

House File 2479

H-8371

1 Amend House File 2479 as follows:

2 1. By striking page 1, line 1, through page 3, line 18, and
3 inserting:

4 <Section 1. Section 359.42, Code 2018, is amended to read
5 as follows:

6 **359.42 Township fire protection service, emergency warning
7 system, and emergency medical service.**

8 Except as otherwise provided in [section 331.385](#), the
9 trustees of each township shall provide fire protection service
10 for the township, exclusive of any part of the township within
11 a benefited fire district and may provide emergency medical
12 service. However, except as otherwise provided in section
13 331.385, the trustees of a township shall provide emergency
14 medical service for the township if required to do so by a
15 proposition approved under section 359.44. The trustees may
16 purchase, own, rent, or maintain fire protection service or
17 emergency medical service apparatus or equipment or both
18 kinds of apparatus or equipment and provide housing for the
19 equipment. The trustees of a township which is located within
20 a county having a population of three hundred thousand or
21 more may also establish and maintain an emergency warning
22 system within the township. The trustees may contract with a
23 public or private agency under [chapter 28E](#) for the purpose of
24 providing any service or system required or authorized under
25 this section.>

26 2. By striking page 4, line 35, through page 5, line 4.

27 3. Page 5, line 5, by striking <4.> and inserting <3.>

28 4. Page 5, line 15, by striking <5.> and inserting <4.>

29 5. Page 5, line 17, by striking <6.> and inserting <5.>

30 6. Page 5, by striking line 22 and inserting:

31 <6. In lieu of the procedure under subsection 5, the>

32 7. Page 5, by striking lines 27 through 31.

33 8. Title page, by striking lines 1 through 5 and inserting
34 <An Act establishing a process for voter approval of a
35 proposition to require a township to provide emergency medical

1 service.>

2 9. By renumbering, redesignating, and correcting internal
3 references as necessary.

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