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H.B. 126

ANNEXATIONS INVOLVING TOWNSHIPS

2002 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

Sponsor: Carl W. Duckworth

This act modifies the Utah Municipal Code by requiring that municipal annexations involving townships meet specified criteria.

This act affects sections of Utah Code Annotated 1953 as follows:

ENACTS:

10-2-427, Utah Code Annotated 1953

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:

Section 1. Section **10-2-427** is enacted to read:

10-2-427. Annexation involving township -- Special election in township -- Approval by township planning commission.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this part, a municipal legislative body may not approve an annexation petition under this part which involves the annexation of territory included within a township unless the annexation:

(1) includes the entire area of the township; or

(2) has been approved by:

(a) the township planning commission; or

(b) a majority of the voters residing within the township in a special election called for that purpose.

Legislative Review Note
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A limited legal review of this legislation raises no obvious constitutional or statutory concerns.

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