

5. The agency shall reduce the impact by using a method provided or requested under subsection 4 if it finds that the methods are legal and feasible in meeting the statutory objectives which are the basis of the proposed rule.

Sec. 2. NEW SECTION. A rule of an emergency nature adopted under section 17A.4, subsection 2, or made effective under the provisions of section 17A.5, subsection 2, paragraph b, is not subject to the provisions of this Act until ninety days have elapsed from the day of the emergency rule's publication. If subsections 3 and 4 of section 1 of this Act have not been complied with within this ninety day period, the rule is void.

Sec. 3. NEW SECTION. The administrative rules review committee shall review existing rules, as time permits, to determine if there are adverse or beneficial effects from these rules. The committee shall give a high priority to rules that are referred to it by small business as defined in this Act. The review of these rules shall be forwarded to the appropriate standing committees of the house and senate.

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CHAPTER 1008
TOWNSHIP EMERGENCY WARNING SYSTEM
S.F. 159

AN ACT authorizing the establishment and maintenance of an emergency warning system within townships having a common boundary with a city having a population of one hundred eighty thousand or more.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Section 1. Section 359.42, Code 1983, is amended to read as follows:

359.42 TOWNSHIP FIRE PROTECTION SERVICE, EMERGENCY WARNING SYSTEM, AND AMBULANCE SERVICE. The trustees of each township shall provide fire protection service for the township, exclusive of any part of the township within a benefited fire district and, in counties not providing ambulance services, may provide ambulance service. The trustees may purchase, own, rent or maintain fire protection service or ambulance service apparatus or equipment or both kinds of apparatus or equipment and provide housing for the equipment. The trustees of a township which has a common boundary with a city having a population of one hundred eighty thousand or more may also establish and maintain an emergency warning system within the township. The trustees may contract with any public or private agency under chapter 28E for the purpose of providing ~~fire protection service or ambulance service or both services~~ any service or system required or authorized under this section.

Sec. 2. Section 359.43, Code 1983, is amended to read as follows:

359.43 TAX LEVY.

1. The township trustees may levy an annual tax not exceeding forty and one-half cents per

thousand dollars of assessed value of the taxable property in the township, excluding any property within a benefited fire district or within the corporate limits of a city, for the purpose of exercising the powers granted and duties specified in section 359.42. However, in any township having a fire protection service or ambulance service agreement or both service agreements with a special charter city having a paid fire department, the township trustees may levy an annual tax not exceeding fifty-four cents per thousand dollars of the assessed value of the taxable property for those purposes the services authorized or required under section 359.42 and in any township which has a common boundary with a city having a population of one hundred eighty thousand or more, the township trustees may levy an annual tax not exceeding sixty-seven and one-half cents per thousand dollars of assessed value of taxable property for fire protection service or ambulance service purposes or for both purposes the services authorized or required under section 359.42.

2. If the levy authorized under subsection 1 ~~of this section~~ is insufficient to provide ~~fire protection service and ambulance service~~ the services authorized or required under section 359.42, the township trustees may levy an additional annual tax not exceeding twenty and one-fourth cents per thousand dollars of assessed value of the taxable property in the township, excluding any property within the corporate limits of a city, to provide the ~~ambulance service services.~~ The township trustees may divide the township into districts for the purpose of providing the ambulance service and fire service and may levy a different tax rate in each district, but the tax levy to provide ambulance service shall not exceed twenty and one-fourth cents per thousand dollars of taxable assessed value in a district.

3. The township trustees may divide the township into tax districts for the purpose of providing ~~fire protection service~~ the services authorized or required under section 359.42 and may levy a different tax rate in each district, but the tax levied in a tax district for ~~fire protection~~ the authorized or required services shall not exceed the tax levy limitation limitations for that township as provided in this section.

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CHAPTER 1009
SANITARY DISTRICT TRUSTEES
S.F. 2050

AN ACT relating to the election and terms of office of sanitary district trustees.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Section 1. Section 358.9, unnumbered paragraph 1, Code 1983, is amended to read as follows:

At the election provided for in section 358.7, the names of candidates for trustee of the district shall be written by the voters on blank ballots without formal nomination, and the board of supervisors which had jurisdiction of the proceedings for establishment of the