INTERMUNICIPALITY COMMITTEES Act 200 of 1957

AN ACT to provide for the creation by 2 or more municipalities of an intermunicipality committee for the purpose of studying area problems; and to provide authority for the committee to receive gifts and grants. **History:** 1957, Act 200, Eff. Sept. 27, 1957.

The People of the State of Michigan enact:

123.631 Intermunicipality area problem study committee; municipalities, definition.

Sec. 1. As used in this act, "municipalities" means any city, village, township, chartered township or other incorporated political subdivision of this state.

History: 1957, Act 200, Eff. Sept. 27, 1957.

123.632 Intermunicipality committee; organization; purposes; definitions.

Sec. 2. (1) The governing bodies of any 2 or more municipalities, by resolution, may establish and organize an intermunicipality committee, to be known as the intermunicipality committee, for the purpose of studying area governmental problems of mutual interest and concern, including such matters as facility studies on sewers and sewage disposal, water, drains, roads, transit-oriented developments, transit-oriented facilities, rubbish and garbage disposal, recreation and parks, and ports, and to formulate recommendations for review and action thereon by the member governing bodies.

(2) As used in this section:

(a) "Transit-oriented development" means infrastructure improvements that are located within 1/2 mile of a transit station or transit-oriented facility that promotes transit ridership or passenger rail use.

(b) "Transit-oriented facility" means a facility that houses a transit station in a manner that promotes transit ridership or passenger rail use.

History: 1957, Act 200, Eff. Sept. 27, 1957;—Am. 2010, Act 236, Imd. Eff. Dec. 14, 2010.

123.633 Intermunicipality study committee; surveys, recommendations, reports.

Sec. 3. The intermunicipality committee may employ personnel to coordinate and conduct all types of surveys and studies relating to the mutual problems of its member municipalities or may enter into agreements for such surveys and studies to be conducted by other public or private agencies. It shall adopt, by resolution of a majority of its full membership, any recommendation for submission to the several member governing bodies. It may publicize its purposes, objectives and findings, and may distribute reports thereon. It shall make an annual report of its activities to the several member governing bodies.

History: 1957, Act 200, Eff. Sept. 27, 1957.

123.634 Intermunicipality study committee; funds.

Sec. 4. For the purpose of providing funds to meet the expenses of the intermunicipal committee, the member governing bodies, by resolution, may authorize the allocation of municipal funds for such purpose. The proportion of the total amount of funds to be provided by each member municipality shall be based on the recommendation of the intermunicipality committee, or shall be provided for in the bylaws of the committee, which shall have been approved by the member governing bodies.

History: 1957, Act 200, Eff. Sept. 27, 1957.

123.635 Intermunicipality study committee; contributions of services of personnel, equipment, office space.

Sec. 5. Services of personnel, use of equipment and office space and other necessary services may be accepted from member municipalities and may be considered as a part of the financial support of that municipality.

History: 1957, Act 200, Eff. Sept. 27, 1957.

123.636 Intermunicipality study committee; gifts and grants from governmental units and from private sources.

Sec. 6. The intermunicipal committee may accept gifts and grants from the federal government, state government and local governments, also from private individuals, foundations or agencies, if the grants are made for furtherance of the objectives for which the committee is established.

History: 1957, Act 200, Eff. Sept. 27, 1957.

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123.637 Intermunicipal committee; audit.

Sec. 7. (1) The intermunicipal committee shall obtain an audit of its financial records, accounts, and procedures not less frequently than biennially as determined by the intermunicipal committee.

(2) The intermunicipal committee shall submit the results of an audit under subsection (1) to the state treasurer.

(3) An audit under subsection (1) shall satisfy all audit requirements set forth in the uniform budgeting and accounting act, 1968 PA 2, MCL 141.421 to 141.440a.

History: Add. 1999, Act 143, Eff. Oct. 22, 1999.

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