

HB0126



99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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HB0126

by Rep. Dwight Kay

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

10 ILCS 5/6A-1

from Ch. 46, par. 6A-1

Amends the Election Code. Beginning 90 days after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 99th General Assembly, the East St. Louis Board of Election Commissioners is abolished, and all of its functions and responsibilities shall thereafter be exercised by the St. Clair County Clerk.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning elections.

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

4 Section 5. The Election Code is amended by changing Section
5 6A-1 as follows:

6 (10 ILCS 5/6A-1) (from Ch. 46, par. 6A-1)

7 Sec. 6A-1. (a) Any county in which there is no city,
8 village or incorporated town with a board of election
9 commissioners may establish a county board of election
10 commissioners either (1) by ordinance of the county board or
11 (2) by vote of the electors of the county in accordance with
12 subsection (a) of Section 6A-2.

13 The fact that some territory in a county is within the
14 corporate limits of a city, village or incorporated town with a
15 board of election commissioners does not prevent that county
16 from establishing a county board of election commissioners in
17 accordance with this Article if no portion of such city,
18 village or incorporated town was within the county at the time
19 of the establishment of the board of election commissioners for
20 such city, village or incorporated town. If such a county
21 establishes a county board of election commissioners pursuant
22 to this Article, the county board of election commissioners
23 shall, with respect to the territory in the county within the

1 corporate limits of the city, village or incorporated town,
2 supersede the board of election commissioners of that city,
3 village or incorporated town.

4 (b) Any county with a population of more than 700,000
5 persons as of the 2010 federal decennial census that borders
6 another state and borders no more than 2 other Illinois
7 counties, shall be subject to a county board of election
8 commissioners beginning 90 days after the effective date of
9 this amendatory Act of the 98th General Assembly.

10 (c) Any county with a population of less than 200,000 but
11 more than 175,000 persons as of the 2010 federal decennial
12 census in which a city, village, or incorporated town with a
13 board of election commissioners is located may establish a
14 county board of election commissioners by vote of the electors
15 of the county in accordance with subsection (b) of Section
16 6A-2. If such a county establishes a county board of election
17 commissioners, the county board of election commissioners,
18 with respect to the territory in the county within the
19 corporate limits of the city, village, or incorporated town,
20 shall supersede the board of election commissioners of that
21 city, village, or incorporated town.

22 (d) Beginning 90 days after the effective date of this
23 amendatory Act of the 99th General Assembly, the East St. Louis
24 Board of Election Commissioners is abolished, and all of its
25 functions and responsibilities shall thereafter be exercised
26 by the St. Clair County Clerk.

1 (Source: P.A. 98-115, eff. 7-29-13.)