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PROPERTY TAX Comfort Lake-Forest Lake Watershed District

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Department of Revenue
Analysis of H.F. 2824 (Kalin) / S.F. 2480 (Olseen)

	Yes	No
DOR Administrative Costs/Savings		X

The bill allows the Comfort Lake-Forest Lake Watershed District to add watershed management organization powers under M.S. 103B to its existing authorization. Effective upon final enactment.

The watershed district covers 49 square miles of southern Chisago and northern Washington Counties and has a taxes payable 2008 certified levy of \$307,500.

The proposed addition to the watershed district's taxing authority may have an impact on the local tax base and tax rate in the future and may result in a small increase in property tax refunds paid by the state.

Source: Minnesota Department of Revenue
Tax Research Division
http://www.taxes.state.mn.us/taxes/legal_policy

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