SENATE SUBSTITUTE

FOR

HOUSE BILL NO. 2057

AN ACT

To repeal sections 67.2677, 67.5122, 71.340, 137.010, 137.080, 137.115, 137.122, 143.121, 226.220, and 393.1506, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof twelve new sections relating to utility infrastructure.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Sections 67.2677, 67.5122, 71.340, 137.010,

- 2 137.080, 137.115, 137.122, 143.121, 226.220, and 393.1506,
- 3 RSMo, are repealed and twelve new sections enacted in lieu
- 4 thereof, to be known as sections 67.2677, 67.5122, 71.340,
- 5 137.010, 137.080, 137.115, 137.122, 143.121, 144.058, 144.812,
- 6 226.220, and 393.1506, to read as follows:
 - 67.2677. [1.] For purposes of sections 67.2675 to
- 2 67.2714, the following terms mean:
- 3 (1) "Cable operator", as defined in 47 U.S.C. Section
- 4 522(5);
- 5 (2) "Cable system", as defined in 47 U.S.C. Section
- 6 522(7);
- 7 (3) "Franchise", an initial authorization, or renewal
- 8 of an authorization, issued by a franchising entity,
- 9 regardless of whether the authorization is designated as a
- 10 franchise, permit, license, resolution, contract,
- 11 certificate, agreement, or otherwise, that authorizes the
- 12 provision of video service and any affiliated or subsidiary
- 13 agreements related to such authorization;
- 14 (4) "Franchise area", the total geographic area
- 15 authorized to be served by an incumbent cable operator in a
- 16 political subdivision as of August 28, 2007, or, in the case
- 17 of an incumbent local exchange carrier, as such term is
- defined in 47 U.S.C. Section 251(h), or affiliate thereof,

- 19 the area within such political subdivision in which such
- 20 carrier provides telephone exchange service;
- 21 (5) "Franchise entity", a political subdivision that
- 22 was entitled to require franchises and impose fees on cable
- 23 operators on the day before the effective date of sections
- 24 67.2675 to 67.2714, provided that only one political
- 25 subdivision may be a franchise entity with regard to a
- 26 geographic area;
- 27 (6) (a) "Gross revenues", limited to amounts billed
- 28 to video service subscribers for the following:
- 29 a. Recurring charges for video service; and
- b. Event-based charges for video service, including
- 31 but not limited to pay-per-view and video-on-demand charges;
- 32 (b) "Gross revenues" do not include:
- a. Discounts, refunds, and other price adjustments
- 34 that reduce the amount of compensation received by an entity
- 35 holding a video service authorization;
- 36 b. Uncollectibles;
- 37 c. Late payment fees;
- 38 d. Amounts billed to video service subscribers to
- 39 recover taxes, fees, or surcharges imposed on video service
- 40 subscribers or video service providers in connection with
- 41 the provision of video services, including the video service
- 42 provider fee authorized by this section;
- e. Fees or other contributions for PEG or I-Net
- 44 support;
- 45 f. Charges for services other than video service that
- 46 are aggregated or bundled with amounts billed to video
- 47 service subscribers, if the entity holding a video service
- 48 authorization reasonably can identify such charges on books
- 49 and records kept in the regular course of business or by
- other reasonable means;

- g. Rental of set top boxes, modems, or other equipment
- 52 used to provide or facilitate the provision of video service;
- h. Service charges related to the provision of video
- 54 service including, but not limited to, activation,
- 55 installation, repair, and maintenance charges;
- i. Administrative charges related to the provision of
- 57 video service including, but not limited to, service order
- 58 and service termination charges; or
- j. A pro rata portion of all revenue derived from
- 60 advertising, less refunds, rebates, or discounts;
- 61 (c) Except with respect to the exclusion of the video
- 62 service provider fee, gross revenues shall be computed in
- 63 accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
- 64 (7) "Household", an apartment, a house, a mobile home,
- or any other structure or part of a structure intended for
- 66 residential occupancy as separate living quarters;
- (8) "Incumbent cable operator", the cable service
- 68 provider serving cable subscribers in a particular franchise
- 69 area on September 1, 2007;
- 70 (9) "Low-income household", a household with an
- 71 average annual household income of less than thirty-five
- 72 thousand dollars;
- 73 (10) "Person", an individual, partnership,
- 74 association, organization, corporation, trust, or government
- 75 entity;
- 76 (11) "Political subdivision", a city, town, village,
- 77 county;
- 78 (12) "Public right-of-way", the area of real property
- 79 in which a political subdivision has a dedicated or acquired
- 80 right-of-way interest in the real property, including the
- 81 area on, below, or above the present and future streets,
- 82 alleys, avenues, roads, highways, parkways, or boulevards
- 83 dedicated or acquired as right-of-way and utility easements

- dedicated for compatible uses. The term does not include the airwaves above a right-of-way with regard to wireless telecommunications or other nonwire telecommunications or broadcast service:
- 88 (13) "Video programming", programming provided by, or 89 generally considered comparable to programming provided by, 90 a television broadcast station, as set forth in 47 U.S.C. 91 Section 522(20);
- 92 (14) "Video service", the provision of video 93 programming by a video service provider provided through wireline facilities located at least in part in the public 94 right-of-way without regard to delivery technology, 95 96 including internet protocol technology whether provided as part of a tier, on demand, or on a per-channel basis. This 97 definition includes cable service as defined by 47 U.S.C. 98 99 Section 522(6), but does not include any video programming 100 provided by a commercial mobile service provider defined in 47 U.S.C. Section 332(d), or any video programming [provided] 101 solely as part of and] accessed via a service that enables 102 users to access content, information, electronic mail, or 103 other services offered over the [public] internet, including 104 105 streaming content;
 - (15) "Video service authorization", the right of a video service provider or an incumbent cable operator that secures permission from the public service commission pursuant to sections 67.2675 to 67.2714, to offer video service to subscribers in a political subdivision;

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(16) "Video service network", wireline facilities, or any component thereof, located at least in part in the public right-of-way that deliver video service, without regard to delivery technology, including internet protocol technology or any successor technology. The term video service network shall include cable systems;

- 117 (17) "Video service provider", any person that
- 118 distributes video service through a video service network
- 119 pursuant to a video service authorization;
- 120 (18) "Video service provider fee", the fee imposed
- 121 under section 67.2689.
- 122 [2. The repeal and reenactment of this section shall
- become effective August 28, 2023.]
 - 67.5122. Sections 67.5110 to 67.5122 shall expire on
 - 2 [January 1, 2025] December 31, 2029, except that for small
 - 3 wireless facilities already permitted or collocated on
 - 4 authority poles prior to such date, the rate set forth in
 - 5 section 67.5116 for collocation of small wireless facilities
 - 6 on authority poles shall remain effective for the duration
 - 7 of the permit authorizing the collocation.
 - 71.340. $\underline{1}$. The mayor and city council of any city or
 - 2 the chairman and board of trustees of any incorporated town
 - 3 or village shall have the power to annually appropriate and
 - 4 pay out of the treasury of such city or incorporated town or
 - 5 village a sum of money, not to exceed ten percent of the
 - 6 annual general revenue thereof, for the purpose of
 - 7 constructing, building, repairing, working, grading or
 - 8 macadamizing any public road, street and highway and any
 - 9 bridge thereon leading to and from such city or incorporated
 - 10 town or village; and such appropriation shall be made by
- 11 ordinance and the money so appropriated shall be applied
- 12 under the supervision and direction of the engineers of such
- 13 city or incorporated town or village, and of the county
- 14 highway engineer of the county in which such city, town or
- 15 village is located, or of some competent person selected by
- 16 such city, town or village and approved by the county
- 17 highway engineer, who shall make a report thereof, in
- 18 writing, to the mayor and city council of such city, or to
- 19 the chairman and board of trustees of such incorporated town

- 20 or village; but this privilege shall not extend to a greater
- 21 distance than five miles from the corporate limits of such
- 22 city, town or village, and shall not be construed so as to
- 23 allow any obstruction to or interference with the free use
- 24 of any such public road, street or highway by the public,
- 25 except so far as may be necessary while such work is being
- 26 done, and further shall not be construed to affect the
- 27 liability of such city, town or village, which liability
- 28 shall be the same as if such roads, streets and highways
- 29 were inside the city limits.
- 2. A city, incorporated town, or village shall not
- 31 perform any road maintenance or construction project (a
- 32 <u>"road project"</u>) unless it reimburses a nonrate regulated
- 33 utility provider that incurs costs for facility relocation
- 34 due to such road project. A city, incorporated town, or
- 35 village shall be authorized to pay such facility relocation
- 36 costs as a part of the cost of the road project.
- 3. For the purposes of this section and sections
- 38 226.220 and 226.224, "nonrate regulated utility provider"
- 39 shall mean:
- 40 (1) A telecommunications company as defined in
- 41 subdivision (52) of section 386.020 whose telecommunications
- 42 services are not subject to rate of return regulation by the
- 43 public service commission pursuant to subsection 1 of
- 44 section 392.240;
- 45 (2) A provider of broadband and other internet-
- 46 protocol-enabled services as defined in subsection 2 of
- 47 section 392.611;
- 48 (3) A video service provider as defined in subdivision
- 49 (17) of subsection 1 of section 67.2677;
- 50 (4) A cable operator as defined in subdivision (1) of
- subsection 1 of section 67.2677; or

- (5) A provider offering unlit fiberoptic lines or
 capacity on such lines, provided that such provider shall be
 considered a nonrate regulated utility provider solely with
 respect to such lines.
- 137.010. The following words, terms and phrases when
 used in laws governing taxation and revenue in the state of
 Missouri shall have the meanings ascribed to them in this
 section, except when the context clearly indicates a
 different meaning:
- 6 "Grain and other agricultural crops in an unmanufactured condition" shall mean grains and feeds 7 including, but not limited to, soybeans, cow peas, wheat, 8 9 corn, oats, barley, kafir, rye, flax, grain sorghums, cotton, and such other products as are usually stored in 10 grain and other elevators and on farms; but excluding such 11 grains and other agricultural crops after being processed 12 into products of such processing, when packaged or sacked. 13 The term "processing" shall not include hulling, cleaning, 14 15 drying, grating, or polishing;

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- (2) "Hydroelectric power generating equipment", very-low-head turbine generators with a nameplate generating capacity of at least four hundred kilowatts but not more than six hundred kilowatts and machinery and equipment used directly in the production, generation, conversion, storage, or conveyance of hydroelectric power to land-based devices and appurtenances used in the transmission of electrical energy;
- 24 (3) "Intangible personal property", for the purpose of
 25 taxation, shall include all property other than real
 26 property and tangible personal property, as defined by this
 27 section;
- 28 (4) "Real property" includes land itself, whether laid 29 out in town lots or otherwise, and all growing crops,

- buildings, structures, improvements and fixtures of whatever kind thereon, hydroelectric power generating equipment, the installed poles used in the transmission or reception of electrical energy, audio signals, video signals or similar purposes, provided the owner of such installed poles is also an owner of a fee simple interest, possessor of an easement, holder of a license or franchise, or is the beneficiary of a right-of-way dedicated for public utility purposes for the underlying land; attached wires, transformers, amplifiers, substations, and other such devices and appurtenances used in the transmission or reception of electrical energy, audio signals, video signals or similar purposes when owned by the owner of the installed poles, otherwise such items are considered personal property; and stationary property used for transportation or storage of liquid and gaseous products, including, but not limited to, petroleum products, natural gas, propane or LP gas equipment, water, and sewage;
 - (5) "Reliever airport", any land and improvements, exclusive of structures, on privately owned airports that qualify as reliever airports under the National Plan of Integrated Airport Systems that may receive federal airport improvement project funds through the Federal Aviation Administration;

- tangible thing being the subject of ownership or part ownership whether animate or inanimate, other than money, and not forming part or parcel of real property as herein defined, but does not include household goods, furniture, wearing apparel and articles of personal use and adornment, as defined by the state tax commission, owned and used by a person in his home or dwelling place. "Tangible personal property" shall include solar panels, racking systems,
- inverters, and related solar equipment, components,

- 63 materials, and supplies installed at commercial solar
- 64 photovoltaic energy systems, as described in subdivision
- 65 (46) of subsection 2 of section 144.030, that were
- 66 constructed and producing solar energy prior to August 9,
- **67** 2022.
 - 137.080. Real estate and tangible personal property
- 2 shall be assessed annually at the assessment which commences
- 3 on the first day of January. For purposes of assessing and
- 4 taxing tangible personal property, all tangible personal
- 5 property shall be divided into the following subclasses:
- 6 (1) Grain and other agricultural crops in an
- 7 unmanufactured condition;
- 8 (2) Livestock;
- 9 (3) Farm machinery;
- 10 (4) Vehicles, including recreational vehicles, but not
- including manufactured homes, as defined in section 700.010,
- 12 which are actually used as dwelling units;
- 13 (5) Manufactured homes, as defined in section 700.010,
- 14 which are actually used as dwelling units;
- 15 (6) Motor vehicles which are eligible for registration
- 16 and are registered as historic motor vehicles under section
- **17** 301.131;
- 18 (7) Solar panels, racking systems, inverters, and
- 19 related solar equipment, components, materials, and supplies
- 20 installed at commercial solar photovoltaic energy systems,
- 21 as described in subdivision (46) of subsection 2 of section
- 22 144.030, that were constructed and producing solar energy
- prior to August 9, 2022; and
- 24 (8) All taxable tangible personal property not
- included in subclass (1), subclass (2), subclass (3),
- subclass (4), subclass (5), [or] subclass (6), or subclass
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137.115. 1. All other laws to the contrary
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    notwithstanding, the assessor or the assessor's deputies in
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    all counties of this state including the City of St. Louis
    shall annually make a list of all real and tangible personal
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    property taxable in the assessor's city, county, town or
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    district. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 3 of
    this section and section 137.078, the assessor shall
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    annually assess all personal property at thirty-three and
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    one-third percent of its true value in money as of January
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    first of each calendar year. The assessor shall annually
    assess all real property, including any new construction and
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    improvements to real property, and possessory interests in
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    real property at the percent of its true value in money set
    in subsection 5 of this section. The true value in money of
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    any possessory interest in real property in subclass (3),
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    where such real property is on or lies within the ultimate
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    airport boundary as shown by a federal airport layout plan,
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    as defined by 14 CFR 151.5, of a commercial airport having a
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    FAR Part 139 certification and owned by a political
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    the political subdivision, towards any new construction or
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    possessory interest, regardless of the year in which such
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    any prior year. The assessor shall annually assess all real
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    property in the following manner: new assessed values shall
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    be determined as of January first of each odd-numbered year
    and shall be entered in the assessor's books; those same
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    assessed values shall apply in the following even-numbered
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    which shall be valued as though they had been completed as
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    of all taxable tangible personal property owned by the
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    taxable in the county. On or before January first of each
    even-numbered year, the assessor shall prepare and submit a
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    two-year assessment maintenance plan to the county governing
    body and the state tax commission for their respective
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    approval or modification. The county governing body shall
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    approve and forward such plan or its alternative to the plan
    to the state tax commission by February first. If the
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    county governing body fails to forward the plan or its
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    February first, the assessor's plan shall be considered
    approved by the county governing body. If the state tax
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    commission fails to approve a plan and if the state tax
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    county involved are unable to resolve the differences, in
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    order to receive state cost-share funds outlined in section
    137.750, the county or the assessor shall petition the
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    administrative hearing commission, by May first, to decide
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    plan. Upon agreement of the parties, the matter may be
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    stayed while the parties proceed with mediation or
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    decision of the administrative hearing commission shall be
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    subject to judicial review in the circuit court of the
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    county involved. In the event a valuation of subclass (1)
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- 67 a computer, computer-assisted method or a computer program,
- 68 the burden of proof, supported by clear, convincing and
- 69 cogent evidence to sustain such valuation, shall be on the
- 70 assessor at any hearing or appeal. In any such county,
- 71 unless the assessor proves otherwise, there shall be a
- 72 presumption that the assessment was made by a computer,
- 73 computer-assisted method or a computer program. Such
- 74 evidence shall include, but shall not be limited to, the
- 75 following:
- 76 (1) The findings of the assessor based on an appraisal
- of the property by generally accepted appraisal techniques;
- **78** and
- 79 (2) The purchase prices from sales of at least three
- 80 comparable properties and the address or location thereof.
- 81 As used in this subdivision, the word "comparable" means
- 82 that:
- 83 (a) Such sale was closed at a date relevant to the
- 84 property valuation; and
- 85 (b) Such properties are not more than one mile from
- 86 the site of the disputed property, except where no similar
- 87 properties exist within one mile of the disputed property,
- 88 the nearest comparable property shall be used. Such
- 89 property shall be within five hundred square feet in size of
- 90 the disputed property, and resemble the disputed property in
- 91 age, floor plan, number of rooms, and other relevant
- 92 characteristics.
- 93 2. Assessors in each county of this state and the City
- 94 of St. Louis may send personal property assessment forms
- 95 through the mail.
- 96 3. The following items of personal property shall each
- 97 constitute separate subclasses of tangible personal property
- 98 and shall be assessed and valued for the purposes of

- 99 taxation at the following percentages of their true value in 100 money:
- (1) Grain and other agricultural crops in an unmanufactured condition, one-half of one percent;
 - (2) Livestock, twelve percent;
- 104 (3) Farm machinery, twelve percent;

- 105 (4) Motor vehicles which are eligible for registration
 106 as and are registered as historic motor vehicles pursuant to
 107 section 301.131 and aircraft which are at least twenty-five
 108 years old and which are used solely for noncommercial
 109 purposes and are operated less than two hundred hours per
 110 year or aircraft that are home built from a kit, five
 111 percent;
- 112 (5) Poultry, twelve percent; [and]
- 113 (6) Tools and equipment used for pollution control and
 114 tools and equipment used in retooling for the purpose of
 115 introducing new product lines or used for making
 116 improvements to existing products by any company which is
 117 located in a state enterprise zone and which is identified
 118 by any standard industrial classification number cited in
 119 subdivision (7) of section 135.200, twenty-five percent; and
- 121 related solar equipment, components, materials, and supplies

 122 installed at commercial solar photovoltaic energy systems,

 123 as described in subdivision (46) of subsection 2 of section

 124 144.030, that were constructed and producing solar energy

 125 prior to August 9, 2022, five percent.
- 4. The person listing the property shall enter a true and correct statement of the property, in a printed blank prepared for that purpose. The statement, after being filled out, shall be signed and either affirmed or sworn to as provided in section 137.155. The list shall then be delivered to the assessor.

- 5. (1) All subclasses of real property, as such subclasses are established in Section 4(b) of Article X of the Missouri Constitution and defined in section 137.016, shall be assessed at the following percentages of true value:
- 136 (a) For real property in subclass (1), nineteen
 137 percent;
- 140 (c) For real property in subclass (3), thirty-two 141 percent.
- 142 A taxpayer may apply to the county assessor, or, if not located within a county, then the assessor of such 143 144 city, for the reclassification of such taxpayer's real 145 property if the use or purpose of such real property is changed after such property is assessed under the provisions 146 147 of this chapter. If the assessor determines that such 148 property shall be reclassified, he or she shall determine 149 the assessment under this subsection based on the percentage 150 of the tax year that such property was classified in each 151 subclassification.
- 152 6. Manufactured homes, as defined in section 700.010, which are actually used as dwelling units shall be assessed 153 at the same percentage of true value as residential real 154 155 property for the purpose of taxation. The percentage of 156 assessment of true value for such manufactured homes shall 157 be the same as for residential real property. If the county 158 collector cannot identify or find the manufactured home when attempting to attach the manufactured home for payment of 159 160 taxes owed by the manufactured home owner, the county 161 collector may request the county commission to have the manufactured home removed from the tax books, and such 162 request shall be granted within thirty days after the 163 164 request is made; however, the removal from the tax books

- 165 does not remove the tax lien on the manufactured home if it 166 is later identified or found. For purposes of this section, 167 a manufactured home located in a manufactured home rental park, rental community or on real estate not owned by the 168 169 manufactured home owner shall be considered personal 170 property. For purposes of this section, a manufactured home 171 located on real estate owned by the manufactured home owner 172 may be considered real property.
- 7. Each manufactured home assessed shall be considered a parcel for the purpose of reimbursement pursuant to section 137.750, unless the manufactured home is deemed to be real estate as defined in subsection 7 of section 442.015 and assessed as a realty improvement to the existing real estate parcel.
- 179 Any amount of tax due and owing based on the assessment of a manufactured home shall be included on the 180 181 personal property tax statement of the manufactured home owner unless the manufactured home is deemed to be real 182 estate as defined in subsection 7 of section 442.015, in 183 which case the amount of tax due and owing on the assessment 184 of the manufactured home as a realty improvement to the 185 existing real estate parcel shall be included on the real 186 187 property tax statement of the real estate owner.
- 188 The assessor of each county and each city not 189 within a county shall use the trade-in value published in 190 the October issue of the National Automobile Dealers' Association Official Used Car Guide, or its successor 191 publication, as the recommended guide of information for 192 determining the true value of motor vehicles described in 193 194 such publication. The assessor shall not use a value that 195 is greater than the average trade-in value in determining the true value of the motor vehicle without performing a 196 197 physical inspection of the motor vehicle. For vehicles two

years old or newer from a vehicle's model year, the assessor
may use a value other than average without performing a
physical inspection of the motor vehicle. In the absence of
a listing for a particular motor vehicle in such
publication, the assessor shall use such information or
publications which in the assessor's judgment will fairly
estimate the true value in money of the motor vehicle.

- 10. Before the assessor may increase the assessed valuation of any parcel of subclass (1) real property by more than fifteen percent since the last assessment, excluding increases due to new construction or improvements, the assessor shall conduct a physical inspection of such property.
- 11. If a physical inspection is required, pursuant to subsection 10 of this section, the assessor shall notify the property owner of that fact in writing and shall provide the owner clear written notice of the owner's rights relating to the physical inspection. If a physical inspection is required, the property owner may request that an interior inspection be performed during the physical inspection. owner shall have no less than thirty days to notify the assessor of a request for an interior physical inspection.
 - 12. A physical inspection, as required by subsection 10 of this section, shall include, but not be limited to, an on-site personal observation and review of all exterior portions of the land and any buildings and improvements to which the inspector has or may reasonably and lawfully gain external access, and shall include an observation and review of the interior of any buildings or improvements on the property upon the timely request of the owner pursuant to subsection 11 of this section. Mere observation of the property via a drive-by inspection or the like shall not be

- considered sufficient to constitute a physical inspection as required by this section.
- 232 13. A county or city collector may accept credit cards as proper form of payment of outstanding property tax or 233 234 license due. No county or city collector may charge 235 surcharge for payment by credit card which exceeds the fee or surcharge charged by the credit card bank, processor, or 236 issuer for its service. A county or city collector may 237 238 accept payment by electronic transfers of funds in payment 239 of any tax or license and charge the person making such payment a fee equal to the fee charged the county by the 240 bank, processor, or issuer of such electronic payment. 241

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Any county or city not within a county in this state may, by an affirmative vote of the governing body of such county, opt out of the provisions of this section and sections 137.073, 138.060, and 138.100 as enacted by house bill no. 1150 of the ninety-first general assembly, second regular session and section 137.073 as modified by house committee substitute for senate substitute for senate committee substitute for senate bill no. 960, ninety-second general assembly, second regular session, for the next year of the general reassessment, prior to January first of any year. No county or city not within a county shall exercise this opt-out provision after implementing the provisions of this section and sections 137.073, 138.060, and 138.100 as enacted by house bill no. 1150 of the ninety-first general assembly, second regular session and section 137.073 as modified by house committee substitute for senate substitute for senate committee substitute for senate bill no. 960, ninety-second general assembly, second regular session, in a year of general reassessment. For the purposes of applying the provisions of this subsection, a political subdivision contained within two or more counties where at least one of

- 263 such counties has opted out and at least one of such 264 counties has not opted out shall calculate a single tax rate 265 as in effect prior to the enactment of house bill no. 1150 of the ninety-first general assembly, second regular 266 267 session. A governing body of a city not within a county or 268 a county that has opted out under the provisions of this 269 subsection may choose to implement the provisions of this 270 section and sections 137.073, 138.060, and 138.100 as 271 enacted by house bill no. 1150 of the ninety-first general 272 assembly, second regular session, and section 137.073 as modified by house committee substitute for senate substitute 273 274 for senate committee substitute for senate bill no. 960, ninety-second general assembly, second regular session, for 275 276 the next year of general reassessment, by an affirmative 277 vote of the governing body prior to December thirty-first of 278 any year.
- 279 The governing body of any city of the third classification with more than twenty-six thousand three 280 281 hundred but fewer than twenty-six thousand seven hundred inhabitants located in any county that has exercised its 282 authority to opt out under subsection 14 of this section may 283 284 levy separate and differing tax rates for real and personal 285 property only if such city bills and collects its own 286 property taxes or satisfies the entire cost of the billing 287 and collection of such separate and differing tax rates. 288 Such separate and differing rates shall not exceed such 289 city's tax rate ceiling.
- reserve for strip, surface, or coal mining for minerals for purposes of excavation for future use or sale to others that has not been bonded and permitted under chapter 444 shall be assessed based upon how the real property is currently being used. Any information provided to a county assessor, state

- 296 tax commission, state agency, or political subdivision 297 responsible for the administration of tax policies shall, in 298 the performance of its duties, make available all books, records, and information requested, except such books, 299 300 records, and information as are by law declared confidential 301 in nature, including individually identifiable information 302 regarding a specific taxpayer or taxpayer's mine property. 303 For purposes of this subsection, "mine property" shall mean 304 all real property that is in use or readily available as a 305 reserve for strip, surface, or coal mining for minerals for purposes of excavation for current or future use or sale to 306 others that has been bonded and permitted under chapter 444. 307
 - 137.122. 1. As used in this section, the following terms mean:
- 3 "Business personal property", tangible personal 4 property which is used in a trade or business or used for 5 production of income and which has a determinable life of 6 longer than one year except that supplies used by a business 7 shall also be considered business personal property, but shall not include livestock, farm machinery, grain and other 8 9 agricultural crops in an unmanufactured condition, property subject to the motor vehicle registration provisions of 10 chapter 301, property assessed under section 137.078, the 11 12 property of rural electric cooperatives under chapter 394, or property assessed by the state tax commission under 13
- 14 chapters 151, 153, and 155, section 137.022, and sections 15 137.1000 to 137.1030;
- 16 (2) "Class life", the class life of property as set
 17 out in the federal Modified Accelerated Cost Recovery System
 18 life tables or their successors under the Internal Revenue
 19 Code as amended;
- 20 (3) "Economic or functional obsolescence", a loss in21 value of personal property above and beyond physical

- deterioration and age of the property. Such loss may be the result of economic or functional obsolescence or both;
- (4) "Original cost", the price the current owner, the taxpayer, paid for the item without freight, installation, or sales or use tax. In the case of acquisition of items of personal property as part of an acquisition of an entity, the original cost shall be the historical cost of those assets remaining in place and in use and the placed-in-
- 30 service date shall be the date of acquisition by the entity
- 31 being acquired;
- 32 (5) "Placed in service", property is placed in service
- 33 when it is ready and available for a specific use, whether
- in a business activity, an income-producing activity, a tax-
- 35 exempt activity, or a personal activity. Even if the
- 36 property is not being used, the property is in service when
- 37 it is ready and available for its specific use;
- 38 (6) "Recovery period", the period over which the
- 39 original cost of depreciable tangible personal property
- 40 shall be depreciated for property tax purposes and shall be
- 41 the same as the recovery period allowed for such property
- 42 under the Internal Revenue Code.
- 43 2. To establish uniformity in the assessment of
- 44 depreciable tangible personal property, each assessor shall
- 45 use the standardized schedule of depreciation in this
- 46 section to determine the assessed valuation of depreciable
- 47 tangible personal property for the purpose of estimating the
- 48 value of such property subject to taxation under this
- 49 chapter.
- 3. For purposes of this section, and to estimate the
- 51 value of depreciable tangible personal property for mass
- 52 appraisal purposes, each assessor shall value depreciable
- 53 tangible personal property by applying the class life and
- 54 recovery period to the original cost of the property

according to the following depreciation schedule. The
percentage shown for the first year shall be the percentage
of the original cost used for January first of the year
following the year of acquisition of the property, and the
percentage shown for each succeeding year shall be the
percentage of the original cost used for January first of
the respective succeeding year as follows:

62	Year		Recovery Period in Years				
63		3	5	7	10	15	20
64	1	75.00	85.00	89.29	92.50	95.00	96.25
65	2	37.50	59.50	70.16	78.62	85.50	89.03
66	3	12.50	41.65	55.13	66.83	76.95	82.35
67	4	5.00	24.99	42.88	56.81	69.25	76.18
68	5		10.00	30.63	48.07	62.32	70.46
69	6			18.38	39.33	56.09	65.18
70	7			10.00	30.59	50.19	60.29
71	8				21.85	44.29	55.77
72	9				15.00	38.38	51.31
73	10					32.48	46.85
74	11					26.57	42.38
75	12					20.67	37.92
76	13					15.00	33.46
77	14						29.00
78	15						24.54
79	16						20.08
80	17						20.00

⁸¹ Depreciable tangible personal property in all recovery

⁸² periods shall continue in subsequent years to have the

⁸³ depreciation factor last listed in the appropriate column so

- long as it is owned or held by the taxpayer. The state tax commission shall study and analyze the values established by this method of assessment and in every odd-numbered year make recommendations to the joint committee on tax policy pertaining to any changes in this methodology, if any, that are warranted.
- Such estimate of value determined under this 90 91 section shall be presumed to be correct for the purpose of 92 determining the true value in money of the depreciable 93 tangible personal property, but such estimation may be disproved by a taxpayer by substantial and persuasive 94 evidence of the true value in money under any method 95 96 determined by the state tax commission to be correct, 97 including, but not limited to, an appraisal of the tangible personal property specifically utilizing generally accepted 98 99 appraisal techniques, and contained in a narrative appraisal 100 report in accordance with the Uniform Standards of Professional Appraisal Practice or by proof of economic or 101 functional obsolescence or evidence of excessive physical 102 deterioration. For purposes of appeal of the provisions of 103 this section, the salvage or scrap value of depreciable 104 105 tangible personal property may only be considered if the 106 property is not in use as of the assessment date.
 - 5. This section shall not apply to business personal property placed in service before January 2, 2006. Nothing in this section shall create a presumption as to the proper method of determining the assessed valuation of business personal property placed in service before January 2, 2006.

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- 112 6. The provisions of this section are not intended to 113 modify the definition of tangible personal property as 114 defined in section 137.010.
- 115 <u>7. (1) As of January 1, 2025, this section shall</u>
 116 apply to all real property, placed in service at any time,

- that is stationary property used for transportation or

 storage of liquid and gaseous products including water,

 sewage, and natural gas that is not propane or LP gas, but

 not including petroleum products.

 (2) To estimate the value of the real property

 described in this subsection, each assessor shall value suc

 property by applying a twenty-year recovery period to the
- described in this subsection, each assessor shall value such
 property by applying a twenty-year recovery period to the
 original cost of the property according to the twenty-year
 depreciation schedule set forth in subsection 3 of this
 section. Notwithstanding subsection 5 of this section, the
 presumption as to the proper method of determining the
 assessed value of such property shall apply regardless of
 when such property was placed in service.
- 130 (3) Each taxpayer owning real property described in this subsection shall provide to an assessor, no later than 131 132 May first of the applicable tax year, the original cost and 133 year placed in service of such property summarized in a 134 format that is substantially similar to the real property 135 reporting and valuation forms contained in section 7.4 of 136 the state tax commission assessor manual (revision date March 23, 2016, or any revision adopted by the state tax 137 commission thereafter). Upon the written request of the 138 assessor, such information shall be provided for each taxing 139 140 district within the assessor's jurisdiction. If requested 141 by the taxpayer, the assessor shall provide to the taxpayer 142 geographic information system maps in readable layers on which a taxpayer may provide the information in this 143 144 subsection. The taxpayer shall certify under penalty of perjury that the information provided to the assessor 145 146 pursuant to this subsection is accurate to the best of its knowledge. All information provided to an assessor pursuant 147

to this subsection shall be considered proprietary

- information and shall be accessible only to the assessor and the assessor's staff for internal use only.
 - 143.121. 1. The Missouri adjusted gross income of a resident individual shall be the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income subject to the modifications in this section.
 - 4 2. There shall be added to the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income:
 - (1) The amount of any federal income tax refund
 received for a prior year which resulted in a Missouri
 income tax benefit. The amount added pursuant to this
 - 9 subdivision shall not include any amount of a federal income
- 10 tax refund attributable to a tax credit reducing a
- 11 taxpayer's federal tax liability pursuant to Public Law 116-
- 12 136 or 116-260, enacted by the 116th United States Congress,
- 13 for the tax year beginning on or after January 1, 2020, and
- 14 ending on or before December 31, 2020, and deducted from
- 15 Missouri adjusted gross income pursuant to section 143.171.
- 16 The amount added under this subdivision shall also not
- 17 include any amount of a federal income tax refund
- 18 attributable to a tax credit reducing a taxpayer's federal
- 19 tax liability under any other federal law that provides
- 20 direct economic impact payments to taxpayers to mitigate
- 21 financial challenges related to the COVID-19 pandemic, and
- 22 deducted from Missouri adjusted gross income under section
- 23 143.171;
- 24 (2) Interest on certain governmental obligations
- 25 excluded from federal gross income by 26 U.S.C. Section 103
- 26 of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended. The previous
- 27 sentence shall not apply to interest on obligations of the
- 28 state of Missouri or any of its political subdivisions or
- 29 authorities and shall not apply to the interest described in
- 30 subdivision (1) of subsection 3 of this section. The amount
- 31 added pursuant to this subdivision shall be reduced by the

- 32 amounts applicable to such interest that would have been
- 33 deductible in computing the taxable income of the taxpayer
- 34 except only for the application of 26 U.S.C. Section 265 of
- 35 the Internal Revenue Code, as amended. The reduction shall
- 36 only be made if it is at least five hundred dollars;
- 37 (3) The amount of any deduction that is included in
- 38 the computation of federal taxable income pursuant to 26
- 39 U.S.C. Section 168 of the Internal Revenue Code as amended
- 40 by the Job Creation and Worker Assistance Act of 2002 to the
- 41 extent the amount deducted relates to property purchased on
- 42 or after July 1, 2002, but before July 1, 2003, and to the
- 43 extent the amount deducted exceeds the amount that would
- 44 have been deductible pursuant to 26 U.S.C. Section 168 of
- 45 the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 as in effect on January 1,
- 46 2002;
- 47 (4) The amount of any deduction that is included in
- 48 the computation of federal taxable income for net operating
- 49 loss allowed by 26 U.S.C. Section 172 of the Internal
- 50 Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, other than the deduction
- 51 allowed by 26 U.S.C. Section 172(b)(1)(G) and 26 U.S.C.
- 52 Section 172(i) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as
- 53 amended, for a net operating loss the taxpayer claims in the
- 54 tax year in which the net operating loss occurred or carries
- 55 forward for a period of more than twenty years and carries
- 56 backward for more than two years. Any amount of net
- 57 operating loss taken against federal taxable income but
- 58 disallowed for Missouri income tax purposes pursuant to this
- 59 subdivision after June 18, 2002, may be carried forward and
- 60 taken against any income on the Missouri income tax return
- 61 for a period of not more than twenty years from the year of
- 62 the initial loss; and
- 63 (5) For nonresident individuals in all taxable years
- ending on or after December 31, 2006, the amount of any

- 65 property taxes paid to another state or a political
- 66 subdivision of another state for which a deduction was
- 67 allowed on such nonresident's federal return in the taxable
- 68 year unless such state, political subdivision of a state, or
- 69 the District of Columbia allows a subtraction from income
- 70 for property taxes paid to this state for purposes of
- 71 calculating income for the income tax for such state,
- 72 political subdivision of a state, or the District of
- 73 Columbia;
- 74 (6) For all tax years beginning on or after January 1,
- 75 2018, any interest expense paid or accrued in a previous
- 76 taxable year, but allowed as a deduction under 26 U.S.C.
- 77 Section 163, as amended, in the current taxable year by
- 78 reason of the carryforward of disallowed business interest
- 79 provisions of 26 U.S.C. Section 163(j), as amended. For the
- 80 purposes of this subdivision, an interest expense is
- 81 considered paid or accrued only in the first taxable year
- 82 the deduction would have been allowable under 26 U.S.C.
- 83 Section 163, as amended, if the limitation under 26 U.S.C.
- 84 Section 163(j), as amended, did not exist.
- 85 3. There shall be subtracted from the taxpayer's
- 86 federal adjusted gross income the following amounts to the
- 87 extent included in federal adjusted gross income:
- 88 (1) Interest received on deposits held at a federal
- 89 reserve bank or interest or dividends on obligations of the
- 90 United States and its territories and possessions or of any
- 91 authority, commission or instrumentality of the United
- 92 States to the extent exempt from Missouri income taxes
- 93 pursuant to the laws of the United States. The amount
- 94 subtracted pursuant to this subdivision shall be reduced by
- 95 any interest on indebtedness incurred to carry the described
- 96 obligations or securities and by any expenses incurred in
- 97 the production of interest or dividend income described in

- 98 this subdivision. The reduction in the previous sentence 99 shall only apply to the extent that such expenses including 100 amortizable bond premiums are deducted in determining the 101 taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income or included in the 102 taxpayer's Missouri itemized deduction. The reduction shall 103 only be made if the expenses total at least five hundred 104 dollars;
- The portion of any gain, from the sale or other 105 (2) 106 disposition of property having a higher adjusted basis to 107 the taxpayer for Missouri income tax purposes than for federal income tax purposes on December 31, 1972, that does 108 not exceed such difference in basis. If a gain is 109 110 considered a long-term capital gain for federal income tax purposes, the modification shall be limited to one-half of 111 112 such portion of the gain;
- 113 The amount necessary to prevent the taxation 114 pursuant to this chapter of any annuity or other amount of income or gain which was properly included in income or gain 115 116 and was taxed pursuant to the laws of Missouri for a taxable year prior to January 1, 1973, to the taxpayer, or to a 117 decedent by reason of whose death the taxpayer acquired the 118 right to receive the income or gain, or to a trust or estate 119 120 from which the taxpayer received the income or gain;
- 121 (4) Accumulation distributions received by a taxpayer 122 as a beneficiary of a trust to the extent that the same are 123 included in federal adjusted gross income;
- 124 (5) The amount of any state income tax refund for a
 125 prior year which was included in the federal adjusted gross
 126 income;
- 127 (6) The portion of capital gain specified in section 128 135.357 that would otherwise be included in federal adjusted 129 gross income;

computation of federal taxable income pursuant to 26 U.S.C.

Section 168 of the Internal Revenue Code as in effect on

January 1, 2002, to the extent that amount relates to

property purchased on or after July 1, 2002, but before July

(7) The amount that would have been deducted in the

- 135 1, 2003, and to the extent that amount exceeds the amount
- actually deducted pursuant to 26 U.S.C. Section 168 of the
- 137 Internal Revenue Code as amended by the Job Creation and
- 138 Worker Assistance Act of 2002;

- 139 For all tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2005, the amount of any income received for military service 140 while the taxpayer serves in a combat zone which is included 141 in federal adjusted gross income and not otherwise excluded 142 143 therefrom. As used in this section, "combat zone" means any 144 area which the President of the United States by Executive 145 Order designates as an area in which Armed Forces of the 146 United States are or have engaged in combat. Service is performed in a combat zone only if performed on or after the 147 148 date designated by the President by Executive Order as the
- 149 date of the commencing of combat activities in such zone,
- and on or before the date designated by the President by
- 151 Executive Order as the date of the termination of combatant
- 152 activities in such zone;
- 153 (9) For all tax years ending on or after July 1, 2002, 154 with respect to qualified property that is sold or otherwise 155 disposed of during a taxable year by a taxpayer and for 156 which an additional modification was made under subdivision
- 157 (3) of subsection 2 of this section, the amount by which
- 158 additional modification made under subdivision (3) of
- 159 subsection 2 of this section on qualified property has not
- 160 been recovered through the additional subtractions provided
- in subdivision (7) of this subsection;

- 162 (10) For all tax years beginning on or after January
- 163 1, 2014, the amount of any income received as payment from
- any program which provides compensation to agricultural
- 165 producers who have suffered a loss as the result of a
- 166 disaster or emergency, including the:
- 167 (a) Livestock Forage Disaster Program;
- 168 (b) Livestock Indemnity Program;
- 169 (c) Emergency Assistance for Livestock, Honeybees, and
- 170 Farm-Raised Fish;
- 171 (d) Emergency Conservation Program;
- 172 (e) Noninsured Crop Disaster Assistance Program;
- 173 (f) Pasture, Rangeland, Forage Pilot Insurance Program;
- 174 (g) Annual Forage Pilot Program;
- 175 (h) Livestock Risk Protection Insurance Plan;
- 176 (i) Livestock Gross Margin Insurance Plan;
- 177 (11) For all tax years beginning on or after January
- 178 1, 2018, any interest expense paid or accrued in the current
- 179 taxable year, but not deducted as a result of the limitation
- 180 imposed under 26 U.S.C. Section 163(j), as amended. For the
- 181 purposes of this subdivision, an interest expense is
- 182 considered paid or accrued only in the first taxable year
- 183 the deduction would have been allowable under 26 U.S.C.
- 184 Section 163, as amended, if the limitation under 26 U.S.C.
- 185 Section 163(j), as amended, did not exist;
- 186 (12) One hundred percent of any retirement benefits
- 187 received by any taxpayer as a result of the taxpayer's
- 188 service in the Armed Forces of the United States, including
- 189 reserve components and the National Guard of this state, as
- 190 defined in 32 U.S.C. Sections 101(3) and 109, and any other
- 191 military force organized under the laws of this state; and
- 192 (13) For all tax years beginning on or after January
- 193 1, 2022, one hundred percent of any federal, state, or local
- 194 grant moneys received [for the purpose of providing or

- 195 expanding access to broadband internet to areas of the state
- deemed to be lacking such access] by the taxpayer if the
- 197 grant money was disbursed for the express purpose of
- 198 providing or expanding access to broadband internet to areas
- 199 of the state deemed to be lacking such access.
- 200 4. There shall be added to or subtracted from the
- 201 taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income the taxpayer's
- 202 share of the Missouri fiduciary adjustment provided in
- 203 section 143.351.
- 5. There shall be added to or subtracted from the
- 205 taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income the modifications
- provided in section 143.411.
- 207 6. In addition to the modifications to a taxpayer's
- 208 federal adjusted gross income in this section, to calculate
- 209 Missouri adjusted gross income there shall be subtracted
- 210 from the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income any gain
- recognized pursuant to 26 U.S.C. Section 1033 of the
- 212 Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, arising from
- 213 compulsory or involuntary conversion of property as a result
- 214 of condemnation or the imminence thereof.
- 215 7. (1) As used in this subsection, "qualified health
- 216 insurance premium" means the amount paid during the tax year
- 217 by such taxpayer for any insurance policy primarily
- 218 providing health care coverage for the taxpayer, the
- 219 taxpayer's spouse, or the taxpayer's dependents.
- 220 (2) In addition to the subtractions in subsection 3 of
- 221 this section, one hundred percent of the amount of qualified
- 222 health insurance premiums shall be subtracted from the
- 223 taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income to the extent the
- 224 amount paid for such premiums is included in federal taxable
- 225 income. The taxpayer shall provide the department of
- revenue with proof of the amount of qualified health
- insurance premiums paid.

- 228 8. (1) Beginning January 1, 2014, in addition to the 229 subtractions provided in this section, one hundred percent 230 of the cost incurred by a taxpayer for a home energy audit 231 conducted by an entity certified by the department of natural resources under section 640.153 or the 232 233 implementation of any energy efficiency recommendations made 234 in such an audit shall be subtracted from the taxpayer's 235 federal adjusted gross income to the extent the amount paid 236 for any such activity is included in federal taxable 237 income. The taxpayer shall provide the department of revenue with a summary of any recommendations made in a 238 239 qualified home energy audit, the name and certification 240 number of the qualified home energy auditor who conducted 241 the audit, and proof of the amount paid for any activities 242 under this subsection for which a deduction is claimed. 243 taxpayer shall also provide a copy of the summary of any 244 recommendations made in a qualified home energy audit to the department of natural resources. 245
- 246 (2) At no time shall a deduction claimed under this 247 subsection by an individual taxpayer or taxpayers filing 248 combined returns exceed one thousand dollars per year for 249 individual taxpayers or cumulatively exceed two thousand 250 dollars per year for taxpayers filing combined returns.

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- (3) Any deduction claimed under this subsection shall be claimed for the tax year in which the qualified home energy audit was conducted or in which the implementation of the energy efficiency recommendations occurred. If implementation of the energy efficiency recommendations occurred during more than one year, the deduction may be claimed in more than one year, subject to the limitations provided under subdivision (2) of this subsection.
- 259 (4) A deduction shall not be claimed for any otherwise 260 eligible activity under this subsection if such activity

- 261 qualified for and received any rebate or other incentive
- 262 through a state-sponsored energy program or through an
- 263 electric corporation, gas corporation, electric cooperative,
- 264 or municipally owned utility.
- 265 9. The provisions of subsection 8 of this section
- shall expire on December 31, 2020.
- 267 10. (1) As used in this subsection, the following
- 268 terms mean:
- 269 (a) "Beginning farmer", a taxpayer who:
- a. Has filed at least one but not more than ten
- 271 Internal Revenue Service Schedule F (Form 1040) Profit or
- 272 Loss From Farming forms since turning eighteen years of age;
- 273 b. Is approved for a beginning farmer loan through the
- 274 USDA Farm Service Agency Beginning Farmer direct or
- 275 guaranteed loan program;
- 276 c. Has a farming operation that is determined by the
- 277 department of agriculture to be new production agriculture
- 278 but is the principal operator of a farm and has substantial
- 279 farming knowledge; or
- d. Has been determined by the department of
- 281 agriculture to be a qualified family member;
- (b) "Farm owner", an individual who owns farmland and
- 283 disposes of or relinquishes use of all or some portion of
- 284 such farmland as follows:
- a. A sale to a beginning farmer;
- b. A lease or rental agreement not exceeding ten years
- 287 with a beginning farmer; or
- 288 c. A crop-share arrangement not exceeding ten years
- 289 with a beginning farmer;
- 290 (c) "Qualified family member", an individual who is
- 291 related to a farm owner within the fourth degree by blood,
- 292 marriage, or adoption and who is purchasing or leasing or is

- in a crop-share arrangement for land from all or a portion of such farm owner's farming operation.
- 295 (2) (a) In addition to all other subtractions
 296 authorized in this section, a taxpayer who is a farm owner
 297 who sells all or a portion of such farmland to a beginning
 298 farmer may subtract from such taxpayer's Missouri adjusted
 299 gross income an amount to the extent included in federal
 300 adjusted gross income as provided in this subdivision.
- 301 (b) Subject to the limitations in paragraph (c) of
 302 this subdivision, the amount that may be subtracted shall be
 303 equal to the portion of capital gains received from the sale
 304 of such farmland that such taxpayer receives in the tax year
 305 for which such taxpayer subtracts such capital gain.
- 306 (c) A taxpayer may subtract the following amounts and 307 percentages per tax year in total capital gains received 308 from the sale of such farmland under this subdivision:
- a. For the first two million dollars received, onehundred percent;
- b. For the next one million dollars received, eightypercent;
- 313 c. For the next one million dollars received, sixty 314 percent;
- d. For the next one million dollars received, forty percent; and
- e. For the next one million dollars received, twenty percent.
- 319 (d) The department of revenue shall prepare an annual report reviewing the costs and benefits and containing statistical information regarding the subtraction of capital gains authorized under this subdivision for the previous tax year including, but not limited to, the total amount of all capital gains subtracted and the number of taxpayers subtracting such capital gains. Such report shall be

- submitted before February first of each year to the
 committee on agriculture policy of the Missouri house of
 representatives and the committee on agriculture, food
 production and outdoor resources of the Missouri senate, or
 the successor committees.
- 331 (3) (a) In addition to all other subtractions
 332 authorized in this section, a taxpayer who is a farm owner
 333 who enters a lease or rental agreement for all or a portion
 334 of such farmland with a beginning farmer may subtract from
 335 such taxpayer's Missouri adjusted gross income an amount to
 336 the extent included in federal adjusted gross income as
 337 provided in this subdivision.
- 338 (b) Subject to the limitation in paragraph (c) of this 339 subdivision, the amount that may be subtracted shall be 340 equal to the portion of cash rent income received from the 1ease or rental of such farmland that such taxpayer receives 342 in the tax year for which such taxpayer subtracts such income.
 - (c) No taxpayer shall subtract more than twenty-five thousand dollars per tax year in total cash rent income received from the lease or rental of such farmland under this subdivision.

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- 348 (4) (a) In addition to all other subtractions
 349 authorized in this section, a taxpayer who is a farm owner
 350 who enters a crop-share arrangement on all or a portion of
 351 such farmland with a beginning farmer may subtract from such
 352 taxpayer's Missouri adjusted gross income an amount to the
 353 extent included in federal adjusted gross income as provided
 354 in this subdivision.
- 355 (b) Subject to the limitation in paragraph (c) of this 356 subdivision, the amount that may be subtracted shall be 357 equal to the portion of income received from the crop-share

- arrangement on such farmland that such taxpayer receives in the tax year for which such taxpayer subtracts such income.
- 360 (c) No taxpayer shall subtract more than twenty-five
 361 thousand dollars per tax year in total income received from
 362 the lease or rental of such farmland under this subdivision.
- 363 (5) The department of agriculture shall, by rule,
 364 establish a process to verify that a taxpayer is a beginning
 365 farmer for purposes of this section and shall provide
 366 verification to the beginning farmer and farm seller of such
 367 farmer's and seller's certification and qualification for
 368 the exemption provided in this subsection.

144.058. In addition to the other exemptions granted 2 pursuant to this chapter, there is hereby specifically exempted from the provisions of and the computation of the 3 tax levied, assessed, or payable pursuant to this chapter 4 5 and the local sales tax law as defined in section 32.085, 6 electrical energy and gas, whether natural, artificial, or propane; water, coal, and energy sources; chemicals, 7 8 machinery, equipment, parts, and material used or consumed 9 in connection with or to facilitate the generation, 10 transmission, distribution, sale, or furnishing of electricity for light, heat, or power; and any conduits, 11 ducts, or other devices, materials, apparatus, or property 12 13 for containing, holding, or carrying conductors used or to

section shall be in addition to any other sales or use tax
exemption provided by law. Any public utility, as such term
is defined in section 386.020, that realizes any savings as
a result of the sales tax exemption provided in this section
shall provide the public service commission information on
the amount of savings realized in such public utility's next
general rate proceeding and shall include a statement that

be used for the transmission of electricity for light, heat,

or power service to consumers. The provisions of this

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- 23 such savings will be passed through to the public utility's
- 24 rate revenue requirement determined in the public utility's
- 25 next general rate proceeding. As used in this section,
- 26 savings realized shall be calculated as the difference
- 27 between sales tax incurred and sales tax expense included in
- 28 current rates.
 - 144.812. 1. For purposes of this section, the
- 2 following terms shall mean:
- 3 (1) "Broadband communications service", Internet
- 4 access service, as defined in 47 U.S.C. 151 note,
- 5 telecommunications service, video programming service, or
- 6 any combination thereof;
- 7 (2) "Broadband communications service provider", a
- 8 person engaged in the provision of broadband communications
- 9 service or an affiliate of such person;
- 10 (3) "Machinery and equipment used to provide broadband
- 11 communications service", includes, but is not limited to,
- 12 wires, cables, fiber, conduits, antennas, poles, switches,
- 13 routers, amplifiers, rectifiers, repeaters, receivers,
- 14 multiplexers, duplexers, transmitters, circuit cards,
- 15 insulating and protective materials and cases, power
- 16 equipment, backup power equipment, diagnostic equipment,
- 17 storage devices, customer premise equipment, modems,
- 18 software, cable modem termination system components and Wi-
- 19 Fi equipment, and other general central office or headend
- 20 and hub equipment, such as channel cards, frames, and
- 21 cabinets, or equipment used in successor technologies,
- 22 including items used to monitor, test, maintain, enable, or
- 23 facilitate qualifying equipment, machinery, ancillary
- 24 components, appurtenances, accessories, or other
- 25 infrastructure that is used in whole or in part to provide
- 26 broadband communications service;

- 27 (4) "Person", the same meaning as such term is defined
- under section 144.010.
- 29 2. For all tax years beginning on or after January 1,
- 30 2025, in addition to the exemptions granted under the
- 31 provisions of section 144.030, there shall also be
- 32 specifically exempted from the provisions of sections
- 33 144.010 to 144.525, sections 144.600 to 144.746, and section
- 238.235; the provisions of any local sales tax law, as
- defined in section 32.085; the computation of the tax
- 36 levied, assessed, or payable under sections 144.010 to
- 37 144.525, sections 144.600 to 144.746, and section 238.235;
- 38 and the provisions of any local sales tax law, as defined in
- 39 section 32.085, all sales, purchases, or use of machinery
- 40 and equipment used to provide broadband communications
- 41 service by a broadband communications service provider.
- 42 3. To qualify for the exemption provided under this
- 43 section, the broadband communications service provider shall
- 44 furnish to the seller a certificate in writing to the effect
- 45 that an exemption under this section is applicable to the
- 46 machinery and equipment used to provide broadband
- 47 communications service so purchased or used. The director
- 48 of revenue shall permit any such broadband communications
- 49 service provider to enter into a direct pay agreement with
- 50 the department of revenue, pursuant to which such provider
- 51 may pay directly to the department of revenue any applicable
- 52 sales and use taxes on such equipment.
 - 226.220. 1. There is hereby created and set up the
- 2 "State Road Fund" which shall receive all moneys and credits
- 3 from:
- 4 (1) The sale of state road bonds;
- 5 (2) The United States government and intended for
- 6 highway purposes;

- 7 (3) The state road bond and interest sinking fund as 8 provided in section 226.210; and
- 9 (4) Any other source if they are held for expenditure
- 10 by or under the department of transportation or the state
- 11 highways and transportation commission and if they are not
- 12 required by section 226.200 to be transferred to the state
- 13 highway department fund.
- 14 2. The costs and expenses withdrawn from the state
- 15 treasury:
- 16 (1) For locating, relocating, establishing, acquiring,
- 17 reimbursing for, constructing, improving and maintaining
- 18 state highways in the systems specified in Article IV,
- 19 Section 30(b), of the Constitution;
- 20 (2) For reimbursing nonrate regulated utility
- 21 providers, as defined in subsection 3 of section 71.340, for
- 22 any costs incurred in facility relocation that is required
- 23 due to road maintenance or construction;
- 24 (3) For acquiring materials, equipment and buildings;
- **25** and
- 26 [(3)] (4) For other purposes and contingencies
- 27 relating and appertaining to the construction and
- 28 maintenance of said highways shall be paid from the state
- 29 road fund upon warrants drawn by the state auditor, based
- 30 upon bills of particulars and vouchers preapproved and
- 31 certified for payment by the commissioner of administration
- 32 and by the state highways and transportation commission
- 33 acting through such of their employees as may be designated
- 34 by them.
- 3. No payments or transfers shall ever be made from
- 36 the state road fund except for an expenditure made
- 37 (1) Under the supervision and direction of the state
- 38 highways and transportation commission; and

- 39 (2) For a purpose set out in Subparagraph (1), (2),
- 40 (3), (4), or (5) of Section 30(b), Article IV, of the
- 41 Constitution.
- 393.1506. 1. Notwithstanding any provisions of
- 2 chapter 386 and this chapter to the contrary, a water or
- 3 sewer corporation that provides water [or sewer] service to
- 4 more than eight thousand customer connections, sewer service
- 5 to more than eight thousand customer connections, or a
- 6 combination of either to more than eight thousand customer
- 7 connections may file a petition and proposed rate schedules
- 8 with the commission to establish or change a WSIRA that will
- 9 provide for the recovery of the appropriate pretax revenues
- 10 associated with the eligible infrastructure system projects,
- 11 less the appropriate pretax revenues associated with any
- 12 retired utility plant that is being replaced by the eligible
- 13 infrastructure system projects. The WSIRA shall not produce
- 14 revenues in excess of fifteen percent of the water or sewer
- 15 corporation's base revenue requirement approved by the
- 16 commission in the water or sewer corporation's most recent
- 17 general rate proceeding; provided, however, that neither
- 18 WSIRA revenues attributable to replacement of customer-owned
- 19 lead service lines, nor any reconciliation amounts described
- in subdivision (2) of subsection 5 of section 393.1509,
- 21 shall count toward the program cap. The WSIRA and any
- 22 future changes thereto shall be calculated and implemented
- 23 in accordance with the provisions of sections 393.1503 to
- 24 393.1509. WSIRA revenues shall be subject to refund based
- 25 upon a finding and order of the commission, to the extent
- 26 provided in subsections 5 and 8 of section 393.1509.
- 27 2. The commission shall not approve a WSIRA for a
- 28 water or sewer corporation that has not had a general rate
- 29 proceeding decided or dismissed by issuance of a commission
- 30 order within the past three years of the filing of a

- petition pursuant to this section unless the water or sewer corporation has filed for or is the subject of a new general rate proceeding.
- In no event shall a water or sewer corporation 34 35 collect a WSIRA for a period exceeding three years unless the water or sewer corporation has filed for or is the 36 subject of a pending general rate proceeding; provided that 37 38 the WSIRA may be collected until the effective date of new 39 rate schedules established as a result of the new general 40 rate proceeding or until the subject general rate proceeding is otherwise decided or dismissed by issuance of a 41 42 commission order without new rates being established.
- 43 Except as provided in this subsection, in no event shall a water or sewer corporation collect a WSIRA if also 44 collecting revenues from a commission approved 45 46 infrastructure system replacement surcharge as provided in 47 sections 393.1000 to 393.1006. In no event shall a customer 48 be charged both an infrastructure system replacement 49 surcharge as provided in sections 393.1000 to 393.1006 and a 50 In the event a water or sewer corporation is collecting infrastructure system replacement surcharge 51 52 revenues under sections 393.1000 to 393.1006, that was approved prior to August 28, 2021, when the initial WSIRA is 53 54 filed, the approved infrastructure system replacement 55 surcharge revenues shall be included in the new WSIRA filing.