



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 276

LCO No. 1355



Referred to Committee on PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

Introduced by:
(PD)

***AN ACT REQUIRING MUNICIPALITIES TO POST MONTHLY
REPORTS CONCERNING REVENUE AND CERTAIN EXPENDITURES.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2026*) (a) As used in this section:

2 (1) "Municipality" has the same meaning as provided in section 7-148
3 of the general statutes;

4 (2) "Portable document format" has the same meaning as provided in
5 section 52-50a of the general statutes; and

6 (3) "Comma-separated value format" means an electronic file format
7 that separates data fields containing numeric or textual values using one
8 or more specific characters such that the document may be easily
9 searched by electronic means.

10 (b) Not later than January 15, 2027, and on or before the fifteenth day
11 of each month thereafter, each municipality shall post a report
12 concerning the revenue and expenditures of the municipality in the
13 preceding month on the municipality's Internet web site. Such report

14 shall include, but need not be limited to: (1) The budget allocation for
15 each municipal department or office in the preceding month, (2) the
16 expenditures of each municipal department or office in the preceding
17 month, (3) any revenue that was projected to be received by the
18 municipality in the preceding month that is attributable to any line item
19 in the budget adopted by the municipality for the current fiscal year,
20 and (4) any revenue received by the municipality in the preceding
21 month that is attributable to any such line item.

22 (c) Any report posted by a municipality pursuant to this section shall
23 be (1) in both a portable document format and a comma-separated value
24 format, and (2) maintained on the Internet web site of the municipality
25 for not less than three years from the date of such posting.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>October 1, 2026</i>	New section

Statement of Purpose:

To require that municipalities post monthly reports concerning revenue and expenditure data on the municipality's Internet web site.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]