

Bill Status of SB3134 100th General Assembly**Short Description:** FLOOD CONTROL COMMISSION**Senate Sponsors**Sen. [Karen McConnaughay](#) - [Dan McConchie](#) - [Linda Holmes](#) - [Melinda Bush](#) - [Julie A. Morrison](#), [Pamela J. Althoff](#), [John F. Curran](#), [Cristina Castro](#), [Chris Nybo](#) and [Michael Connelly](#)**House Sponsors**(Rep. [David S. Olsen](#) - [Steven Reick](#) - [Mike Fortner](#))**Last Action**

Date	Chamber	Action
8/3/2018	Senate	Public Act 100-0730

Statutes Amended In Order of Appearance[615 ILCS 15/8.5 new](#)**Synopsis As Introduced**

Amends the Flood Control Act of 1945. Creates the Flood Control Commission. Provides that the Commission shall study current flood control practices within the counties of DuPage, Kane, Lake, McHenry, and Will. Adds provisions concerning the membership and duties of the Commission. Provides that the Commission shall conduct a survey of the 5 counties and submit a report of the survey, including specific information, to the General Assembly by December 31, 2019. Repeals the new provisions on January 1, 2021.

House Committee Amendment No. 1

Replaces everything after the enacting clause with the provisions of the engrossed bill, and makes the following changes: (1) provides that the Commission shall study and develop an integrated floodplain management coalition of communities in the Fox River Watershed to serve as an example and catalyst to other watershed communities in the DuPage, Kane, Lake, McHenry, and Will County region; (2) provides that the Commission shall be chaired by the Director of Natural Resources (rather than the Director serving as a member of the Commission); (3) provides who shall appoint members of the Commission for members from specific counties and municipalities; (4) specifies where the Commission shall catalog current shortfalls in existing flood control practices; (5) provides that the Commission shall make suggestions for the improvement of the development of an example integrated floodplain management coalition of communities in the Fox River Watershed (rather than the expenditure of State funds to improve current infrastructure); (6) makes changes concerning the required contents of the report to the General Assembly; and (7) provides that the report to the General Assembly shall be submitted electronically.

House Floor Amendment No. 2

Provides that the members appointed from the Will County Stormwater Management Planning Committee and a municipality in Will County shall be appointed by the county executive of the county (rather than the chairman of the county). Provides that the Director of the Illinois Emergency Management Agency or his or her designee shall also be a member of the Commission.

Actions

Date	Chamber	Action
2/15/2018	Senate	Filed with Secretary by Sen. Karen McConnaughay
2/15/2018	Senate	First Reading
2/15/2018	Senate	Referred to Assignments
2/27/2018	Senate	Assigned to Local Government
4/9/2018	Senate	Added as Co-Sponsor Sen. Pamela J. Althoff

4/10/2018	Senate	Added as Co-Sponsor Sen. John F. Curran
4/10/2018	Senate	Added as Chief Co-Sponsor Sen. Dan McConchie
4/11/2018	Senate	Do Pass Local Government ; 008-000-000
4/11/2018	Senate	Placed on Calendar Order of 2nd Reading April 12, 2018
4/11/2018	Senate	Added as Chief Co-Sponsor Sen. Linda Holmes
4/11/2018	Senate	Added as Chief Co-Sponsor Sen. Melinda Bush
4/11/2018	Senate	Added as Chief Co-Sponsor Sen. Julie A. Morrison
4/11/2018	Senate	Added as Co-Sponsor Sen. Cristina Castro
4/17/2018	Senate	Added as Co-Sponsor Sen. Chris Nybo
4/18/2018	Senate	Added as Co-Sponsor Sen. Michael Connelly
4/18/2018	Senate	Second Reading
4/18/2018	Senate	Placed on Calendar Order of 3rd Reading April 19, 2018
4/23/2018	Senate	Third Reading - Passed; 047-000-000
4/24/2018	House	Arrived in House
4/24/2018	House	Chief House Sponsor Rep. David S. Olsen
4/24/2018	House	First Reading
4/24/2018	House	Referred to Rules Committee
5/2/2018	House	Assigned to Counties & Townships Committee
5/14/2018	House	House Committee Amendment No. 1 Filed with Clerk by Rep. David S. Olsen
5/14/2018	House	House Committee Amendment No. 1 Referred to Rules Committee
5/14/2018	House	Added Alternate Chief Co-Sponsor Rep. Steven Reick
5/15/2018	House	House Committee Amendment No. 1 Rules Refers to Counties & Townships Committee
5/17/2018	House	House Committee Amendment No. 1 Adopted in Counties & Townships Committee ; by Voice Vote
5/17/2018	House	Do Pass as Amended / Short Debate Counties & Townships Committee ; 007-000-000
5/18/2018	House	Placed on Calendar 2nd Reading - Short Debate
5/21/2018	House	House Floor Amendment No. 2 Filed with Clerk by Rep. David S. Olsen
5/21/2018	House	House Floor Amendment No. 2 Referred to Rules Committee
5/22/2018	House	House Floor Amendment No. 2 Recommends Be Adopted Rules Committee ; 004-000-000
5/23/2018	House	Second Reading - Short Debate
5/23/2018	House	House Floor Amendment No. 2 Adopted
5/23/2018	House	Placed on Calendar Order of 3rd Reading - Short Debate
5/25/2018	House	Final Action Deadline Extended-9(b) May 31, 2018
5/28/2018	House	Third Reading - Short Debate - Passed 115-000-000
5/28/2018	House	Added Alternate Chief Co-Sponsor Rep. Mike Fortner
5/29/2018	Senate	Secretary's Desk - Concurrence House Amendment(s) 1, 2
5/29/2018	Senate	Placed on Calendar Order of Concurrence House Amendment(s) 1, 2 - May 30, 2018
5/29/2018	Senate	House Committee Amendment No. 1 Motion to Concur Filed with Secretary Sen. Karen McConaughay

5/29/2018	Senate	House Committee Amendment No. 1 Motion to Concur Referred to Assignments
5/29/2018	Senate	House Floor Amendment No. 2 Motion to Concur Filed with Secretary Sen. Karen McConaughay
5/29/2018	Senate	House Floor Amendment No. 2 Motion to Concur Referred to Assignments
5/29/2018	Senate	House Committee Amendment No. 1 Motion to Concur Assignments Referred to Local Government
5/29/2018	Senate	House Floor Amendment No. 2 Motion to Concur Assignments Referred to Local Government
5/29/2018	Senate	House Committee Amendment No. 1 Motion To Concur Recommended Do Adopt Local Government ; 005-000-000
5/29/2018	Senate	House Floor Amendment No. 2 Motion To Concur Recommended Do Adopt Local Government ; 005-000-000
5/31/2018	Senate	House Committee Amendment No. 1 Senate Concurs 052-000-000
5/31/2018	Senate	House Floor Amendment No. 2 Senate Concurs 052-000-000
5/31/2018	Senate	Senate Concurs
5/31/2018	Senate	Passed Both Houses
6/29/2018	Senate	Sent to the Governor
8/3/2018	Senate	Governor Approved
8/3/2018	Senate	Effective Date January 1, 2019
8/3/2018	Senate	Public Act 100-0730

AN ACT concerning flood control.

**Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,
represented in the General Assembly:**

Section 5. The Flood Control Act of 1945 is amended by adding Section 8.5 as follows:

(615 ILCS 15/8.5 new)

Sec. 8.5. Flood Control Commission.

(a) The Flood Control Commission is created to study and develop an integrated floodplain management coalition of communities in the Fox River Watershed to serve as an example and catalyst to other watershed communities in the DuPage, Kane, Lake, McHenry, and Will County region to jointly leverage community resources and collaborate on flood preparedness, flood protection, flood response, flood recovery, future flood damage reduction, and necessary floodplain management education to mitigate future flooding events, prevent property damage and threats to public health, and save taxpayer money.

(b) The Commission shall be chaired by the Director of Natural Resources or his or her designee and consist of the following members:

(1) 5 members appointed by the President of the Senate;

(2) 5 members appointed by the Minority Leader of the Senate;

(3) 5 members appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives;

(4) 5 members appointed by the Minority Leader of the House of Representatives;

(5) one member appointed by the chairman of the county board with the advice and consent of the county board from the DuPage County Stormwater Management Planning Committee;

(6) one member appointed by the chairman of the county board with the advice and consent of the county board from the Kane County Stormwater Management Planning Committee;

(7) one member appointed by the chairman of the county board with the advice and consent of the county board from the Lake County Stormwater Management Planning Committee;

(8) one member appointed by the chairman of the county board with the advice and consent of the county board from the McHenry County Stormwater Management Planning Committee;

(9) one member appointed by the county executive of the county board with the advice and consent of the county board from the Will County Stormwater Management Planning Committee;

(10) one member appointed by the chairman of the county board with the advice and consent of the county board from a municipality in each of the following counties: (i) DuPage County; (ii) Kane County; (iii) Lake County; and

(iv) McHenry County;

(11) one member appointed by the county executive with the advice and consent of the county board from a municipality in Will County;

(12) the Governor or his or her designee; and

(13) the Director of the Illinois Emergency Management Agency or his or her designee.

(c) The Commission shall catalog current shortfalls in existing flood control practices in the Fox River Watershed. The Commission shall make suggestions for the improvement of such practices, including, but not limited to, the development of an example integrated floodplain management coalition of communities in the Fox River Watershed.

(d) The Commission shall conduct a survey and submit a report of the survey to the General Assembly by December 31, 2019. The report shall include, but is not limited to, the following information:

(1) the extent and character of the areas affected;

(2) current shortfalls in existing flood control practices in the Fox River Watershed;

(3) the basic structure of an integrated floodplain management coalition of communities in the Fox River Watershed to jointly leverage community resources and collaborate on flood preparedness, flood protection, flood response, flood recovery, future flood damage reduction, and necessary floodplain management education;

(4) a recommended strategy and schedule for implementing the coalition of communities in the Fox River Watershed;

(5) an explanation of how such a coalition could advance future flood damage reduction measures in the watershed; improve flood preparedness, flood protection, flood response, and flood recovery; and advocate necessary floodplain management education in the region;

(6) an explanation of how such a coalition could save taxpayer dollars; and

(7) a statement of special or local benefit that will accrue to communities participating in the coalition and a statement of general or statewide benefits, with recommendations as to what local cooperation, participation, and cost sharing shall be required, if any, on account of the special or local benefit.

The report to the General Assembly shall be filed with the Clerk of the House of Representatives and the Secretary of the Senate in electronic form only, in the manner that the Clerk and the Secretary shall direct.

(e) The Chicago Metropolitan Agency for Planning shall provide information to the Commission upon request.

(f) The Department of Natural Resources shall provide administrative support to the Commission.

(g) This Section is repealed on January 1, 2021.