



SENATE BILL No. 118

January 13, 1993, Introduced by Senator DI NELLO and referred to the Committee on Local Government and Urban Development.

A bill to amend chapter 16 of the Revised Statutes of 1846, entitled as amended

"Of the powers and duties of townships, the election and duties of township officers, and the division of townships,"

as amended, being sections 41.1a to 41.110c of the Michigan Compiled Laws, by adding section 2a.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Section 1. Chapter 16 of the Revised Statutes of 1846, as
2 amended, being sections 41.1a to 41.110c of the Michigan Compiled
3 Laws, is amended by adding section 2a to read as follows:

4 SEC. 2A. A TOWNSHIP THAT HAS A TOWNSHIP STREET SYSTEM UNDER
5 SECTION 8A OF ACT NO. 51 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1951, BEING SEC-
6 TION 247.658A OF THE MICHIGAN COMPILED LAWS, HAS THE SAME DUTIES
7 WITH RESPECT TO THE TOWNSHIP STREET SYSTEM AS DOES A CITY WITH
8 RESPECT TO A CITY STREET SYSTEM. THE TOWNSHIP MAY EXERCISE 1 OR

1 MORE OF THE FOLLOWING POWERS WITH RESPECT TO THE TOWNSHIP STREET
2 SYSTEM:

3 (A) SOLICIT AND RECEIVE GIFTS; CONTRIBUTIONS; AND STATE,
4 FEDERAL, AND COUNTY FUNDS AND GRANTS.

5 (B) ENTER INTO CONTRACTS WITH PUBLIC AGENCIES OR PRIVATE
6 PERSONS FOR DESIGNING, ENGINEERING, GRADING, MAINTAINING, GRUB-
7 BING AND CLEANING, PAVING, CONSTRUCTING, REBUILDING, AND RELOCAT-
8 ING STREETS AND FOR SNOW REMOVAL FROM STREETS.

9 (C) ESTABLISH A STREET DEPARTMENT AND PROVIDE FOR CREWS,
10 EQUIPMENT, AND FACILITIES FOR THE ACTIVITIES LISTED IN SUBDIVI-
11 SION (B).

12 (D) CONTRACT FOR THE PURCHASE OF PROPERTY TO BE USED FOR
13 STREET PURPOSES.

14 (E) EXERCISE OTHER AUTHORITY POSSESSED BY CITIES OVER CITY
15 STREETS.

16 Section 2. This amendatory act shall not take effect unless
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18 of the 87th Legislature is enacted into law.