

## **Final Report on the 2009 Regular Session**

The Alabama Legislature completed its 2009 Regular Session on Friday, May 15. This year, 1622 bills were introduced and 415 bills received final passage. By comparison, in 2008, 1606 bills were introduced and 220 received final passage.

### **Final Status of the League Legislative Package**

**Appropriation for Wastewater Treatment SRF** (HB746 by Rep. Knight: In the late 1980's, the Alabama Legislature established a State Revolving Loan Fund for Wastewater Treatment (SRF). The purpose of the SRF was to take state funds and match them with federal dollars to create a loan fund to offer low interest loans to governmental entities for wastewater treatment projects. The General Fund Budget contained \$465,164 in additional matching funds from the legislature to continue Alabama's nationally recognized Wastewater Treatment SRF program. **ACT 2009-550**

**Reverse Auction Procedures** – HB734 by Rep. Oden: To amend Section 41-16-54, Code of Alabama 1975, as amended by Act No. 2008-379, 2008 Regular Session (Acts 2008, p. 703), to allow an awarding authority to make purchases through a reverse auction procedure if the amount is \$15,000 or more. **ACT 2009-728**

**Residency of IDB Members** – SB229 by Sen. Little (T): A League bill which proposes to amend Section 11-54-86, Code of Alabama 1975, relating to the board of directors of a municipal industrial development board; to authorize a certain number of members of the board of directors to be residents of the area outside of the corporate limits of the municipality where the industrial development board is organized. **ACT 2009-222**

**Pre-Zoning of Property** – SB283 by Sen. Coleman: This League bill proposes to authorize a municipality to pre-zone territory proposed for annexation into the corporate limits of the municipality by following the provisions of Article 4 of Chapter 52 of Title 11, Code of Alabama 1975; and to provide that the zoning shall be effective only if the territory is annexed into the municipality. **ACT 2009-629**

**Mayor's Voting Power – Municipalities Under 12,000 Population** – SB300 by Sen. Smith: This League bill proposes to amend Section 11-43-160 of the Code of Alabama 1975, to specify that in municipalities with a population of less than 12,000 inhabitants, the mayor may vote on the removal of an appointed officer of the municipality and the mayor would be considered as a member of the council in determining whether there is a two-thirds vote of the council for the removal of the officer. **ACT 2009-402**

**Planning Commission Jurisdiction** – SB422 by Sen. Waggoner: This League bill proposes to amend Section 11-52-30 of the Code of Alabama 1975, relating to the territorial jurisdiction of a municipal planning commission outside of the corporate limits of the municipality; to provide a procedure by which a municipal planning commission may establish a planning jurisdiction which extends less than five miles from the corporate limits of the municipality. **ACT 2009-498**

The League wishes to thank the following persons for sponsoring League bills this session: Representatives Marcel Black, Ron Johnson, Steve McMillan, Cam Ward, Warren Beck, Rod Scott, Randy Hinshaw and John Knight and Senators Zeb Little, Ted Little, Linda Coleman, Steve French, Hari Ann Smith, Jabo Waggoner and Roger Bedford.

## **Final Status of Bills with a Negative Impact on Cities and Towns**

There were a number of bills introduced this session that would have had a negative impact on municipalities had they received final passage. Bills in this category that died this session included legislation to severely restrict municipal regulation of cell towers, to require municipalities to collectively bargain with their public safety employees, to grant tax exemptions to certain entities, to propose an initiative procedure for city ordinances, to establish a meet and confer law for police officers, to require state approval of building code amendments, to make it permissive to take municipal sales taxes off of groceries, to prohibit increases in certain ad valorem taxes, to increase the homestead exemption, to earmark future lodgings tax increases, to allow for voter recall of public officials, to regulate law officer internal investigations, to drastically reduce business licenses derived from the sale of prescription drugs, to prohibit accident response service fees, to allow many dilapidated billboards to be replaced when destroyed, and to establish that public officials present copies of requested public records within 5 business days. We can expect to see many of these bills reintroduced next session.

## **General Bills of Interest to Municipalities that Passed**

**Entertainment Industry Incentives** – HB69 by Rep. Lindsey: Relating to the development in Alabama of the entertainment industry; to attract investment for qualified productions and qualified production companies; to help encourage increased employment opportunities within the state for the entertainment industry and increased global competition with other states in fully developing economic development options in Alabama within the industry; to provide rebates for qualified production projects; to provide exemptions from certain sales, use, and lodging taxes for production companies working in Alabama; to add new provisions to the Code of Alabama 1975, relating to income taxes and investment partnerships and limited liability companies; to require filing composite returns and remittance of taxes on certain nonresident partners or members; to provide for exemptions; to provide an offset for lost revenues resulting from the incentives offered; to specifically repeal inactive statutes providing exemptions which have expired by repealing Act 2001-975, 2001 Regular Session, as amended by Act 2005-305, 2005 Special Session, and to specifically repeal Section 40-18-24.1, Code of Alabama 1975. **ACT 2009-144**

**CDARS Legislation** – HB143 by Rep. Vance: To amend Section 41-14A-3 of the Code of Alabama 1975, the Security for Alabama Funds Enhancement (SAFE) Act, to authorize counties, municipalities, and local boards of education to place their public deposits through a qualified public depository which arranges for the funds to be deposited through federally insured banks or other financial institutions so that the funds and any accrued interest are fully insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) and, at substantially the same time, the qualified public depository receives deposits from other financial institutions equal to or greater than the amount arranged to be deposited in other financial institutions. **ACT 2009-471**

**DNA Testing** – HB146 by Rep. Johnson: Relating to criminal procedure; to allow an individual convicted of a capital offense who is serving a term of imprisonment or awaiting execution for a capital offense to file a motion to obtain forensic DNA testing on evidence that was secured in relation to the trial that resulted in his or her conviction; to provide that notice be given to the state when an individual files a motion for DNA testing; to specify the information to be included in the motion; to specify certain findings the court would make before ordering forensic DNA testing; to provide for testing procedures and post-testing procedures; to amend Sections 36-18-24, 36-18-25, and 36-18-32, Code of Alabama 1975, relating to DNA database; to provide under certain conditions for DNA testing of all persons arrested for a felony offense after October 1, 2010, or for any sexual offense; to increase the DNA database fee in all municipal, district, and circuit court criminal cases and certain other proceedings; to provide for distribution of the fee; and to provide for an appropriation for the fiscal year ending

September 30, 2009, and September 30, 2010. **Act 2009-768**

**Authority to Fly U.S. Flag on Private Property** – HB149 by Rep. Fite: To allow an individual to fly the flag of the United States on his or her property and to void any covenant, contract, or restriction preventing an individual from flying the flag on his or her property. **ACT 2009-646**

**Landlord Responsibility for Delinquent Tenant Bills** – HB164 by Rep. Ford: Relating to certain goods and services provided a tenant; to prohibit the provider of goods or services from requiring a landlord or property owner to pay the delinquent bill of a tenant for goods or services provided to the tenant if the account for the service is in the name of the tenant. **ACT 2009-570**

**Alcoholic Beverages – Municipal Option Elections** – HB175 by Rep. Martin: To amend Sections 28-2A-1 and 28-2A-3, Code of Alabama 1975, and to repeal Section 28-2A-4, Code of Alabama 1975, relating to municipal option elections, to allow any municipality having a population of 1000 or more to hold a municipal option election. **ACT 2009-546**

**Firearms – Emergency Powers** – HB225 by Rep. Keahey: To amend Sections 31-9-8 and 31-9-10, Code of Alabama 1975, relating to the emergency powers of the Governor and of local political subdivisions, to specify that these powers do not authorize the seizure or confiscation of firearms or ammunition from persons lawfully authorized to possess them and to specify certain conditions when a law enforcement officer may disarm an individual. **ACT 2009-572**

**CA – Ad Valorem Taxes – Amendment 778** – HB242 by Rep. Newton (C): Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, to provide that the prohibition in Amendment 778, now appearing as Section 269.08 of the Official Recompilation of the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, as amended, against the payment of any fees, charges, or commissions for assessment or collection of any new taxes levied in order to comply with the provisions of Amendment 778 applies only to the levy and collection of additional ad valorem taxes levied specifically under the provisions of Amendment 778 and shall not apply to any prior or future levy set by or renewed under the laws or constitution of the state, and to provide for an election to be held on the proposed amendment. **ACT 2009-286**

**Regulation of Fire Detection System Installers** – HB289 by Rep. Hurst: Relating to fire alarm systems, to create a new chapter in Title 34 of the Code of Alabama 1975, to regulate and license persons who install a fire detection, fire alarm, or fire communication system; to provide for administration by the State Fire Marshal; to provide exceptions; to provide for fees; to provide for criminal and civil penalties. **ACT 2009-657**

**Tax Exemption – Rescue Squads** – HB315 by Rep. Thigpen: Relating to members of rescue squads of the Alabama Association of Rescue Squads; to provide for exemptions for all such squads and members from state and local gasoline and diesel fuel taxes, and tax and motor vehicle license fees on motor vehicles. **ACT 2009-660**

**Approaching Law Enforcement Vehicle** – HB361 by Rep. Martin: Relating to motor vehicles; to require the driver of a motor vehicle to move over when approaching a law enforcement vehicle, an emergency vehicle, or wrecker under certain conditions on a four-lane highway or slow down or to slow down on a two-lane road; to provide for penalties; to provide for a public awareness program; to repeal Section 832-5A-58.1, Code of Alabama 1975. **ACT 2009-577**

**Alcoholic Beverages – Definition of “Beer”** – HB373 by Rep. Jackson: To amend Section 28-3-1, Code of Alabama 1975, relating to certain definitions for the sale and licensing of alcoholic beverages, to further define the term "beer" for ABC licensing purposes, to include malt beverages with a higher

alcohol content. **ACT 2009-771**

**Oil and Gas Severance Taxes** – HB382 by Rep. Knight: To amend Sections 9-17-25, 9-17-26, 9-17-27, 9-17-31, 40-20-2, and 40-20-8, relating to severance taxes on oil and natural gas; to add Sections 9-17-34 and 9-17-35 to Article 1 of Chapter 17 of Title 9; and to add Article 1A to Chapter 20 of Title 40 of the Code of Alabama 1975; to establish that severance taxes for certain offshore oil and gas produced for sale, transport, storage, profit or use will be based on the gross proceeds from the sale of the oil or natural gas. **ACT 2009-147**

**ALDOT – Airport Hazards** – HB409 by Rep. Newton (C): Authorizing the Department of Transportation to promulgate rules to regulate the height of structures and objects of natural growth in the vicinity of certain airports; to specify the method of evaluating the value of property acquired for airport expansion; and to incorporate by reference certain provisions of the Code of Federal Regulations of the United States of America. **ACT 2009-579**

**Mandatory Education Program for Municipal Court Clerks and Court Magistrates** – HB421 by Rep. DeMarco: To require the Administrative Director of Courts and the Administrative Office of Courts to administer a mandatory education program and mandatory continuing education program for municipal court clerks and municipal court magistrates. **ACT 2009-710**

**Equipment Rental Companies – Recovery Fee** – HB445 by Rep. Page: To provide certain equipment rental companies may include a recovery fee in all rental agreements entered into in the state. The recovery fee provided in this section shall not apply to the leasing or renting of heavy equipment to the State of Alabama, any municipality, or any county. **ACT 2009-583**

**Assault of Detention or Correctional Officers** – HB518 by Rep. Payne: To amend Section 13A-6-21 of the Code of Alabama 1975, providing for the crime of assault in the second degree, to further provide that a person commits the crime of assault in the second degree if the person, with intent to prevent a detention or correctional officer at any municipal or county jail or state penitentiary from performing a lawful duty, causes physical injury to any person. **ACT 2009-717**

**Gasoline and Diesel Tax Exemptions – Volunteer Fire Departments and Fire Districts** – HB519 by Rep. Payne: Relating to volunteer fire departments and fire protection districts; to provide for exemptions for all such departments and districts from state and local gasoline and diesel fuel taxes. **ACT 2009-717**

**Gas District Boards – Compensation** – HB527 by Rep. Boothe: To amend Section 11-50-393, Code of Alabama 1975, relating to the compensation of the members of the boards of directors of gas districts organized by municipalities, to authorize an increase in the compensation for the members of the boards of directors for such corporations. **ACT 2009-588**

**Wastewater Onsite Management Entities** – HB543 by Rep. Grantland: Relating to the regulation of wastewater onsite management entities pursuant to Chapter 25A, Title 22, Sections 22-25A-1 to 22-25A-10, inclusive, Code of Alabama 1975; to repeal Chapter 25A and add a new Chapter 25B, Title 22, to the Code of Alabama 1975, and to amend Sections 37-4-1 and 40-21-53, Code of Alabama 1975; to provide for the management of privately owned wastewater systems in Alabama by wastewater management entities; to provide requirements and procedures for the establishment of regulated entities for the operation and management of wastewater systems in Alabama; to assure financial stability and the continued viability of wastewater utility management entities through regulation by the Alabama Public Service Commission; to provide for the protection of public health and the environment through the permitting of wastewater systems operated and managed by wastewater utility management entities by the Alabama Department of Public Health; to provide for a civil action to enjoin violations of the chapter; and

to fund the operation of the new Chapter 25B through certification, permitting and regulatory fees, which shall be continuously appropriated to the Alabama Public Service Commission, the Alabama Department of Public Health, and the Alabama Department of Environmental Management for operations hereunder.

**ACT 2009-773**

**Law Enforcement Agencies – Mopeds** – HB547 by Rep. Payne: Relating to motor vehicles; to authorize law enforcement agencies to operate motorized bicycles or mopeds or other vehicles upon the streets and highways of this state and upon sidewalks. **ACT 2009-719**

**Capital Credit Program** – HB568 by Rep. Knight: To extend the 20-year credit period under the existing capital credit program to 30 years, provided, that the total capital credit utilized over the 30-year credit period shall not exceed one hundred percent of the capital costs of the qualifying project; to make the full range of incentives offered to new and expanding businesses available on an equal basis to new and expanding corporate headquarters, data processing centers (including those of financial institutions and insurance companies), and research and development facilities; to make the full range of incentives offered to new and expanding businesses available on an equal basis to new and expanding producers of electricity or natural gas from biomass and biofuel producers. **ACT 2009-722**

**Municipal Franchise Authority** – HB595 by Rep. Fields: Relating to municipalities; to amend Section 11-49-1 of the Code of Alabama 1975, to clarify that municipalities may not impose certain fees or charges in connection with the granting of consent to use public streets and places. **ACT 2009-301**

**General Fund Budget** – HB746 by Rep. Knight: To make appropriations for the ordinary expenses of the executive, legislative and judicial agencies of the State, for other functions of government, for debt service, and for capital outlay for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2010. **ACT 2009-550**

**Class 7 or 8 Municipalities – Rural Scenic Right-of-Way Plan** – HB773 by Rep. Hurst: To authorize any Class 7 or 8 municipality to establish a Rural Scenic Right-of-Way Plan for the use for recreational purposes of right-of-way along municipal streets and county roads under certain conditions. **ACT 2009-730**

**Eluding a Law Officer** – SB15 by Sen. Glover: To amend Sections 32-5A-193 and 32-5A-195 of the Code of Alabama 1975, relating to eluding a law enforcement officer; to provide a two-tiered level of crime for eluding a law enforcement officer; to provide for law enforcement officers to issue violations to owners of vehicles used for eluding. **ACT 2009-616**

**Alabama Land Bank Authority** – SB19 by Sen. Coleman: To provide for the creation of the Alabama Land Bank Authority for the purpose of acquiring tax delinquent properties for rehabilitation of such properties; to authorize the release of certain tax liens in order to facilitate the development of certain tax delinquent properties; and to create a board to govern the land bank authority. **ACT 2009-738**

**Real Estate Advertisements** – SB23 by Sen. Mitchell: To amend Section 34-27-32, as last amended by Act 2008-141, 2008 Regular Session, and Section 34-27-36, Code of Alabama 1975, relating to reciprocal broker licenses and advertising by real estate salespersons and associate brokers, to provide further for the criteria for a reciprocal broker license and remove the requirements relating to the specific size of letters in advertisements used by real estate salespersons and associate brokers. **ACT 2009-617**

**Tax Exemption – Volunteer Firefighters** – SB54 by Sen. Bedford: To amend Section 40-12-244, Code of Alabama 1975, to exempt certain volunteer firefighters from the payment of certain license taxes and registration fees on motor vehicles. **ACT 2009-618**

**Sex Offenders – Verification of Local Address** – SB58 by Sen. Penn: To amend Section 15-20-22, Code of Alabama 1975, to further provide for the procedures relating to the release of adult criminal sex offenders; to require the local law enforcement agency to verify the physical address where an adult criminal sex offender intends to reside upon release from a correctional facility and to require the responsible agency to notify the offender when the address does not comply with the requirements of law; and to prohibit the early release of an adult criminal sex offender who does not provide a proper physical address where he or she intends to reside as required by law. **ACT 2009-619**

**Ad Valorem Taxes – Redemption of Class III Owner-occupied Property** – SB142 by Sen. Mitchell: To amend Sections 40-10-19, 40-10-29, 40-10-75, 40-10-76, 40-10-77, 40-10-78, 40-10-82, 40-10-83, 40-10-120, 40-10-122, and 40-10-128, Code of Alabama 1975, relating to the redemption of property sold for delinquent ad valorem taxes, to allow tax status to remain for Class III owner-occupied property; and to require ad valorem taxes to be paid before the judge of probate issues a deed upon the expiration of three years from the date of sale of any real estate for taxes and provide further for the deposit of redemption money, to provide further for the rights of a purchaser where the tax sale proceedings were defective, for actions for possession and defenses that are defeated on grounds other than that the taxes were not due, for the tender of parties claiming adversely to the tax title, for the effect of payment by the original owner, and for the time and by whom the land may be redeemed. **ACT 2009-508**

**Alabama Disaster Recovery Program** – SB160 by Sen. Denton: To create the Alabama Disaster Recovery Program and the Alabama Disaster Recovery Program Fund to provide assistance to counties and municipalities to meet local needs during and immediately following certain disasters. **ACT 2009-342**

**Code Update** – SB178 by Sen. Brooks: To adopt and incorporate into the Code of Alabama 1975, those general and permanent laws of the state enacted during the 2007 First Special Session and 2007 Regular Session as contained in the 2007 Cumulative Supplement to certain volumes of the code and the 2007 Replacement Volume to certain volumes of the code; to adopt and incorporate into the Code of Alabama 1975, those general and permanent laws of the state enacted during the 2008 Regular Session and 2008 First Special Session as contained in the 2008 Cumulative Supplement to certain volumes of the code and the 2008 Replacement Volume to certain volumes of the code; to initially adopt and incorporate into the Code of Alabama 1975, 2007 Volume 22D (Local Laws Chilton - Colbert Counties) and to adopt and incorporate into the Code of Alabama 1975, the 2007 and 2008 Cumulative Supplement to local law volumes; to specify that this adoption and incorporation constitute a continuous systematic codification of the entire Code of Alabama 1975 and that this act is a law that adopts a code; to declare that the Code Publisher has certified it has discharged its duties regarding the replacement volumes; to expressly provide that this act does not affect any 2009 session statutes; and to specify the duties of the Secretary of State regarding the custody of these cumulative supplements, replacement volumes, and initial volume. **ACT 2009-149**

**Fair Campaign Finance Reports** – SB205 by Sen. Orr: To amend Section 17-5-8, Code of Alabama 1975, relating to reports of contributions and expenditures by candidates and committees, to provide that the reports shall be filed regardless if the candidate has an opponent in any primary, special, runoff, or general election. **ACT 2009-751**

**Alcoholic Content of Wine** – SB263 by Sen. French: To amend Section 28-3-1 and Section 28-3-168, and Section 28-3-168, Code of Alabama 1975, relating to alcoholic beverages, to increase the alcohol percentage in wine and provide further for the definition of fortified wine. **ACT 2009-509**

**Class 6 Cities – Alternate Structure of Planning Commissions** – SB286 by Sen. Waggoner: Relating to Class 6 municipalities; to provide for an alternate structure for the establishment and operation of the

municipal planning commission. **ACT 2009-753**

**Alabama Homebuyers Initiative Act** – SB367 by Sen. Barron: To provide for a program to be administered by the Alabama Housing Finance Authority; to create a mortgage guarantee fund to offset certain losses of investors in the program; and to appropriate to the guarantee fund a total of six million dollars from the Alabama Capital Improvement Trust Fund. **ACT 2009-284**

**Police Officer's and Firefighter's Survivors Educational Assistance** – SB379 by Sen. Little (T): To amend Sections 36-21-101 and 36-21-102, Code of Alabama 1975, relating to Police Officer's and Firefighter's Survivors Educational Assistance; to define volunteer firefighter; and to provide free tuition for the dependents and spouses of full-time law enforcement officers, full-time firefighters, and volunteer firefighters who are killed or totally disabled in the line of duty. **ACT 2009-631**

**County Bond Financing Agreements** – SB393 by Sen. Butler: Relating to counties; to require a county entering into a bond financing agreement to complete a bond financing review form developed by the Office of Examiners of Public Accounts acknowledging that the county has considered the relevant factors important to the decision of entering into bonded indebtedness; and to require that the form be submitted to the Office of Examiners of Public Accounts and made available for public inspection. **ACT 2009-757**

**Uniform Residential Landlord and Tenant Act** – SB397 by Sen. Barron: Relating to landlord and tenant agreements pursuant to the Uniform Residential Landlord and Tenant Act; to amend Sections 35-9A-121, 35-9A-141, 35-9A-303, 35-9A-421, and 35-9A-461, Code of Alabama 1975; to provide further for territorial application, defined terms, landlord access, noncompliance by the landlord, remedies for noncompliance with the rental agreement and failure to pay rent; non-curable acts or omissions by a tenant or occupant; remedy after termination of a rental agreement; remedies for periodic and holdover tenancy; and remedies related to landlord's action for eviction, rent, damages, and other relief for breach of a rental agreement. **ACT 2009-633**

**Competitive Bid Laws – City and County School Boards** – SB418 by Sen. Preuitt: To add Chapter 13B to Title 16, consisting of Sections 16-13B-1 to 16-13B-11, inclusive, to the Code of Alabama 1975, relating to competitive bid laws for city and county boards of education; to amend Sections 41-16-50 and 41-16-51, Code of Alabama 1975, relating to competitive bid laws; to remove the city and county boards of education from the competitive bid laws in Title 41 and provide substantially the same provisions in Title 16; to provide penalties for certain violations. **ACT 2009-760**

**Rabies** – SB469 by Sen. Dixon: Relating to rabies immunization of cats and dogs; to amend Sections 3-7A-1, 3-7A-2, 3-7A-3, 3-7A-5, 3-7A-7, 3-7A-8, 3-7A-9, 3-7A-10, 3-7A-11, 3-7A-12, and 3-7A-14, Code of Alabama 1975, to add members of the ferret (*Mustela putorius furo*) family to the list of animals required to be vaccinated against rabies; to provide further for public rabies clinics and set fees therefor; to provide further for penalties to owners of animals found to be unvaccinated; to allow for home quarantine as directed by the health officer; to provide for humane euthanizing of certain biting animals; to provide for quarantine of rabies endemic areas; to authorize exemptions from vaccinations under certain conditions; to add Section 3-7A-16 to the Code of Alabama 1975, to provide that persons assisting at rabies vaccination clinics would be considered volunteers. **ACT 2009-636**

**Education Budget** – SB570 by Sen. Sanders: To make appropriations for the support, maintenance and development of public education in Alabama, for debt service, and for capital outlay for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2010. **ACT 2009-339**

## **Proposed Constitutional Amendments**

**HB31, Act 2009-226** – Covington County Court Costs  
**HB120, Act 2009-298** – Tallapoosa County Court Costs  
**HB156, Act 2009-338** – St. Clair County Court Costs  
**HB218, Act 2009-544** – Bibb County Commission Home Rule Powers  
**HB242, Act 2009-286** – 10 Mill Ad Valorem School Tax – Fees for Assessment  
**HB253, Act 2009-551** – Special County Educational Taxes  
**HB318, Act 2009-543** – Macon County Court Costs  
**HB326, Act 2009-299** – Pickens County Probate Judge Equity Jurisdiction  
**HB423, Act 2009-547** – Assessment on Propane Gas Industry for Promotion Programs  
**HB424, Act 2009-580** – Propane Education and Research Council  
**HB564, Act 2009-306** – Geneva County Court Costs  
**HB706, Act 2009-303** – Russell County Court Costs  
**HB712, Act 2009-305** – Franklin County Court Costs  
**HB729, Act 2009-548** – Anniston Scholarship Appropriations  
**HB742, Act 2009-545** – Jefferson County Homestead Exemptions  
**HB764, Act 2009-304** – Shelby County Landfill  
**HB806, Act 2009-370** – Lawrence County Biosolids  
**HB824, Act 2009-555** – Lawrence County Landfill  
**SB162, Act 2009-227** – Tallapoosa County Court Costs  
**SB281, Act 2009-308** – Russell County Court Costs  
**SB449, Act 2009-307** – Russell County Court Costs  
**SB462, Act 2009-309** – Franklin County Biosolids  
**SB463, Act 2009-390** – Colbert County Biosolids  
**SB583, Act 2009-391** – Fort Payne City Jail Prisoners

## **Local Bills**

**HB57, Act 2009-236** – Covington County Solicitor’s Fee  
**HB81, Act 2009-235** – Tallapoosa County Solicitor’s Fee  
**HB83, Act 2009-321** – Washington County Voting Centers  
**HB172, Act 2009-322** – Henry County Revenue Commissioner Compensation  
**HB180, Act 2009-324** – Covington County Pistol Permits  
**HB240, Act 2009-553** – Mobile County Civil Service System  
**HB249, Act 2009-325** – Dale County Solicitor’s Fee  
**HB250, Act 2009-326** – Dale County Coroner Compensation  
**HB252, Act 2009-346** – Mobile County Election Officers  
**HB294, Act 2009-659** – Colbert County Draft Beer  
**HB317, Act 2009-347** – Macon County Solicitor’s Fee  
**HB320, Act 2009-472** – Chambers County Solicitor’s Fee  
**HB323, Act 2009-473** – Montgomery City Retirement System  
**HB325, Act 2009-348** – Pickens County Juvenile Court  
**HB332, Act 2009-327** – Autauga, Chilton, Elmore Counties Solicitor’s Fee  
**HB333, Act 2009-328** – Autauga, Chilton, Elmore Counties DA Investigators  
**HB358, Act 2009-662** – Jefferson County – Position of County Manager  
**HB367, Act 2009-392** – Calhoun County Coroner & Assistant Coroner Compensation  
**HB372, Act 2009-349** – Calhoun County Pistol Permits  
**HB375, Act 2009-709** – Jacksonville State University Police Department  
**HB387, Act 2009-350** – Houston County Lodgings Tax

**HB430, Act 2009-474** – Randolph County solicitor’s Fee  
**HB439, Act 2009-351** – Dallas County Solicitor’s Fee  
**HB451, Act 2009-488** – St. Clair County Coroner’s Health Insurance  
**HB457, Act 2009-554** – Mobile County Roads  
**HB467, Act 2009-476** – Montgomery County Annexations – Ad Valorem Taxes  
**HB474, Act 2009-501** – Jefferson County Employees, Retirement System, Investment Manager  
**HB476, Act 2009-585** – St. Clair County Solicitor’s Fee  
**HB505, Act 2009-352** – Marengo, Greene & Sumter Counties DA Investigators  
**HB506, Act 2009-393** – Marengo County Pistol Permits  
**HB513, Act 2009-394** – Houston County Pistol Permits  
**HB544, Act 2009-354** – Conecuh & Monroe Counties Pretrial Diversion Program  
**HB546, Act 2009-355** – Class 5 (Dothan) City Manager  
**HB563, Act 2009-356** – Geneva County Solicitor’s Fee  
**HB584, Act 2009-357** – Limestone County Solicitor’s Fee  
**HB586, Act 2009-358** – Mobile County Fire Districts  
**HB587, Act 2009-591** – Etowah County Sales Taxes  
**HB591, Act 2009-477** – DeKalb County Recording Fees  
**HB592, Act 2009-384** – Mobile County Subdivision Plats  
**HB599, Act 2009-359** – Northport Personnel Board  
**HB609, Act 2009-228** – Cullman County Solicitor’s Fee  
**HB620, Act 2009-285** – Cullman County Community Development  
**HB635, Act 2009-775** – Birmingham Zoning Board of Adjustment  
**HB640, Act 2009-360** – Morgan County Retiring Officer Badge & Pistol  
**HB641, Act 2009-361** – Morgan County TVA Payments  
**HB645, Act 2009-362** – Class 5 (Dothan) Election Dates  
**HB646, Act 2009-385** – Dothan Sunday Sales  
**HB655, Act 2009-395** – Lauderdale County Court Costs  
**HB658, Act 2009-396** – Geneva County Coroner Compensation  
**HB665, Act 2009-363** – Prichard Water Works and Sewer Board  
**HB662, Act 2009-364** – Class 2 Planning Commission  
**HB668, Act 2009-329** – Lee County Sales and Use Taxes  
**HB669, Act 2009-594** – Chilton County Recording Fees  
**HB670, Act 2009-365** – Marengo Retiring Officer Pistol and Badge  
**HB690, Act 2009-777** – Jefferson County Commission Vacancies  
**HB695, Act 2009-478** – Perry County Solicitor’s Fee  
**HB728, Act 2009-397** – Houston County Sunday Sales  
**HB730, Act 2009-596** – Jefferson County Tax Assessor  
**HB732, Act 2009-330** – Lee County Alternative Sentencing Board  
**HB738, Act 2009-389** – Baldwin County Revenue Commissioner  
**HB740, Act 2009-367** – Colbert County Court Costs  
**HB749, Act 2009-597** – Russell County Junkyards  
**HB756, Act 2009-331** – Cherokee County Juvenile Court  
**HB757, Act 2009-332** – Cherokee County Work Release Program  
**HB761, Act 2009-368** – Ozark Ad Valorem Tax  
**HB766, Act 2009-336** – Shelby County Chief Deputy Compensation  
**HB767, Act 2009-333** – Shelby County Solid Waste Fund  
**HB770, Act 2009-369** – Marshall County Solicitor’s Fee  
**HB776, Act 2009-371** – Lawrence County Court Costs  
**HB777, Act 2009-386** – Lawrence County Sale of Surplus Property  
**HB778, Act 2009-372** – Walker County Solicitor’s Fee  
**HB779, Act 2009-598** – Madison County License Director Invalid Check Procedures

**HB780, Act 2009-373** – Talladega County DA Fund  
**HB781, Act 2009-374** – Talladega County Sheriff Expense Allowance and Salary  
**HB782, Act 2009-375** – Talladega County Court Costs  
**HB784, Act 2009-792** – Jefferson County Fire Districts  
**HB786, Act 2009-376** – Henry County Draft Beer  
**HB789, Act 2009-387** – Madison County Board of Health Fees for Environmental Services  
**HB791, Act 2009-377** – Huntsville City Board of Education  
**HB793, Act 2009-599** – Marshall counties Cities with Board of Education & Arab, Guntersville & Boaz Motor Vehicle License Fee for Education  
**HB796, Act 2009-600** – Baldwin County Ad Valorem Tax  
**HB818, Act 2009-601** – Autauga & Chilton County Court Reporters  
**HB819, Act 2009-378** – Covington County Roads  
**HB820, Act 2009-379** – Covington County Lodgings Tax  
**HB826, Act 2009-732** – Mobile County Industrial Parks  
**HB834, Act 2009-780** – Birmingham Retirement System  
**HB838, Act 2009-388** – Emerald Triangle Commission Abolished  
**HB845, Act 2009-380** – Scottsboro Draft Beer  
**HB851, Act 2009-782** – Mobile County Planning Commission  
**HB852, Act 2009-602** – Montgomery County Pretrial Diversion Program  
**HB872, Act 2009-603** – Wilcox County Solicitor's Fee  
**HB874, Act 2009-481** – Fayette County Work Release Board  
**HB879, Act 2009-733** – Colbert County Solicitor's Fee  
**HB888, Act 2009-482** – Lauderdale County Coroner's Compensation  
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**HB915, Act 2009-484** – Tuscaloosa County Solicitor's Fund  
**HB916, Act 2009-485** – Tuscaloosa County Juvenile Court  
**HB925, Act 2009-736** – Lowndes County Lodgings Tax  
**HB926, Act 2009-784** – Macon County Probate Judge Salary  
**HB928, Act 2009-786** – Calhoun County Fire Districts  
**HB945, Act 2009-608** – Cleburne County Engineer  
**HB954, Act 2009-609** – Chilton County Sheriff Transaction Fees  
**HB957, Act 2009-611** – Lauderdale County Solicitor's Fee  
**HB958, Act 2009-612** – Jefferson County Solicitor's Fee  
**HB960, Act 2009-737** – Class 5 (Phenix City) Mayor and Councilmembers Expense Allowance  
**HB961, Act 2009-785** – Coosa River Valley Recreation Board  
**HB962, Act 2009-613** – Talladega County Civil Service System  
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**SB134, Act 2009-557** – Perry County – Gift or Sale of Gravel  
**SB179, Act 2009-152** – Lawrence County Community Development Commission  
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**SB392, Act 2009-756** – Franklin County Solicitor’s Fee  
**SB413, Act 2009-460** – Butler, Crenshaw and Lowndes County Pretrial Diversion Programs  
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