The city of Brooklyn Center has imposed a lodging tax of 3% since 2003.

The bill authorizes the city of Brooklyn Center to impose a sales and use tax of 0.5%, if approved by the voters at a general election. The proceeds would be used to finance the renovation and expansion of the Brooklyn Center Community Center.

The bill authorizes a bond issuance of up to $55 million plus bond costs. The tax would terminate at the earlier of 20 years after the tax is first imposed or when the city council determines that sufficient funds have been received to pay for the costs of the project and bonds. The tax may expire earlier if the city so determines by ordinance.

The bill would have no impact on state taxes.

Source: Minnesota Department of Revenue
Tax Research Division
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