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1 AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 1555

2 AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_. Amend Senate Bill 1555 by replacing  
3 everything from line 7 on page 2 through line 17 on page 3 with  
4 the following:

5 "(35 ILCS 200/27-55)

6 Sec. 27-55. Authorization ~~Objection~~ petition. Unless ~~If~~ a  
7 petition that is signed by at least 51% of the electors  
8 residing within the special service area and by at least 51% of  
9 the owners of record of the land included within the boundaries  
10 of the special service area is filed with the municipal clerk  
11 or county clerk, as the case may be, within 60 days following  
12 the final adjournment of the public hearing, authorizing  
13 ~~objecting to~~ the creation of the special service district, the  
14 enlargement of the area, the levy or imposition of a tax or the  
15 issuance of bonds for the provision of special services to the  
16 area, or to a proposed increase in the tax rate, the district  
17 shall not be created or enlarged, or the tax shall not be

1 levied or imposed nor the rate increased, or no bonds may be  
2 issued. ~~The subject matter of the petition shall not be~~  
3 ~~proposed relative to any signatories of the petition within the~~  
4 ~~next 2 years.~~ Each resident of the special service area  
5 registered to vote at the time of the public hearing held with  
6 regard to the special service area shall be considered an  
7 elector. However, if certified documentation or a sworn  
8 affidavit is submitted along with an authorization petition  
9 filed pursuant to this Section evidencing that an individual  
10 who is registered to vote has died or has permanently moved  
11 from the special service area and is no longer a resident of  
12 the special service area, then that individual shall not be  
13 counted as an elector for purposes of determining whether or  
14 not at least 51% of the electors residing within the special  
15 service area have signed the authorization petition. Each  
16 person in whose name legal title to land included within the  
17 boundaries of the special service area is held according to the  
18 records of the county in which the land is located shall be  
19 considered an owner of record. Owners of record shall be  
20 determined at the time of the public hearing held with regard  
21 to a special service area. Land owned in the name of a land  
22 trust, corporation, estate or partnership shall be considered  
23 to have a single owner of record.

24 (Source: P.A. 82-640; 88-455.)".