

SB0740



99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2015 and 2016

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Introduced 2/3/2015, by Sen. Linda Holmes

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

425 ILCS 20/2 new

Amends the Fire Hydrant Act. Provides that whoever fails to comply with any of the provisions of the Act, after receiving written notice of noncompliance or violation from a fire protection district or municipality in whose jurisdiction a fire hydrant is located, shall be responsible for all reasonable costs that the fire protection district or municipality incurs to correct the noncompliance, including attorney's fees and legal expenses incurred by the fire protection district or municipality in recovering the costs from the responsible party. Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT
MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning safety.

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

4 Section 5. The Fire Hydrant Act is amended by adding
5 Section 2 as follows:

6 (425 ILCS 20/2 new)

7 Sec. 2. Recovery of costs. Whoever fails to comply with any
8 of the provisions of this Act, after receiving written notice
9 of noncompliance or violation from a fire protection district
10 or municipality in whose jurisdiction a fire hydrant is
11 located, shall be responsible for all reasonable costs that the
12 fire protection district or municipality incurs to correct the
13 noncompliance, including attorney's fees and legal expenses
14 incurred by the fire protection district or municipality in
15 recovering the costs from the responsible party.

16 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
17 becoming law.