1	State of Arkansas	A D'11	
2	94th General Assembly	A Bill	
3	Regular Session, 2023		HOUSE BILL 1110
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5	By: Representative Warren		
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7		For An Act To Be Entitled	
8	AN ACT TO	ELIMINATE OBSOLETE MAPPING REQUIREMEN	ITS FOR
9	PREMIUM T	AX REVENUES TO BE DISTRIBUTED TO A CIT	Υ,
10	TOWN, OR	FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT FOR THE PURPO	SE OF
11	FUNDING L	OCAL POLICE AND FIRE RELIEF AND PENSION	N
12		CORRECT LANGUAGE REQUIRING A QUALIFIE	D
13	ACTUARY T	O DETERMINE THE AMOUNT OF PREMIUM TAX	
14		TO BE DIRECTED TO A CITY, TOWN, OR FIR	
15		N DISTRICT FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING	
16		D FIRE RELIEF AND PENSION FUNDS; AND F	'OR
17	OTHER PUR	POSES.	
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21		ELIMINATE OBSOLETE MAPPING	
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23		DISTRIBUTED TO A CITY, TOWN, OR FIRE	
24 25		TECTION DISTRICT FOR THE PURPOSE OF DING LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RELIEF AND	
25 26		SION FUNDS.	
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29	BE IT ENACTED BY THE	GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKAN	ISAS:
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31	SECTION 1. Ark	ansas Code § 24-11-213(b), concerning	the conditions
32		ns of funds between the Firemen's and	
33		nd and the General Revenue Fund Accoun	
34	is amended to read as		·
35	(b) The alloca	tion of funds between the Firemen's an	d Police Officers'
36	Pension and Relief Fu	nd and the General Revenue Fund Accoun	it under this

1	section is subject to the following conditions:
2	(1) The Arkansas Fire and Police Pension Review Board shall
3	review annually the distribution of funds to each qualified city, town, or
4	fire protection district made in the previous calendar year before disbursing
5	funds to an area qualified under § 24-11-214; and
6	(2) The board shall consider as part of the annual assessment of
7	the allocation of the disbursement of funds under § 24-11-214:
8	(A) The certification of a new city, town, or fire
9	protection district for participation in the Firemen's and Police Officers'
10	Pension and Relief Fund; <u>and</u>
11	(B)(i) A change in the legal description of a city, town,
12	or fire protection district-,
13	(ii) A change in the legal description of a city,
14	town, or fire protection district which shall be reported to the board
15	annually by December 15 14.; and
16	(C) A population change that is caused by a change in the
17	legal description of a city, town, or fire protection district;
18	(3)(A) The total population of a city, town, or fire protection
19	district that is qualified to participate in the Firemen's and Police
20	Officers' Pension and Relief Fund shall be determined by a census population
21	assessment in the city, town, or fire protection district.
22	(B) The population of a city, town, or fire protection
23	district shall be determined by the Gensus State Data Genter at the $\Delta r$ kansas
24	Economic Development Institute at the University of Arkansas at Little Rock;
25	(4) The legal description of the metes and bounds of a city,
26	town, or fire protection district shall be:
27	(A) Based on:
28	(i) The standard physical features of the area; or
29	(ii) Boundaries that are determined by a Global
30	Positioning System survey if the legal description of the metes and bounds of
31	a city, town, or fire protection district cannot be based on the standard
32	physical features of the area; and
33	(B) Determined by:
34	(i) A surveyor licensed in Arkansas;
35	(ii) A preexisting map maintained by the city, town,
36	or fire protection district; or

I	(iii) The Geographic Information Systems			
2	Applications Laboratory located in the Donald W. Reynolds Center for Busines			
3	and Economic Development at the University of Arkansas at Little Rock;			
4	(5)(A) The preferred legal description of the metes and bounds			
5	of a city, town, or fire protection district shall be based on the standard			
6	physical features of the area.			
7	(B) A local department shall change the description of the			
8	metes and bounds of the department to the standard physical features of the			
9	area.			
10	(C) In the case of a fire department, the county quorum			
11	court shall determine the description of the standard physical features of			
12	the area if the local chief cannot make the determination; and			
13	(6) The accuracy of the metes and bounds legal description of a			
14	city, town, or fire protection district shall be certified to the board by			
15	the:			
16	(A) Mayor or other qualified representative of a city or			
17	town; or			
18	(B) County fire coordinator of a rural fire protection			
19	<del>district.</del>			
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21	SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 24-11-214(a), concerning the evaluation of			
22	information by an actuary to determine the amount of premium tax revenues to			
23	be directed to each city, town, or fire protection district, is amended to			
24	read as follows:			
25	(a) An actuary <del>certified by the Society of Actuaries</del> who is a member			
26	of the American Academy of Actuaries shall evaluate the information submitted			
27	under this section and $\S\S$ 24-11-213 and 24-11-215 to determine the amount of			
28	the premium tax revenues to be directed to each city, town, or fire			
29	protection district.			
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31	SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 24-11-214(i)(3), concerning the use of			
32	insurance tax revenues to provide the administrative costs incurred in			
33	obtaining and evaluating population information for unqualified cities,			
34	towns, and fire protection districts, is repealed.			
35	(3) This revenue shall also be used to provide the			
36	administrative costs incurred in obtaining and evaluating the population			

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