

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas
2 84th General Assembly
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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 2476

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5 By: Representative Adams
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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS ARKANSAS CODE SECTIONS
10 THAT GOVERN THE CREATION OF JAIL BOARDS AND THE
11 ISSUANCE OF REVENUE BONDS AND THE EMINENT DOMAIN
12 POWERS OF PUBLIC FACILITIES BOARDS; AND FOR OTHER
13 PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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19 FACILITIES BOARDS.
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23 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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25 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 12-41-702 is amended to read as follows:
26 12-41-702. Method supplemental.

27 The method set forth in this subchapter shall be supplemental to any
28 other method authorized by law for construction, renovation, or expansion of
29 ~~county or municipal~~ jails.
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31 SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 12-41-703 is amended to read as follows:
32 12-41-703. Adoption of ordinance.

33 Any county quorum court or governing body of a municipality or public
34 instrumentality desiring to construct, renovate, or expand a ~~county jail and~~
35 ~~jail facilities~~ in the manner authorized in this subchapter, ~~and the~~
36 ~~governing body of any municipality desiring to construct or expand a~~



1 ~~municipal jail and jail facilities in the manner authorized in this~~
2 ~~subchapter,~~ may adopt an ordinance or resolution to establish a ~~county jail~~
3 ~~board or a municipal jail board,~~ as the case may be, and to authorize the
4 board to issue revenue bonds to construct, renovate, or expand the ~~county~~
5 ~~jail or jail facilities or the municipal jail or jail facilities~~ in the
6 manner authorized in this subchapter.

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8 SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 14-137-112 is amended to read as follows:
9 14-137-112. Acquiring and transferring facilities.

10 (a) Any municipality or county may acquire facilities for a public
11 facilities project, or any portion thereof, including a project site, by
12 gift, purchase, lease, or condemnation, and may transfer any such facilities
13 to a public facilities board created by the municipality or county by sale,
14 lease, or gift.

15 (b) Transfer may be authorized by ordinance of the governing body
16 without regard to the requirements, restrictions, limitations, or other
17 provisions contained in any other law.

18 (c) Public facilities boards ~~which operate water works facilities may~~
19 ~~exercise the power of eminent domain in accordance with the procedures~~
20 ~~prescribed by § 18-15-201 et seq~~ may exercise the power of eminent domain to
21 the same extent and in the same manner as counties, municipalities, and
22 municipal corporations exercise that power under Title 18, Chapter 15.

23 (d) A county public facilities board may transfer land to the Arkansas
24 State Game and Fish Commission with or without compensation, provided that
25 the Arkansas State Game and Fish Commission agrees to develop a wildlife
26 management area or to construct, stock, and maintain a public fishing lake
27 thereon.

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