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## **MEMORANDUM**

To: Senate Committee on Government Efficiency

From: Office of Revisor of Statutes

Date: March 10, 2025

Subject: HB 2101 (As Amended by HCW)

House Bill 2101 prohibits municipalities from implementing a guaranteed income program.

HB 2101 would adopt a new section of law prohibiting a city or county from adopting an ordinance or resolution that establishes or provides for the operation of a guaranteed income program that uses tax revenue unless the legislature expressly consents to and approves of such program by an act of the legislature. Any ordinance or resolution currently in effect prior to the effective date of this bill would be null and void.

Subsection (c) defines "guaranteed income program" as a program that is not expressly required by federal law or regulation and provides individuals with a regular periodic cash payment.

A House floor amendment was adopted to change the definition of "guaranteed income program" and to provide that the prohibition against a guaranteed income program applies to programs using tax revenue unless the legislature expressly consents to such program.

The bill would go into effect on publication in the statute book, July 1, 2025.

The House passed HB 2101 on February 20, 2025, by a vote of 86-37.