

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 83rd General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 2001  
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As Engrossed: S2/20/01

# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1506

5 By: Representative Rodgers  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 14-27-103 PERTAINING TO  
10 MEETINGS OF COUNTY INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION  
11 COUNCILS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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### Subtitle

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14 PERTAINING TO MEETINGS OF COUNTY  
15 INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION COUNCILS.  
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19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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21 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 14-27-103(a) is amended to read as follows:

22 (a) Each county intergovernmental cooperation council shall meet a  
23 ~~minimum of four (4) times annually, at least one (1) time during each calendar~~  
24 ~~year quarter, in the county seat or seats, to discuss ways of eliminating the~~  
25 ~~duplication of services at the local government level~~ at least one (1) time  
26 annually.  
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28 SECTION 2. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General  
29 Assembly that the existing requirement that county intergovernmental  
30 cooperation councils meet at least four (4) times a year is overly burdensome  
31 and results in inefficiency in the operation of local governments; this act  
32 removes that obstacle and provides more flexibility for the operation of local  
33 government; and that until this act becomes effective, local governments will  
34 be burdened with the unnecessarily overburdensome provisions of Arkansas Code  
35 14-27-103(a). Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being  
36 immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and

1 safety shall become effective on the date of its approval by the Governor. If  
2 the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, it shall become  
3 effective on the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor  
4 may veto the bill. If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is  
5 overridden, it shall become effective on the date the last house overrides the  
6 veto.

7 /s/ Rodgers

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