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To: Local and Private  
Legislation

HOUSE BILL NO. 1699

1 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF JACKSON  
2 COUNTY AND INCORPORATED MUNICIPALITIES WITHIN JACKSON COUNTY TO  
3 SHARE GOVERNMENTAL EQUIPMENT, MANPOWER, SERVICES AND RESOURCES  
4 UPON SUCH TERMS AND CONDITIONS AS THEY MAY MUTUALLY AGREE; AND FOR  
5 RELATED PURPOSES.

6 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI:

7 SECTION 1. (1) The Board of Supervisors of Jackson County,  
8 in its discretion, may provide county equipment, manpower and  
9 other county services and resources to one or more incorporated  
10 municipalities within Jackson County, upon such terms and  
11 conditions as may be mutually agreed upon by the board and the  
12 governing authorities of such municipality or municipalities.  
13 Before providing such equipment, manpower, services or resources,  
14 the board of supervisors shall make a finding, by resolution duly  
15 adopted and entered upon its minutes, that such mutual aid is in  
16 the best interest of the citizens and taxpayers of Jackson County.

17 (2) The governing authorities of any incorporated  
18 municipality within Jackson County, in their discretion, may  
19 provide municipal equipment, manpower and other municipal services  
20 and resources to Jackson County, or to one or more other  
21 incorporated municipalities within Jackson County which are  
22 adjacent to and share a corporate municipal boundary, or to both  
23 Jackson County and such other municipality or municipalities, upon  
24 such terms and conditions as may be mutually agreed upon by the  
25 governing authorities of such municipalities and the board of  
26 supervisors. Before providing such equipment, manpower, services  
27 or resources, the governing authorities of all such participating  
28 municipalities shall make a finding, by resolution duly adopted

29 and entered upon their minutes, that such mutual aid is in the  
30 best interest of the citizens and taxpayers of the municipalities.

31 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from  
32 and after its passage.