

SENATE BILL NO. 2298

Introduced by

Senators Andrist, Lyson

Representative Severson

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 11-11-55.1 of the North Dakota Century Code,
2 relating to special assessment levies by counties.

3 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 11-11-55.1 of the North Dakota Century Code is
5 amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **11-11-55.1. Petition or resolution for improvements - Levy of special**
7 **assessments.** The board of county commissioners of any county, by resolution or upon
8 receipt of a petition signed by owners of property representing sixty percent or more of the
9 ~~landowners~~ taxable valuation of property in a defined area, outside of the limits of any
10 incorporated city, may install the petitioned improvements as benefit the defined area, provide
11 for the financing of the improvements, and levy special assessments for the payment of all or
12 part of the improvements within the defined area. In providing for the improvements, the county
13 shall have the authority granted to municipalities in chapters 40-22, 40-23, 40-23.1, 40-24,
14 40-25, 40-26, 40-27, and 40-28, and the county shall comply with the provisions of those
15 chapters in making the improvements. Whenever action is required of city officials in those
16 chapters, the comparable county officials shall take the action.