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# HOUSE BILL 2578

AN ACT

APPROPRIATING MONIES; RELATING TO LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. County fiscal obligations; report

3 A. Notwithstanding any other law, for fiscal year 2023-2024, a  
4 county with a population of less than two hundred fifty thousand persons  
5 according to the 2020 United States decennial census may meet any county  
6 fiscal obligation from any source of county revenue designated by the  
7 county, including monies of any countywide special taxing jurisdiction of  
8 which the board of supervisors serves as the board of directors. Under  
9 the authority provided in this subsection, a county may not use more than  
10 \$1,250,000 for purposes other than the purposes of the revenue source.

11 B. On or before October 1, 2023, each county with a population of  
12 less than two hundred fifty thousand persons according to the 2020 United  
13 States decennial census shall report to the director of the joint  
14 legislative budget committee whether the county used a revenue source for  
15 purposes other than the purposes of the revenue source to meet a county  
16 fiscal obligation pursuant to subsection A of this section and, if so, the  
17 specific source and amount of revenues that the county intends to use in  
18 fiscal year 2023-2024.