HOUSE BILL No. 6042

September 13, 1990, Introduced by Reps. Trim, DeMars and Kosteva and referred to the Committee on Tourism, Fisheries and Wildlife.

A bill to amend the title and section 1 of Act No. 183 of the Public Acts of 1943, entitled as amended
"The county rural zoning enabling act,"
being section 125.201 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Section 1. The title and section 1 of Act No. 183 of the
- 2 Public Acts of 1943, being section 125.201 of the Michigan
- 3 Compiled Laws, are amended to read as follows:
- 4 TITLE
- 5 An act to provide for the establishment in portions of coun-
- 6 ties lying outside the limits of incorporated cities and villages
- 7 of zoning districts within which the proper use of land, WATER,
- 8 and natural resources may be encouraged or regulated by
- 9 ordinance, and within which districts provisions may also be
- 10 adopted designating the location of, the size of, the uses that

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- 1 may be made of, the minimum open spaces, sanitary, safety, and
 2 protective measures that shall be required for, and the maximum
- 3 number of families that may be housed in dwellings, buildings,
- 4 and structures that may be erected or altered after the effective
- 5 date of this act; to designate the use of certain state licensed
- 6 residential facilities; to provide for a method for the adoption
- 7 of ordinances and amendments thereto; to provide for emergency
- 8 interim ordinances; to provide by ordinance for the acquisition
- 9 by purchase, condemnation, or otherwise, of property which does
- 10 not conform to the requirements of the zoning districts so pro-
- 11 vided; to provide for the administering of ordinances adopted; to
- 12 provide for conflicts with other acts, ordinances, or regula-
- 13 tions; to provide penalties for violations; to provide for the
- 14 assessment, levy, and collection of taxes; to provide for refer-
- 15 enda; to provide for appeals; and to provide for the repeal of
- 16 acts in conflict with this act.
- 17 Sec. 1. The county board of commissioners of a county in
- 18 this state may provide by zoning ordinance for the establishment
- 19 of land development regulations and districts AND REGULATIONS FOR
- 20 ACTIVITIES AND STRUCTURES IN AND RELATING TO INLAND LAKES,
- 21 STREAMS, AND OTHER BODIES OF WATER WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL LIMITS
- 22 OF THIS STATE INCLUDING THOSE WATERS OF THE GREAT LAKES THAT ARE
- 23 UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THIS STATE in the portions of the
- 24 county outside the limits of cities and villages which regulate
- 25 the use of land OR WATER; to meet the needs of the state's citi-
- 26 zens for food, fiber, energy, and other natural resources, places
- 27 of residence, recreation, industry, trade, service, and other

1 uses of land; to insure that uses of the land shall be situated 2 in appropriate locations and relationships; to limit the inappro-3 priate congestion of population and the overcrowding of land, 4 transportation systems, and other public facilities; to facili-5 tate adequate and efficient transportation systems, sewage dis-6 posal, -and- water, energy, education, recreation, and other 7 public -service and facility needs - SERVICES AND FACILITIES; and 8 to promote public health, safety, and welfare. For those 9 purposes, the county board of commissioners may divide the county 10 into districts of a number, shape, and area as is considered best 11 suited to carry out this act. The county board of commissioners 12 of a county may use this act to provide by ordinance for the 13 establishment of land development regulations and districts in 14 the portions of the county outside the limits of cities and vil-15 lages which apply only to land areas and activities which are 16 involved in a special program to achieve specific land management 17 objectives and avert or solve specific land use problems, includ-18 ing the establishment of land development regulations and dis-19 tricts in areas subject to damage from flooding or beach erosion, 20 and for those purposes may divide the county into districts of a 21 number, shape, and area as is considered best suited to accom-22 plish those objectives. Land development regulations may also be 23 adopted designating or limiting the location, size of, and the 24 specific uses for which a dwelling, building, or structure may be 25 erected or altered; the minimum open spaces, sanitary, safety, 26 and protective measures that shall be required for those 27 dwellings, buildings, and structures; and the maximum number of

- 1 families which may be housed in a building or dwelling erected or
- 2 altered. The regulations shall be uniform for each class of land
- 3 or buildings throughout each district, but the regulations in 1
- 4 district may differ from those in other districts. A county
- 5 board of commissioners may not under this act, or under an ordi-
- 6 nance adopted pursuant to this act, regulate or control the
- 7 drilling, completion, or operation of an oil or gas well or
- 8 any other well drilled for oil or gas exploration purposes and
- 9 shall DOES not have jurisdiction with reference to the issuance
- 10 of permits for the location, drilling, completion, operation, or
- 11 abandonment of those wells. Jurisdiction over those wells -shall
- 12 be IS vested exclusively in the supervisor of wells of the
- 13 state, as provided in Act No. 61 of the Public Acts of 1939, as
- 14 amended, being sections 319.1 to 319.27 of the Michigan Compiled
- 15 Laws.