SENATE AMENDMENT NO.

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Amend SS/SCS/HCS/House Bill No. 1606, Page 1, Section TITLE, Lines 5-6,

by striking "county officials" and inserting in lieu thereof 2 3 the following: "political subdivisions"; and Further amend said bill, page 11, Section 58.200, line 4 17, by inserting after all of said line the following: 5 1. To establish a neighborhood improvement 6 7 district, the governing body of any city or county shall comply with either of the procedures described in subsection 8 9 2 or 3 of this section. 2. The governing body of any city or county proposing 10 to create a neighborhood improvement district may by 11 resolution submit the question of creating such district to 12 all qualified voters residing within such district at a 13 general or special election called for that purpose. 14 15 resolution shall set forth the project name for the proposed 16 improvement, the general nature of the proposed improvement, the estimated cost of such improvement, the boundaries of 17 the proposed neighborhood improvement district to be 18 assessed, and the proposed method or methods of assessment 19 20 of real property within the district, including any 21 provision for the annual assessment of maintenance costs of 22 the improvement in each year during the term of the bonds 23 issued for the original improvement and after such bonds are 24 paid in full. The governing body of the city or county may 25 create a neighborhood improvement district when the question of creating such district has been approved by the vote of 26

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    thereon that is equal to the percentage of voter approval
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    required for the issuance of general obligation bonds of
    such city or county under Article VI, Section 26 of the
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    constitution of this state. The notice of election
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    proposed improvement, the general nature of the proposed
    improvement, the estimated cost of such improvement, the
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    to be assessed, the proposed method or methods of assessment
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    provision for the annual assessment of maintenance costs of
    the improvement in each year after the bonds issued for the
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    original improvement are paid in full, and a statement that
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    the final cost of such improvement assessed against real
    property within the district and the amount of general
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    estimated cost of such improvement, as stated in such
    notice, by more than twenty-five percent, and that the
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    annual assessment for maintenance costs of the improvements
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    shall not exceed the estimated annual maintenance cost, as
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    stated in such notice, by more than twenty-five percent.
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    The ballot upon which the question of creating a
    neighborhood improvement district is submitted to the
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    qualified voters residing within the proposed district shall
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    contain a question in substantially the following form:
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         for the proposed improvement) and incur
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60 improvements within such district, the cost of 61 all indebtedness so incurred to be assessed by 62 the governing body of the (city or county) on the real property benefitted by such 63 64 improvements for a period of years, and, 65 if included in the resolution, an assessment in 66 each year thereafter with the proceeds thereof 67 used solely for maintenance of the improvement? 68 As an alternative to the procedure described in 69 subsection 2 of this section, the governing body of a city 70 or county may create a neighborhood improvement district when a proper petition has been signed by the owners of 71 72 record of at least two-thirds by area of all real property located within such proposed district. Each owner of record 73 74 of real property located in the proposed district is allowed 75 one signature. Any person, corporation, or limited 76 liability partnership owning more than one parcel of land located in such proposed district shall be allowed only one 77 78 signature on such petition. The petition, in order to become effective, shall be filed with the city clerk or 79 80 county clerk. A proper petition for the creation of a 81 neighborhood improvement district shall set forth the 82 project name for the proposed improvement, the general 83 nature of the proposed improvement, the estimated cost of 84 such improvement, the boundaries of the proposed 85 neighborhood improvement district to be assessed, the 86 proposed method or methods of assessment of real property within the district, including any provision for the annual 87 assessment of maintenance costs of the improvement in each 88 89 year during the term of the bonds issued for the original 90 improvement and after such bonds are paid in full, a notice 91 that the names of the signers may not be withdrawn later 92 than seven days after the petition is filed with the city

- 93 clerk or county clerk, and a notice that the final cost of 94 such improvement assessed against real property within the 95 district and the amount of general obligation bonds issued therefor shall not exceed the estimated cost of such 96 97 improvement, as stated in such petition, by more than twenty-98 five percent, and that the annual assessment for maintenance 99 costs of the improvements shall not exceed the estimated 100 annual maintenance cost, as stated in such petition, by more 101 than twenty-five percent.
- 102 Upon receiving the requisite voter approval at an 103 election or upon the filing of a proper petition with the 104 city clerk or county clerk, the governing body may by 105 resolution or ordinance determine the advisability of the 106 improvement and may order that the district be established 107 and that preliminary plans and specifications for the 108 improvement be made. Such resolution or ordinance shall 109 state and make findings as to the project name for the 110 proposed improvement, the nature of the improvement, the 111 estimated cost of such improvement, the boundaries of the neighborhood improvement district to be assessed, the 112 proposed method or methods of assessment of real property 113 114 within the district, including any provision for the annual assessment of maintenance costs of the improvement in each 115 116 year after the bonds issued for the original improvement are 117 paid in full, and shall also state that the final cost of 118 such improvement assessed against the real property within 119 the neighborhood improvement district and the amount of general obligation bonds issued therefor shall not, without 120 a new election or petition, exceed the estimated cost of 121 122 such improvement by more than twenty-five percent.
 - 5. The boundaries of the proposed district shall be described by metes and bounds, streets or other sufficiently specific description. The area of the neighborhood

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- 126 improvement district finally determined by the governing
- 127 body of the city or county to be assessed may be less than,
- 128 but shall not exceed, the total area comprising such
- 129 district.
- 130 6. In any neighborhood improvement district organized
- prior to August 28, 1994, an assessment may be levied and
- 132 collected after the original period approved for assessment
- of property within the district has expired, with the
- 134 proceeds thereof used solely for maintenance of the
- improvement, if the residents of the neighborhood
- improvement district either vote to assess real property
- 137 within the district for the maintenance costs in the manner
- 138 prescribed in subsection 2 of this section or if the owners
- of two-thirds of the area of all real property located
- 140 within the district sign a petition for such purpose in the
- 141 same manner as prescribed in subsection 3 of this section.
- 7. Prior to any assessment hereafter being levied
- against any real property within any neighborhood
- improvement district, and prior to any lien enforceable
- under either chapter 140 or 141 being imposed after August
- 146 28, 2013, against any real property within a neighborhood
- improvement district, the clerk of the governing body
- 148 establishing the neighborhood improvement district shall
- 149 cause to be recorded with the recorder of deeds for the
- 150 county in which any portion of the neighborhood improvement
- 151 district is located a document conforming to the provisions
- 152 of sections 59.310 and 59.313, and which shall contain at
- 153 least the following information:
- 154 (1) Each and all owners of record of real property
- 155 located within the neighborhood improvement district at the
- time of recording, who shall be identified in the document
- 157 as grantors and indexed by the recorder, as required under
- and pursuant to section 59.440;

159 (2) The governing body establishing the neighborhood 160 improvement district and the title of any official or agency 161 responsible for collecting or enforcing any assessments, who 162 shall be identified in the document as grantees and so 163 indexed by the recorder, as required under and pursuant to 164 section 59.440;

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- (3) The legal description of the property within the neighborhood improvement district which may either be the metes and bounds description authorized in subsection 5 of this section or the legal description of each lot or parcel within the neighborhood improvement district; and
- 170 (4) The identifying number of the resolution or 171 ordinance creating the neighborhood improvement district, or 172 a copy of such resolution or ordinance.
- 8. (1) The governing body of the city or county

 174 establishing a neighborhood improvement district shall, as

 175 soon as is practicable, submit the following information to

 176 the state auditor and the department of revenue:
- 177 (a) A description of the boundaries of such district

 178 as well as the average assessment made against real property

 179 located in such district;
- 180 (b) Any amendments made to the boundaries of a

 181 district; and
- 182 <u>(c) The date on which a neighborhood improvement</u>
 183 district is dissolved.
- 184 (2) The governing body of the city or county

 185 establishing a neighborhood improvement district on or after

 186 August 28, 2022, shall not order any assessment to be made

 187 on any real property located within a district until such

 188 governing body has submitted the information required by

 189 paragraph (a) of subdivision (1) of this subsection.
- 190 67.461. 1. After the governing body has made the 191 findings specified in section 67.457 and plans and

- specifications for the proposed improvements have been prepared, the governing body shall by ordinance or resolution order assessments to be made against each parcel of real property deemed to be benefitted by an improvement based on the revised estimated cost of the improvement or, if available, the final cost thereof, and shall order a proposed assessment roll to be prepared.
- 199 The plans and specifications for the improvement 200 and the proposed assessment roll shall be filed with the 201 city clerk or county clerk, as applicable, and shall be open 202 for public inspection. Such clerk shall thereupon, at the 203 direction of the governing body, publish notice that the 204 governing body will conduct a hearing to consider the 205 proposed improvement and proposed assessments. Such notice 206 shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation at 207 least once not more than twenty days and not less than ten 208 days before the hearing and shall state the project name for 209 the improvement, the date, time and place of such hearing, 210 the general nature of the improvement, the revised estimated cost or, if available, the final cost of the improvement, 211 the boundaries of the neighborhood improvement district to 212 be assessed, and that written or oral objections will be 213 considered at the hearing. Such notice shall also be sent 214 215 to the Missouri department of revenue, which shall publish such notice on its website. At the same time, the clerk 216 217 shall mail to the owners of record of the real property made 218 liable to pay the assessments, at their last known post office address, a notice of the hearing and a statement of 219 220 the cost proposed to be assessed against the real property 221 so owned and assessed. The failure of any owner to receive 222 such notice shall not invalidate the proceedings.
- 223 67.1421. 1. Upon receipt of a proper petition filed 224 with its municipal clerk, the governing body of the

- municipality in which the proposed district is located shall hold a public hearing in accordance with section 67.1431 and may adopt an ordinance to establish the proposed district.
- 228 2. A petition is proper if, based on the tax records
 229 of the county clerk, or the collector of revenue if the
 230 district is located in a city not within a county, as of the
 231 time of filing the petition with the municipal clerk, it
 232 meets the following requirements:
- 233 (1) It has been signed by property owners collectively 234 owning more than fifty percent by assessed value of the real 235 property within the boundaries of the proposed district;
- 236 (2) It has been signed by more than fifty percent per 237 capita of all owners of real property within the boundaries 238 of the proposed district; and
 - (3) It contains the following information:
- (a) The legal description of the proposed district,including a map illustrating the district boundaries;
 - (b) The name of the proposed district;

- (c) A notice that the signatures of the signers may not be withdrawn later than seven days after the petition is filed with the municipal clerk;
- 246 (d) A five-year plan stating a description of the
 247 purposes of the proposed district, the services it will
 248 provide, each improvement it will make from the list of
 249 allowable improvements under section 67.1461, an estimate of
 250 the costs of these services and improvements to be incurred,
 251 the anticipated sources of funds to pay the costs, and the
 252 anticipated term of the sources of funds to pay the costs;
- 253 (e) A statement as to whether the district will be a
 254 political subdivision or a not-for-profit corporation and if
 255 it is to be a not-for-profit corporation, the name of the
 256 not-for-profit corporation;

- 257 (f) If the district is to be a political subdivision,
- 258 a statement as to whether the district will be governed by a
- 259 board elected by the district or whether the board will be
- appointed by the municipality, and, if the board is to be
- 261 elected by the district, the names and terms of the initial
- 262 board may be stated;
- 263 (g) If the district is to be a political subdivision,
- the number of directors to serve on the board;
- 265 (h) The total assessed value of all real property
- 266 within the proposed district;
- 267 (i) A statement as to whether the petitioners are
- 268 seeking a determination that the proposed district, or any
- 269 legally described portion thereof, is a blighted area;
- 270 (j) The proposed length of time for the existence of
- 271 the district, which in the case of districts established
- 272 after August 28, 2021, shall not exceed twenty-seven years
- 273 from the adoption of the ordinance establishing the district
- 274 unless the municipality extends the length of time under
- 275 section 67.1481;
- (k) The maximum rates of real property taxes, and,
- 277 business license taxes in the county seat of a county of the
- 278 first classification without a charter form of government
- 279 containing a population of at least two hundred thousand,
- 280 that may be submitted to the qualified voters for approval;
- 281 (1) The maximum rates of special assessments and
- respective methods of assessment that may be proposed by
- 283 petition;
- 284 (m) The limitations, if any, on the borrowing capacity
- 285 of the district;
- (n) The limitations, if any, on the revenue generation
- 287 of the district;
- 288 (o) Other limitations, if any, on the powers of the
- 289 district;

290	(p) A request that the district be established; and		
291	(q) Any other items the petitioners deem appropriate;		
292	(4) The signature block for each real property owner		
293	signing the petition shall be in substantially the following		
294	form and contain the following information:		
295	Name of owner:		
296 297	Owner's telephone number and mailing address:		
298	If signer is different from owner:		
299	Name of signer:		
300	State basis of legal authority to sign:		
301 302	Signer's telephone number and mailing address:		
303 304	If the owner is an individual, state if owner is single or married:		
305 306	If owner is not an individual, state what type of entity:		
307 308 309	Map and parcel number and assessed value of each tract of real property within the proposed district owned:		
310 311 312 313	By executing this petition, the undersigned represents and warrants that he or she is authorized to execute this petition on behalf of the property owner named immediately above		
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315	Signature of person Date		
316	signing for owner		
317	STATE OF MISSOURI)		
318) ss.		
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320 321 322	Before me personally appeared, to me personally known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument.		

323	WITNESS my hand and official seal this day
324	of (month), (year).
	
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326	Notary Public
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327	My Commission Expires: ; and
327	My Commission Expires:; and

- (5) Alternatively, the governing body of any home rule city with more than four hundred thousand inhabitants and located in more than one county may file a petition to initiate the process to establish a district in the portion of the city located in any county of the first classification with more than two hundred thousand but fewer than two hundred sixty thousand inhabitants containing the information required in subdivision (3) of this subsection; provided that the only funding methods for the services and improvements will be a real property tax.
- 3. Upon receipt of a petition the municipal clerk shall, within a reasonable time not to exceed ninety days after receipt of the petition, review and determine whether the petition substantially complies with the requirements of subsection 2 of this section. In the event the municipal clerk receives a petition which does not meet the requirements of subsection 2 of this section, the municipal clerk shall, within a reasonable time, return the petition to the submitting party by hand delivery, first class mail, postage prepaid or other efficient means of return and shall specify which requirements have not been met.
 - 4. After the close of the public hearing required pursuant to subsection 1 of this section, the governing body of the municipality may adopt an ordinance approving the petition and establishing a district as set forth in the petition and may determine, if requested in the petition, whether the district, or any legally described portion

thereof, constitutes a blighted area. If the petition was filed by the governing body of a municipality pursuant to subdivision (5) of subsection 2 of this section, after the close of the public hearing required pursuant to subsection 1 of this section, the petition may be approved by the governing body and an election shall be called pursuant to section 67.1422.

- 5. Amendments to a petition may be made which do not change the proposed boundaries of the proposed district if an amended petition meeting the requirements of subsection 2 of this section is filed with the municipal clerk at the following times and the following requirements have been met:
- (1) At any time prior to the close of the public hearing required pursuant to subsection 1 of this section; provided that, notice of the contents of the amended petition is given at the public hearing;
- (2) At any time after the public hearing and prior to the adoption of an ordinance establishing the proposed district; provided that, notice of the amendments to the petition is given by publishing the notice in a newspaper of general circulation within the municipality and by sending the notice via registered certified United States mail with a return receipt attached to the address of record of each owner of record of real property within the boundaries of the proposed district per the tax records of the county clerk, or the collector of revenue if the district is located in a city not within a county. Such notice shall be published and mailed not less than ten days prior to the adoption of the ordinance establishing the district. Such notice shall also be sent to the Missouri department of revenue, which shall publish such notice on its website;
 - (3) At any time after the adoption of any ordinance establishing the district a public hearing on the amended

- petition is held and notice of the public hearing is given in the manner provided in section 67.1431 and the governing body of the municipality in which the district is located adopts an ordinance approving the amended petition after the public hearing is held.
- 393 6. Upon the creation of a district, the municipal clerk shall report in writing the creation of such district 395 to the Missouri department of economic development and the 396 state auditor.
- 7. (1) The governing body of the municipality or

 county establishing a district or the governing body of such

 district shall, as soon as is practicable, submit the

 following information to the state auditor and the

 department of revenue:
- 402 (a) A description of the boundaries of such district
 403 as well as the rate of property tax or sales tax levied in
 404 such district;

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- (b) Any amendments made to the boundaries of a district or the tax rates levied in such district; and
- (c) The date on which the district is to expire unless sooner terminated.
- district established on or after August 28, 2022, shall not order any assessment to be made on any real property located within a district and shall not levy any property or sales tax until the information required by paragraph (a) of subdivision (1) of this subsection has been submitted.
 - 67.1431. 1. Within a reasonable time, not to exceed forty-five days, after the receipt of the verified petition from the municipal clerk, the governing body shall hold or cause to be held a public hearing on the establishment of the proposed district and shall give notice of the public hearing in the manner provided in subsection 3 of this

- section. All reasonable protests, objections and endorsements shall be heard at the public hearing.
- 2. The public hearing may be continued to another date without further notice other than a motion to be entered on the minutes fixing the date, time and place of the continuance of the public hearing, as well as providing such information to the Missouri department of revenue, which shall publish such information on its website.
- 429 Notice of the public hearing shall be given by 430 publication and mailing. Notice by publication shall be given by publication in a newspaper of general circulation 431 within the municipality once a week for two consecutive 432 433 weeks prior to the week of the public hearing, as well as by 434 notice provided to the Missouri department of revenue, which shall publish such information on its website. Notice by 435 436 mail shall be given not less than fifteen days prior to the 437 public hearing by sending the notice via registered or certified United States mail with a return receipt attached 438 to the address of record of each owner of record of real 439 property within the boundaries of the proposed district. 440 441 The published and mailed notices shall include the following:
 - (1) The date, time and place of the public hearing;
 - (2) A statement that a petition for the establishment of a district has been filed with the municipal clerk;

- 445 (3) The boundaries of the proposed district by street 446 location, or other readily identifiable means if no street 447 location exists; and a map illustrating the proposed 448 boundaries;
- 449 (4) A statement that a copy of the petition is 450 available for review at the office of the municipal clerk 451 during regular business hours; and
- 452 (5) A statement that all interested persons shall be 453 given an opportunity to be heard at the public hearing.

- 454 67.1471. 1. The fiscal year for the district shall be 455 the same as the fiscal year of the municipality.
- 456 2. No earlier than one hundred eighty days and no 457 later than ninety days prior to the first day of each fiscal 458 year, the board shall submit to the Missouri department of 459 revenue, the state auditor, and the governing body of the city a proposed annual budget, setting forth expected 460 461 expenditures, revenues, and rates of assessments and taxes, 462 if any, for such fiscal year. The governing body may review 463 and comment to the board on this proposed budget, but if 464 such comments are given, the governing body of the municipality shall provide such written comments to the 465 466 board no later than sixty days prior to the first day of the 467 relevant fiscal year; such comments shall not constitute requirements but shall only be recommendations. 468
- 469 3. The board shall hold an annual meeting and adopt an annual budget no later than thirty days prior to the first day of each fiscal year.
- 472 Within one hundred twenty days after the end of each fiscal year, the district shall submit a report to the 473 474 municipal clerk, the Missouri department of revenue, the 475 state auditor, and the Missouri department of economic 476 development. The report shall state the services provided, 477 revenues collected, and expenditures made by the district 478 during such fiscal year; state the dates the district adopted its annual budget, submitted its proposed annual 479 budget to the municipality, and submitted its annual report 480 to the municipal clerk; and include copies of written 481 482 resolutions approved by the board during the fiscal year. 483 The municipal clerk shall retain this report as part of the 484 official records of the municipality and shall also cause this report to be spread upon the records of the governing 485 486 body.

487 5. The state auditor may audit a district in the same 488 manner as the auditor may audit any agency of the state. 489 99.825. 1. Prior to the adoption of an ordinance 490 proposing the designation of a redevelopment area, or 491 approving a redevelopment plan or redevelopment project, the 492 commission shall fix a time and place for a public hearing as required in subsection 4 of section 99.820 and notify 493 494 each taxing district located wholly or partially within the 495 boundaries of the proposed redevelopment area, plan or 496 project. At the public hearing any interested person or 497 affected taxing district may file with the commission written objections to, or comments on, and may be heard 498 orally in respect to, any issues embodied in the notice. 499 500 The commission shall hear and consider all protests, 501 objections, comments and other evidence presented at the 502 hearing. The hearing may be continued to another date 503 without further notice other than a motion to be entered upon the minutes fixing the time and place of the subsequent 504 505 hearing, as well as providing such information to the Missouri department of revenue, which shall publish such 506 507 information on its website; provided, if the commission is 508 created under subsection 3 of section 99.820, the hearing 509 shall not be continued for more than thirty days beyond the 510 date on which it is originally opened unless such longer 511 period is requested by the chief elected official of the 512 municipality creating the commission and approved by a majority of the commission. Prior to the conclusion of the 513 hearing, changes may be made in the redevelopment plan, 514 redevelopment project, or redevelopment area, provided that 515 516 each affected taxing district is given written notice of 517 such changes at least seven days prior to the conclusion of the hearing. After the public hearing but prior to the 518 519 adoption of an ordinance approving a redevelopment plan or

520 redevelopment project, or designating a redevelopment area, 521 changes may be made to the redevelopment plan, redevelopment 522 projects or redevelopment areas without a further hearing, 523 if such changes do not enlarge the exterior boundaries of 524 the redevelopment area or areas, and do not substantially 525 affect the general land uses established in the 526 redevelopment plan or substantially change the nature of the 527 redevelopment projects, provided that notice of such changes 528 shall be given by mail to each affected taxing district and 529 by publication in a newspaper of general circulation in the 530 area of the proposed redevelopment not less than ten days prior to the adoption of the changes by ordinance. After 531 532 the adoption of an ordinance approving a redevelopment plan 533 or redevelopment project, or designating a redevelopment 534 area, no ordinance shall be adopted altering the exterior 535 boundaries, affecting the general land uses established 536 pursuant to the redevelopment plan or changing the nature of the redevelopment project without complying with the 537 538 procedures provided in this section pertaining to the initial approval of a redevelopment plan or redevelopment 539 540 project and designation of a redevelopment area. Hearings with regard to a redevelopment project, redevelopment area, 541 or redevelopment plan may be held simultaneously. 542 543 If, after concluding the hearing required under this section, the commission makes a recommendation under 544 545 section 99.820 in opposition to a proposed redevelopment plan, redevelopment project, or designation of a 546 redevelopment area, or any amendments thereto, a 547 548 municipality desiring to approve such project, plan, 549 designation, or amendments shall do so only upon a two-550 thirds majority vote of the governing body of such municipality. For plans, projects, designations, or 551 552 amendments approved by a municipality over the

- recommendation in opposition by the commission formed under
- subsection 3 of section 99.820, the economic activity taxes
- and payments in lieu of taxes generated by such plan,
- project, designation, or amendment shall be restricted to
- 557 paying only those redevelopment project costs contained in
- 558 subparagraphs b. and c. of paragraph (c) of subdivision (16)
- of section 99.805 per redevelopment project.
- 560 3. Tax incremental financing projects within an
- 561 economic development area shall apply to and fund only the
- 562 following infrastructure projects: highways, roads,
- 563 streets, bridges, sewers, traffic control systems and
- 564 devices, water distribution and supply systems, curbing,
- sidewalks and any other similar public improvements, but in
- 566 no case shall it include buildings.
- 567 4. (1) The governing body of the municipality
- 568 establishing a redevelopment area shall, as soon as is
- 569 practicable, submit the following information to the state
- 570 auditor and the department of revenue:
- (a) A description of the boundaries of such
- 572 redevelopment area;
- 573 (b) Any amendments made to the boundaries of a
- 574 redevelopment area;
- 575 (c) The estimated redevelopment project costs and the
- 576 estimated date of completion of all redevelopment projects;
- **577** and
- 578 (d) The date on which the redevelopment area is
- 579 dissolved.
- 580 (2) The governing body of the municipality
- 581 establishing a redevelopment area on or after August 28,
- 582 2022, shall not deposit any payments in lieu of taxes or any
- 583 other taxes into the special allocation fund until such
- 584 governing body has submitted the information required by
- paragraph (a) of subdivision (1) of this subsection.

586 99.830. 1. Notice of the public hearing required by 587 section 99.825 shall be given by publication and mailing. Notice by publication shall be given by publication at least 588 589 twice, the first publication to be not more than thirty days 590 and the second publication to be not more than ten days 591 prior to the hearing, in a newspaper of general circulation in the area of the proposed redevelopment. Notice by 592 593 mailing shall be given by depositing such notice in the 594 United States mail by certified mail addressed to the person 595 or persons in whose name the general taxes for the last 596 preceding year were paid on each lot, block, tract, or 597 parcel of land lying within the redevelopment project or redevelopment area which is to be subjected to the payment 598 599 or payments in lieu of taxes and economic activity taxes pursuant to section 99.845. Such notice shall be mailed not 600 601 less than ten days prior to the date set for the public 602 hearing. In the event taxes for the last preceding year were not paid, the notice shall also be sent to the persons 603 604 last listed on the tax rolls within the preceding three years as the owners of such property. 605

- 2. The notices issued pursuant to this section shall include the following:
 - (1) The time and place of the public hearing;
- 609 (2) The general boundaries of the proposed 610 redevelopment area or redevelopment project by street 611 location, where possible;

- 612 (3) A statement that all interested persons shall be 613 given an opportunity to be heard at the public hearing;
- 614 (4) A description of the proposed redevelopment plan 615 or redevelopment project and a location and time where the 616 entire plan or project proposal may be reviewed by any 617 interested party;

- 618 (5) Such other matters as the commission may deem appropriate.
- 3. Not less than forty-five days prior to the date set
- for the public hearing, the commission shall give notice by
- 622 mail as provided in subsection 1 of this section to all
- 623 taxing districts from which taxable property is included in
- 624 the redevelopment area, redevelopment project or
- redevelopment plan, and in addition to the other
- 626 requirements pursuant to subsection 2 of this section, the
- 627 notice shall include an invitation to each taxing district
- 628 to submit comments to the commission concerning the subject
- 629 matter of the hearing prior to the date of the hearing.
- 4. A copy of any and all hearing notices required by
- 631 section 99.825 shall be submitted by the commission to the
- director of the department of economic development and to
- 633 the Missouri department of revenue, which shall publish such
- 634 notice on its website. Such submission of the copy of the
- 635 hearing notice shall comply with the prior notice
- 636 requirements pursuant to subsection 3 of this section.
- 99.865. 1. No later than November fifteenth of each
- 638 year, the governing body of the municipality, or its
- 639 designee, shall prepare a report concerning the status of
- 640 each redevelopment plan and redevelopment project existing
- as of December thirty-first of the preceding year, and shall
- 642 submit a copy of such report to the director of the
- 643 department of revenue. The report shall include the
- 644 following:
- (1) The amount and source of revenue in the special
- 646 allocation fund;
- 647 (2) The amount and purpose of expenditures from the
- 648 special allocation fund;

- 649 (3) The amount of any pledge of revenues, including 650 principal and interest on any outstanding bonded 651 indebtedness;
- 652 (4) The original assessed value of the redevelopment 653 project;
- 654 (5) The assessed valuation added to the redevelopment 655 project;
- 656 (6) Payments made in lieu of taxes received and 657 expended;
- 658 (7) The economic activity taxes generated within the
 659 redevelopment area in the calendar year prior to the
 660 approval of the redevelopment plan, to include a separate
 661 entry for the state sales tax revenue base for the
 662 redevelopment area or the state income tax withheld by
 663 employers on behalf of existing employees in the
 664 redevelopment area prior to the redevelopment plan;
- 665 (8) The economic activity taxes generated within the
 666 redevelopment area after the approval of the redevelopment
 667 plan, to include a separate entry for the increase in state
 668 sales tax revenues for the redevelopment area or the
 669 increase in state income tax withheld by employers on behalf
 670 of new employees who fill new jobs created in the
 671 redevelopment area;
- 672 (9) Reports on contracts made incident to the
 673 implementation and furtherance of a redevelopment plan or
 674 project;
- 675 (10) A copy of any redevelopment plan, which shall 676 include the required findings and cost-benefit analysis 677 pursuant to subdivisions (1) to (6) of section 99.810;
- 678 (11) The cost of any property acquired, disposed of, 679 rehabilitated, reconstructed, repaired or remodeled;
- 680 (12) The number of parcels acquired by or through 681 initiation of eminent domain proceedings; and

- 682 (13) Any additional information the municipality deems necessary.
- 684 2. Data contained in the report mandated pursuant to the provisions of subsection 1 of this section shall be made 685 available to the commissioner of administration, who shall 686 687 publish such reports on the Missouri accountability portal pursuant to section 37.850. Any information regarding 688 689 amounts disbursed to municipalities pursuant to the 690 provisions of section 99.845 shall be deemed a public 691 record, as defined in section 610.010. An annual statement 692 showing the payments made in lieu of taxes received and 693 expended in that year, the status of the redevelopment plan and projects therein, amount of outstanding bonded 694 695 indebtedness and any additional information the municipality 696 deems necessary shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the municipality. 697
- 698 3. Five years after the establishment of a redevelopment plan and every five years thereafter the 699 700 governing body shall hold a public hearing regarding those redevelopment plans and projects created pursuant to 701 702 sections 99.800 to 99.865. The purpose of the hearing shall 703 be to determine if the redevelopment project is making 704 satisfactory progress under the proposed time schedule 705 contained within the approved plans for completion of such 706 projects. Notice of such public hearing shall be given in a 707 newspaper of general circulation in the area served by the commission once each week for four weeks immediately prior 708 709 to the hearing, and shall also be sent to the Missouri department of revenue, which shall publish such notice on 710 711 its website.
- 712 4. The director of the department of revenue shall
 713 submit a report to the state auditor, the speaker of the
 714 house of representatives, and the president pro tem of the

- senate no later than February first of each year. The report shall contain a summary of all information received by the director pursuant to subsection 1 of this section.
- 5. For the purpose of coordinating all tax increment financing projects using new state revenues, the director of the department of economic development may promulgate rules and regulations to ensure compliance with this section.
- 722 Such rules and regulations may include methods for
- 723 enumerating all of the municipalities which have established
- 724 commissions pursuant to section 99.820. No rule or portion
- of a rule promulgated under the authority of sections 99.800
- 726 to 99.865 shall become effective unless it has been
- 727 promulgated pursuant to the provisions of chapter 536. All
- 728 rulemaking authority delegated prior to June 27, 1997, is of
- 729 no force and effect and repealed; however, nothing in this
- 730 section shall be interpreted to repeal or affect the
- 731 validity of any rule filed or adopted prior to June 27,
- 732 1997, if such rule complied with the provisions of chapter
- 733 536. The provisions of this section and chapter 536 are
- 734 nonseverable and if any of the powers vested with the
- 735 general assembly pursuant to chapter 536 including the
- 736 ability to review, to delay the effective date, or to
- 737 disapprove and annul a rule or portion of a rule are
- 738 subsequently held unconstitutional, then the purported grant
- 739 of rulemaking authority and any rule so proposed and
- 740 contained in the order of rulemaking shall be invalid and
- 741 void.
- 742 6. The department of economic development shall
- 743 provide information and technical assistance, as requested
- 744 by any municipality, on the requirements of sections 99.800
- 745 to 99.865. Such information and technical assistance shall
- 746 be provided in the form of a manual, written in an easy-to-

- 747 follow manner, and through consultations with departmental staff.
- The department of revenue shall provide notice of 749 7. 750 any failure to comply with the reporting requirements 751 provided in subsection 1 of this section to the applicable 752 municipality, specifying any required corrections, by certified mail addressed to the municipality's chief elected 753 754 officer. If such municipality does not satisfy the 755 reporting requirements for which it previously did not 756 comply, as specified in the notice from the department of 757 revenue, within sixty days of the receipt of the notice, the 758 municipality shall be prohibited from adopting any new tax increment finance plan for a period of five years from the 759 760 date of the department of revenue's notice. All reports 761 filed pursuant to subsection 1 of this section or in 762 response to a notice from the department of revenue pursuant 763 to this subsection shall be deemed accepted by the department of revenue unless the department of revenue 764 765 provides the applicable municipality with a written objection thereto, specifying any required corrections, by 766 certified mail addressed to the chief elected officer of the 767 768 municipality within sixty days of the municipality's
 - 8. Based upon the information provided in the reports required under the provisions of this section, the state auditor shall make available for public inspection on the auditor's website a searchable electronic database of such municipal tax increment finance reports. All information contained within such database shall be maintained for a period of no less than ten years from initial posting."; and Further amend said bill, page 15, Section 140.190, line 55, by inserting after all of said line the following:

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submission of such report.

779 "238.212. 1. If the petition was filed by registered 780 voters or by a governing body, the circuit clerk in whose 781 office the petition was filed shall give notice to the 782 public by causing one or more newspapers of general 783 circulation serving the counties or portions thereof 784 contained in the proposed district to publish once a week 785 for four consecutive weeks a notice substantially in the 786 following form:

787 NOTICE OF PETITION

TO SUBMIT TO A POPULAR VOTE THE CREATION AND FUNDING OF A TRANSPORTATION DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT

Notice is hereby given to all persons residing or owning property in (here specifically describe the proposed district boundaries), within the state of Missouri, that a petition has been filed asking that upon voter approval, a transportation development district by the name of " Transportation Development District" be formed for the purpose of developing the following transportation project: (here summarize the proposed transportation project or projects). The petition also requests voter approval of the following method(s) of funding the district, which (may) (shall not) increase the total taxes imposed within the proposed district: (describe the proposed funding methods). A copy of this petition is on file and available at the office of the clerk of the circuit court of County, located at , Missouri. You are notified to join in or file your own petition supporting or answer opposing the creation of the transportation development district and requesting a declaratory judgment, as required by law, no later than the day of , 20 . You may show cause, if any there be, why such petition is defective or proposed transportation development district or its funding method, as set forth in the petition, is illegal or unconstitutional and should not be submitted for voter approval at a general,

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primary or special election as directed by this court.

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- 822 Clerk of the Circuit Court of _____ County
- 2. The circuit court may also order a public hearing 823 824 on the question of the creation and funding of the proposed 825 district, if it deems such appropriate, under such terms and 826 conditions as it deems appropriate. The circuit court shall order at least one public hearing on the creation and 827 funding of the proposed district, if the petition for 828 creating such district was filed by the owners of record of 829 all real property within the proposed district. If a public 830 831 hearing is ordered, notice of the time, date and place of 832 the hearing shall also be given in the notice specified in 833 subsection 1 of this section.
- 3. The notice required by this section shall also be
 sent to the Missouri department of revenue, which shall
 publish and maintain such notice on its website.
 - 238.222. 1. The board shall possess and exercise all of the district's legislative and executive powers.
 - 2. Within thirty days after the election of the initial directors or the selection of the initial directors pursuant to subsection 3 of section 238.220, the board shall meet. The time and place of the first meeting of the board shall be designated by the court that heard the petition upon the court's own initiative or upon the petition of any interested person. At its first meeting and after each election of new board members or the selection of the initial directors pursuant to subsection 3 of section 238.220, the board shall elect a chairman from its members.

- 3. The board shall appoint an executive director, district secretary, treasurer and such other officers or employees as it deems necessary.
- 4. At the first meeting, the board, by resolution, shall define the first and subsequent fiscal years of the district, shall adopt a corporate seal, and shall notify the state auditor as required in subsection 7 of this section.
- 5. A simple majority of the board shall constitute a quorum. If a quorum exists, a majority of those voting shall have the authority to act in the name of the board, and approve any board resolution.

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- 6. Each director shall devote such time to the duties of the office as the faithful discharge thereof may require and may be reimbursed for his actual expenditures in the performance of his duties on behalf of the district.
- 864 7. Any district which has been previously organized 865 and for which formation was approved prior to August 28, 2016, shall notify the state auditor's office in writing of 866 867 the date it was organized and provide contact information for the current board of directors by December 31, 2016. 868 869 Any district organized and formed after August 28, 2016, 870 shall be required to notify the state auditor's office in writing of the date it was organized and provide contact 871 872 information for the current board of directors within thirty 873 days of the date of the first meeting of the board under the provisions of subsection 2 of this section. 874
- 875 8. (1) The governing body of the local transportation
 876 authority establishing a district or the governing body of
 877 such district shall, as soon as is practicable, submit the
 878 following information to the state auditor and the
 879 department of revenue:
- 880 (a) A description of the boundaries of such district
 881 as well as the average assessment made against real property

882	located in such district, the rate of property tax levied in
883	such district, or rate of sales tax levied in such district,
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885	(b) Any amendments made to the boundaries of a
886	district or the tax rates levied in such district; and
887	(c) The date on which the district is to expire unless
888	sooner terminated.
889	(2) The governing body of a district established on or
890	after August 28, 2022, shall not collect any property or
891	sales taxes until the information required by paragraph (a)
892	of subdivision (1) of this subsection has been submitted.";
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894	Further amend the title and enacting clause accordingly.