue bonds between June 1, 1988 and 3 9 years from July 29, 1988 to finance redevelopment projects 10 within the area in a State Sales Tax Boundary, the distribution 11 of Net State Sales Tax Increment during the 16th through 20th 12 years from the date of issuance of the bonds shall not exceed in any State Fiscal Year an amount equal to 2 times the sum of 13 14 the Municipal Sales Tax Increment, the real property tax 15 increment and deposits of funds from other sources, excluding 16 State and federal funds.

17 (8) Any person who knowingly files or causes to be filed 18 false information for the purpose of increasing the amount of 19 any State tax incremental revenue commits a Class A 20 misdemeanor.

(9) The following procedures shall be followed to determine whether municipalities have complied with the Act for the purpose of receiving distributions after July 1, 1989 pursuant to subsection (1) of this Section 11-74.4-8a.

(a) The Department of Revenue shall conduct a
 preliminary review of the redevelopment project areas and

1 redevelopment plans pertaining to those municipalities 2 receiving payments from the State pursuant to subsection 3 (1) of Section 8a of this Act for the purpose of 4 determining compliance with the following standards:

5 (1) For any municipality with a population of more than 12,000 as determined by the 1980 U.S. Census: (a) 6 7 the redevelopment project area, or in the case of a municipality which has more than one redevelopment 8 9 project area, each such area, must be contiguous and 10 the total of all such areas shall not comprise more 11 than 25% of the area within the municipal boundaries 12 nor more than 20% of the equalized assessed value of 13 the municipality; (b) the aggregate amount of 1985 14 taxes in the redevelopment project area, or in the case 15 of a municipality which has more than one redevelopment 16 project area, the total of all such areas, shall be not more than 25% of the total base year taxes paid by 17 18 retailers and servicemen on transactions at places of 19 business located within the municipality under the 20 Retailers' Occupation Tax Act, the Use Tax Act, the Service Use Tax Act, and the Service Occupation Tax 21 22 Act. Redevelopment project areas created prior to 1986 23 are not subject to the above standards if their 24 boundaries were not amended in 1986.

(2) For any municipality with a population of
 12,000 or less as determined by the 1980 U.S. Census:

(a) the redevelopment project area, or in the case of a 1 2 municipality which has more than one redevelopment 3 project area, each such area, must be contiguous and the total of all such areas shall not comprise more 4 5 than 35% of the area within the municipal boundaries 6 nor more than 30% of the equalized assessed value of 7 the municipality; (b) the aggregate amount of 1985 taxes in the redevelopment project area, or in the case 8 9 of a municipality which has more than one redevelopment 10 project area, the total of all such areas, shall not be 11 more than 35% of the total base year taxes paid by 12 retailers and servicemen on transactions at places of 13 business located within the municipality under the 14 Retailers' Occupation Tax Act, the Use Tax Act, the 15 Service Use Tax Act, and the Service Occupation Tax 16 Act. Redevelopment project areas created prior to 1986 17 are not subject to the above standards if their boundaries were not amended in 1986. 18

19 (3) Such preliminary review of the redevelopment 20 project areas applying the above standards shall be completed by November 1, 1988, and on or before 21 22 November 1, 1988, the Department shall notify each 23 municipality by certified mail, return receipt 24 requested that either (1) the Department requires 25 additional time in which to complete its preliminary 26 review; or (2) the Department is issuing either (a) a

Certificate of Eligibility or (b) a Notice of Review. 1 2 If the Department notifies a municipality that it 3 requires additional time to complete its preliminary investigation, it shall complete its preliminary 4 5 investigation no later than February 1, 1989, and by February 1, 1989 shall issue to each municipality 6 7 either (a) a Certificate of Eligibility or (b) a Notice of Review. A redevelopment project area for which a 8 9 Certificate of Eligibility has been issued shall be 10 deemed a "State Sales Tax Boundary."

11 (4) The Department of Revenue shall also issue a 12 Notice of Review if the Department has received a 13 request by November 1, 1988 to conduct such a review 14 from taxpayers in the municipality, local taxing 15 districts located in the municipality or the State of 16 Illinois, or if the redevelopment project area has more 17 than 5 retailers and has had growth in State sales tax revenue of more than 15% from calendar year 1985 to 18 19 1986.

20 (b) For those municipalities receiving a Notice of Review, the Department will conduct a secondary review 21 22 consisting of: (i) application of the above standards 23 contained subsection (9) (a) (1) (a) in and (b) or 24 (9) (a) (2) (a) and (b), and (ii) the definitions of blighted 25 and conservation area provided for in Section 11-74.4-3. 26 Such secondary review shall be completed by July 1, 1989.

1 completion of the secondary review, Upon the Department will issue (a) a Certificate of Eligibility or 2 3 (b) a Preliminary Notice of Deficiency. Any municipality receiving a Preliminary Notice of Deficiency may amend its 4 5 redevelopment project area to meet the standards and 6 definitions set forth in this paragraph (b). This amended 7 redevelopment project area shall become the "State Sales 8 Tax Boundary" for purposes of determining the State Sales 9 Tax Increment.

10 (c) If the municipality advises the Department of its 11 intent to comply with the requirements of paragraph (b) of 12 this subsection outlined in the Preliminary Notice of Deficiency, within 120 days of receiving such notice from 13 14 Department, the municipality shall submit the 15 documentation to the Department of the actions it has taken 16 to cure any deficiencies. Thereafter, within 30 days of the 17 receipt of the documentation, the Department shall either issue a Certificate of Eligibility or a Final Notice of 18 19 Deficiency. If the municipality fails to advise the Department of its intent to comply or fails to submit 20 adequate documentation of such cure of deficiencies the 21 22 Department shall issue a Final Notice of Deficiency that 23 provides that the municipality is ineligible for payment of 24 the Net State Sales Tax Increment.

(d) If the Department issues a final determination of
 ineligibility, the municipality shall have 30 days from the

receipt of determination to protest and request a hearing. 1 2 Such hearing shall be conducted in accordance with Sections 3 10-25, 10-35, 10-40, and 10-50 of the Illinois Administrative Procedure Act. The decision following the 4 5 hearing shall be subject to review under the Administrative 6 Review Law.

7 (e) Any Certificate of Eligibility issued pursuant to
8 this subsection 9 shall be binding only on the State for
9 the purposes of establishing municipal eligibility to
10 receive revenue pursuant to subsection (1) of this Section
11 11-74.4-8a.

(f) It is the intent of this subsection that the 12 13 periods of time to cure deficiencies shall be in addition 14 to all other periods of time permitted by this Section, 15 regardless of the date by which plans were originally 16 required to be adopted. To cure said deficiencies, however, 17 the municipality shall be required to follow the procedures and requirements pertaining to amendments, as provided in 18 Sections 11-74.4-5 and 11-74.4-6 of this Act. 19

(10) If a municipality adopts a State Sales Tax Boundary in accordance with the provisions of subsection (9) of this Section, such boundaries shall subsequently be utilized to determine Revised Initial Sales Tax Amounts and the Net State Sales Tax Increment; provided, however, that such revised State Sales Tax Boundary shall not have any effect upon the boundary of the redevelopment project area established for the purposes

of determining the ad valorem taxes on real property pursuant 1 2 to Sections 11-74.4-7 and 11-74.4-8 of this Act nor upon the 3 municipality's authority to implement the redevelopment plan for that redevelopment project area. For any redevelopment 4 5 project area with a smaller State Sales Tax Boundary within its area, the municipality may annually elect to deposit the 6 7 Municipal Sales Tax Increment for the redevelopment project 8 area in the special tax allocation fund and shall certify the 9 amount to the Department prior to receipt of the Net State 10 Sales Tax Increment. Any municipality required by subsection 11 (9) to establish a State Sales Tax Boundary for one or more of 12 its redevelopment project areas shall submit all necessary information required by the Department concerning 13 such boundary and the retailers therein, by October 1, 1989, after 14 15 complying with the procedures for amendment set forth in 16 Sections 11-74.4-5 and 11-74.4-6 of this Act. Net State Sales 17 Tax Increment produced within the State Sales Tax Boundary shall be spent only within that area. However expenditures of 18 19 all municipal property tax increment and municipal sales tax 20 increment in a redevelopment project area are not required to 21 be spent within the smaller State Sales Tax Boundary within 22 such redevelopment project area.

(11) The Department of Revenue shall have the authority toissue rules and regulations for purposes of this Section.

(12) If, under Section 5.4.1 of the Illinois Enterprise
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1 within a State Sales Tax Boundary has an improvement, 2 rehabilitation, or renovation that is entitled to a property tax abatement, then that property along with any improvements, 3 4 rehabilitation, or renovations shall be immediately removed 5 from any State Sales Tax Boundary. The municipality that made 6 the determination shall notify the Department of Revenue within 7 30 days after the determination. Once a property is removed from the State Sales Tax Boundary because of the existence of a 8 9 property tax abatement resulting from an enterprise zone, then 10 that property shall not be permitted to be amended into a State 11 Sales Tax Boundary.

12 (Source: P.A. 100-201, eff. 8-18-17.)