

HOUSE BILL No. 6011

December 2, 2014, Introduced by Rep. Price and referred to the Committee on Local Government.

A bill to amend 2008 PA 49, entitled
"Zoological authorities act,"
by amending section 7 (MCL 123.1167).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 7. (1) To initiate the establishment of an authority,
2 articles of incorporation shall be prepared by a majority of the
3 members of the county board of commissioners of the county
4 establishing the authority. The articles of incorporation shall
5 include all of the following:

6 (a) The name of the authority.

7 (b) The size of the board of the authority, which shall be
8 composed of an odd number of members and shall not exceed 15
9 members; the qualifications and terms of office of board members;
10 the manner of appointing the members of the board of the authority;
11 and the filling of vacancies in the office of board member.

1 (c) The purpose of the authority.

2 (d) The method of dissolution of the authority.

3 (e) Any other matters considered advisable.

4 (2) The articles shall be adopted and may be amended by an
5 affirmative vote of a majority of the members of the county board
6 of commissioners of the county establishing the authority.

7 (3) Before **JANUARY 1, 2015, BEFORE** the articles or amendments
8 to the articles are adopted, the articles or amendments to the
9 articles shall be published not less than once in a newspaper
10 generally circulated within the county. **BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2015,**
11 **BEFORE THE ARTICLES OR AMENDMENTS TO THE ARTICLES ARE ADOPTED, TIER**
12 **B PUBLIC NOTICE WITH A LINK OF THE ARTICLES OR AMENDMENTS TO THE**
13 **ARTICLES SHALL BE PROVIDED AS SET FORTH IN THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT**
14 **PUBLIC NOTICE ACT.** The adoption of articles or amendments to the
15 articles by the county shall be evidenced by an endorsement on the
16 articles or amendments by the clerk of the county.

17 (4) Upon adoption of the articles or amendments to the
18 articles by the county, a printed copy of the articles or the
19 amended articles shall be filed with the secretary of state by the
20 clerk of the county.

21 (5) The authority's articles of incorporation, or amendments
22 to the articles, take effect upon filing with the secretary of
23 state.

24 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect
25 unless Senate Bill No. ____ or House Bill No. 5560 (request no.
26 03796'13) of the 97th Legislature is enacted into law.