

1 AN ACT concerning local government.

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

4 Section 5. The Counties Code is amended by adding Section
5 5-1186 as follows:

6 (55 ILCS 5/5-1186 new)

7 Sec. 5-1186. Discontinuance of Capital Township in
8 Sangamon County. In addition to any other procedure available
9 by law to discontinue a township, upon resolutions of the
10 board of trustees of Capital Township in Sangamon County and
11 the Sangamon County Board, and after referendum approval by
12 the voters of the township and county: (1) Capital Township in
13 Sangamon County is discontinued; and (2) all the rights,
14 powers, duties, assets, property, liabilities, obligations,
15 and responsibilities of the Township are transferred to
16 Sangamon County, including, but not limited to, the
17 administration of the Capital Township's general assistance
18 program. Capital Township and Sangamon County shall follow the
19 same procedures that townships and municipalities must follow
20 under Article 29 of the Township Code in order to dissolve the
21 township and transfer all the rights, powers, duties, assets,
22 property, liabilities, obligations, and responsibilities of
23 the Township to the County.

1 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
2 becoming law.