

MINUTES OF THE Senate COMMITTEE ON Local Government

The meeting was called to order by Senator Gaar at
Chairperson

9:00 a.m./~~p.m.~~ on February 15, 1983 in room 531-N of the Capitol.

All members were present except: Senators Ehrlich and Mulich, who were excused.

Committee staff present: Mike Heim
Theresa Kiernan
Emalene Correll
Joan Mullins

Conferees appearing before the committee:

Senator Gaar opened the floor for discussion of S.B. 93, relating to annual audit requirements of municipalities. Senator Winter presented facts concerning townships and moved to amend the bill to provide that townships with annual gross receipts in excess of \$275,000 may by annual resolution remove themselves from the annual audit requirement. Senator Gaines seconded the motion, and it carried by unanimous vote. Senator Winter then moved to report the bill as amended favorably for passage, to be conditional upon review by the committee of the amendatory language. Senator Gaines seconded the motion, and it carried. Senator Winter was appointed to carry the bill.

Senator Gaar distributed for the committee's review a proposed amendment to S.B. 94, concerning distribution of tax revenues by county treasurers, such proposed amendment be in substantially the form previously discussed by the committee. Formal action on the bill was delayed until February 17, 1983, when Senator Mulich could be in attendance.

Senator Gaar presented a request of the Attorney General for introduction of a bill pertaining to the code of procedure relating to municipal court sentencing. Senator Bogina moved, and Senator Roitz seconded, introduction of the bill. The motion carried by unanimous vote.

Senator Montgomery asked the committee to consider introduction of a bill which would prevent counties from having power to affect acts of the legislature prescribing the establishment and operation of hospital districts. Senator Winter moved introduction of the bill. Senator Gaines seconded the motion, and it carried by unanimous vote.

Senator Winter moved the introduction of a bill which would permit benefit districts to be formed to construct sidewalks near to but not abutting a thoroughfare. Senator Gaines seconded the motion, and it carried unanimously.

Senator Allen moved to approve the minutes of the February 9, 1983 meeting. Senator Gaines seconded the motion, and it carried.

The meeting was adjourned to February 16, 1983.

Recorded - J. Mullins - 2/9/83.