

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO  
HOUSE BILL 2870**

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, line 8, after “(2)” insert “Except as provided  
2 in subsection (3) of this section,”.

3 After line 9, insert:

4 “(3) A county may, by ordinance, impose a tax upon the sale or use of  
5 cigarettes at a rate not to exceed the rate imposed by the state on the sale  
6 or use of the same cigarette.”.

7 In line 10, delete “(3)” and insert “(4)”.

8 In line 14, after “(1)” insert “Except as provided in subsection (2) of this  
9 section,”.

10 After line 15, insert:

11 “(2) A county may, by ordinance, impose a tax upon the sale or use of  
12 tobacco products at a rate not to exceed the rate imposed by the state on the  
13 sale or use of the same tobacco product.”.

14 In line 16, delete “(2)” and insert “(3)”.

15 Delete lines 20 and 21 and insert:

16 **“SECTION 4. At least 40 percent of the revenue collected from taxes  
17 imposed by a county on the sale or use of cigarettes must be expended  
18 on:**

19 **“(1) Public health programs and services, for tobacco use prevention  
20 and cessation; and**

21 **“(2) Mental health and addiction services or programs.”.**

22 Delete lines 24 and 25 and insert:

1       **“SECTION 6. At least 40 percent of the revenue collected from taxes**  
2 **imposed by a county on the sale or use of tobacco products must be**  
3 **expended on:**

4       **“(1) Public health programs and services, for tobacco use prevention**  
5 **and cessation; and**

6       **“(2) Mental health and addiction services or programs.”.**

7       In line 27, delete “political subdivision of this state” and insert  
8 “county”.

9       In line 28, delete “political” and insert “county”.

10       In line 29, delete “subdivision”.

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