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## **ECONOMIC GROWTH**

HOUSE FILE 2091

Passed	House,	Date	Passed	Senate,	Date	
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## A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to rural improvement zones.
2 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

## s.f. \_\_\_\_\_ H.f. 209\

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      Section 1. Section 357H.1, subsection 1, Code 2003, is
 2 amended to read as follows:
          The board of supervisors of a county with-less-than
 4 eighteen-thousand-five-hundred-residents,-based-upon-the-1990
 5 certified-federal-census, and with a private lake development
 6 shall designate an area surrounding the lake, if it is an
7 unincorporated area of the county, a rural improvement zone
 8 upon receipt of a petition pursuant to section 357H.2, and
 9 upon the board's determination that the area is in need of
10 improvements.
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                             EXPLANATION
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      This bill eliminates language which limits rural
13 improvement zones to counties with less than 18,500
14 population. These zones are used as a funding mechanism to
15 finance improvements to real property surrounding a private
16 lake development.
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