

COUNTY BOARD ADDENDUM

County of Champaign, Urbana, Illinois Thursday, March 19, 2015 – 6:30 p.m.

Lyle Shields Meeting Room, Brookens Administrative Services 1776 East Washington Street, Urbana, IL 61801

XI. Areas of Responsibility:

B. Policy, Personnel, & Appointments

2. Adoption of Resolution No. 9174 Calling for the Governor and General Assembly to Protect Necessary Funding for County Government

^{*}Roll Call **Roll call and 15 votes ***Roll call and 17 votes

RESOLUTION NO. 9174

A RESOLUTION CALLING FOR THE GOVERNOR AND GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO PROTECT NECESSARY FUNDING FOR COUNTY GOVERNMENT

WHEREAS, Illinois County Governments are subject to countless unfunded mandates and numerous budget constraints,

WHEREAS, County Governments receive necessary funding through the Local Government Distributive Fund, which is controlled by the State of Illinois, to carry out their duties and functions; and

WHEREAS, proceeds to County Governments were previously reduced by legislative action taken against the Local Government Distributive Fund; and

WHEREAS, proposals presented for consideration would further reduce of disbursements to County and local governments by three (3) percent; and

WHEREAS, County Governments rely on additional revenues and services supplied from several other agencies and units of local government that also rely on the same and other State controlled funds; and

WHEREAS, the Illinois State Senate has taken affirmative steps to advance Senate Bill 274 which seeks to transfer money from several funds that are maintained for the benefit of County Government including but not limited to the Motor Fuel Tax Fund, State and Local Sales Tax Reform Fund, County and Mass Transit District Fund, Local Government Tax Fund, and Personal Property Tax Replacement Fund.

WHEREAS, these proposed reductions and transfers further threaten the efficient and responsible operation of County Government.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the members of the Board of Champaign County, Illinois:

That this Board urges the Governor and the Illinois General Assembly to reconsider the proposal to reduce funding for County Government and to responsibly fund County Government at levels that allow Counties to carry out their necessary and legally obligated duties and functions.

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AYES:		
NAYS:		
PRESENT:		
ABSTAIN/ABSENT:		
	Gordy Hulten, County Clerk	
PRESENTED, PASS 2015.	SED, APPROVED, AND RECORDED this 19th day of Ma	arch, A.D.
ATTEST:	Pattsi Petrie, Chair Champaign County Board	