

102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2021 and 2022 SB3012

Introduced 1/5/2022, by Sen. Mike Simmons

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

35 ILCS 200/15-173.1 new

Amends the Property Tax Code. Provides that the county board may designate a geographic area within the county as a flood zone. Provides that homestead property that is located within a flood zone is entitled to a reduction of \$5,000 from the property's equalized assessed value for the tax year in which the area is designated as a flood zone.

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1 AN ACT concerning revenue.

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

- Section 5. The Property Tax Code is amended by adding Section 15-173.1 as follows:
- 6 (35 ILCS 200/15-173.1 new)
- 7 Sec. 15-173.1. Homestead exemption for property in a flood zone. Beginning with tax year 2023, if a geographic area 8 9 within a county experiences excessive flooding in any tax year, the county board of the county may, by ordinance, 10 designate that area as a flood zone for that tax year. 11 12 Homestead property that is located within a flood zone is entitled to a reduction of \$5,000 from the property's 13 14 equalized assessed value for the tax year in which the area is designated as a flood zone. As used in this Section, 15 "homestead property" has the meaning given to that term in 16 17 Section 15-175.