

House File 117 - Introduced

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BY HAYES

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to budgets of local emergency management

2 agencies and including applicability provisions.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. Section 29C.17, subsection 2, unnumbered
2 paragraph 1, Code 2023, is amended to read as follows:

3 For purposes consistent with this chapter, the local
4 emergency management agency's approved budget shall be
5 funded by one or any combination of the following options,
6 as determined by the commission, except as provided in this
7 subsection:

8 Sec. 2. Section 29C.17, subsection 2, paragraph a, Code
9 2023, is amended to read as follows:

10 a. A countywide special levy pursuant to section 331.424,
11 subsection 1, which must be approved by the board of
12 supervisors.

13 Sec. 3. APPLICABILITY. This Act applies to local emergency
14 management agency budgets for fiscal years beginning on or
15 after July 1, 2024.

16 EXPLANATION

17 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
18 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

19 This bill relates to budgets of local emergency management
20 agencies.

21 Code section 29C.17(2) specifies the methods and sources for
22 funding a local emergency management agency and provides that
23 such methods and sources are determined by the local emergency
24 management commission. The bill specifies an exception to the
25 commission's authority by providing that if the funding source
26 is a countywide special levy, such levy must be approved by the
27 board of supervisors.

28 The bill applies to local emergency management agency
29 budgets for fiscal years beginning on or after July 1, 2024.