

HOUSE BILL NO. 123

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A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT REVISING METHODS OF COST ASSESSMENT FOR METROPOLITAN SANITARY AND STORM SEWER DISTRICTS; AMENDING SECTION 7-13-121, MCA; AND PROVIDING AN IMMEDIATE EFFECTIVE DATE."

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:

Section 1. Section 7-13-121, MCA, is amended to read:

"7-13-121. Assessment of costs. To defray the cost of installing and maintaining either sanitary or storm sewer systems under the provisions of this part, the board of county commissioners shall adopt the following method of assessment:

(1) The board shall assess the entire cost of the improvements against the entire metropolitan sanitary district.

(2) ~~(a)~~ Each lot or parcel of land assessed in ~~such the~~ district:

~~(A) is to~~ may be assessed with that part of the whole cost ~~which that~~ its area bears to the area of the entire district, exclusive of streets, avenues, alleys, and public places; OR

~~(b) Each lot or parcel of land assessed in the district may be assessed by methods provided in~~ 7-12-2151."

NEW SECTION. **Section 2. Effective date.** [This act] is effective on passage and approval.

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