

HB 534 -- Distribution of St. Louis County Sales Tax

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Currently, cities in St. Louis County are divided into two groups, Group A and Group B, for the purpose of distributing the county sales tax. Once a Group A city chooses to become part of Group B, it cannot revert back to Group A. A Group B city cannot choose to become a Group A city.

Beginning January 1, 2012, this bill changes the distribution of revenue from the St. Louis County sales tax to the municipalities and the county back to the way it was distributed prior to January 1, 1994; authorizes a Group B city to adopt an ordinance to become a Group A city; and authorizes a Group A or Group B city that has changed groups to transfer back to its original group.