

# TABLE 4

## SPECIAL LAWS ENACTED IN THE 2003 REGULAR SESSION AND THE 2003 FIRST SPECIAL SESSION RELATING TO LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS

This table lists special laws enacted in 2003 relating to local government units if there is an express statement in the special law that local approval is required or not required or if for any reason the local government unit has filed a certificate of local approval with the Secretary of State.

If the special law expressly states that local approval is not required, the term "Not required" appears to the right of the chapter citation. All other laws listed in the table contain express requirements of local approval or are laws for which local approval certificates were filed regardless of whether the filing was required.

If a local approval certificate has been filed with the Secretary of State in compliance with Minnesota Statutes, section 645.021, before June 15, 2004, the approval and filing dates are indicated. A blank space after a chapter citation indicates that a local approval certificate had not been filed by June 15, 2004.

Please refer to the index to this publication for citations to special laws not listed in this table and for other laws relating to local government units.

TABLE 4—2003 SPECIAL LAWS	Chapter	Approval Date	Filing Date
<b>ALEXANDRIA, CITY OF</b>			
Lakes area economic development authority .....	127, Art 12, s 35-41	6-9-03	6-30-03
<b>ALEXANDRIA, TOWN OF (DOUGLAS COUNTY)</b>			
Lakes area economic development authority .....	127, Art 12, s 35-41	6-16-03	6-30-03
<b>ANOKA COUNTY</b>			
Bond issue validation .....	127, Art 12, s 25	8-26-03	9-3-03
Medical services payment limit .....	1Sp14, Art 12, s 91	8-26-03	9-3-03
<b>BALKAN, TOWN OF (ST. LOUIS COUNTY)</b>			
Central Iron Range sanitary district .....	128, Art 9	10-2-03	10-17-03
<b>BELTRAMI COUNTY</b>			
Promotional expenses .....	127, Art 12, s 24		

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69	.....	1SP01	.....	2	.....	11	.....	11	.....	(c).....	All
69	.....	1SP01	.....	3	.....	2	.....	2	.....	.....	Part
69	.....	1SP01	.....	3	.....	2	.....	3	.....	.....	Parts
69	.....	1SP01	.....	3	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	All

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<b>BENTON COUNTY</b>			
Aggregate tax exception repeal .....	127, Art 14, s 16 .....	6-17-03 ..	6-24-03
<b>BIWABIK, CITY OF</b>			
Orderly annexation, town of White .....	119, s 2 .....	9-8-03 ..	10-7-03
<b>BLAINE, CITY OF</b>			
Additional on-sale intoxicating liquor licenses .....	126, s 16 .....	6-23-03 ..	7-8-03
<b>BRANDON, TOWN OF (DOUGLAS COUNTY)</b>			
Central lakes region sanitary district .....	127, Art 9 .....	7-21-03 ..	7-29-03
<b>BUFFALO, CITY OF</b>			
Highway 55 construction bonds .....	127, Art 12, s 26 .....	7-21-03 ..	7-31-03
<b>BUHL, CITY OF</b>			
Central Iron Range sanitary district .....	128, Art 9 .....	10-7-03 ..	12-22-03
<b>CARLOS, TOWN OF (DOUGLAS COUNTY)</b>			
Central lakes region sanitary district .....	127, Art 9 .....	6-26-03 ..	7-29-03
<b>CHISHOLM, CITY OF</b>			
Central Iron Range sanitary district .....	128, Art 9 .....	10-14-03 ..	10-29-03
<b>COOK COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT</b>			
Municipal corporation and political subdivision .....	127, Art 2, s 21 .....	6-12-03 ..	6-16-03
Tax levy limits .....	127, Art 2, s 22 .....	6-12-03 ..	6-16-03
<b>DULUTH, CITY OF</b>			
Sales tax changes .....	1Sp21, Art 8, s 11,12		
Tax increment financing district for aircraft-related facilities .....	127, Art 14, s 15		
<b>EVELETH, CITY OF</b>			
Pension benefit increases .....	1Sp12, Art 10, s 3 .....	7-1-03 ..	7-9-03
<b>GARFIELD, CITY OF</b>			
Lakes area economic development authority .....	127, Art 12, s 35-41 .....	6-9-03 ..	6-30-03
<b>GREAT SCOTT, TOWN OF (ST. LOUIS COUNTY)</b>			
Central Iron Range sanitary district .....	128, Art 9 .....	12-1-03 ..	12-26-03
<b>HENNEPIN COUNTY</b>			
Hopkins tax increment financing district extension .....	127, Art 10, s 31 .....	12-16-03 ..	12-22-03
New Hope tax increment financing district .....	1Sp21, Art 10, s 10 ..	10-28-03 ..	10-31-03

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Pension administration changes .....	1Sp12, Art 10, s 1,2 .....	7-8-03 ..	7-14-03
<b>HIBBING, CITY OF</b>			
Central Iron Range sanitary district .....	128, Art 9 .....	10-1-03 ..	10-9-03
<b>HOPKINS, CITY OF</b>			
Tax increment financing district extension .....	127, Art 10, s 31 .....	12-2-03 ..	12-29-03
<b>INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 256 (RED WING)</b>			
Retirement changes .....	1Sp12, Art 4, s 2,6 .....	9-15-03 ..	9-29-03
<b>INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 625 (ST. PAUL)</b>			
Civil service separation, retroactive effective date .....	80 .....		Not required
<b>IRON RANGE RESOURCES AND REHABILITATION BOARD</b>			
Central Iron Range sanitary district .....	128, Art 9 .....	12-4-03 ..	12-15-03
<b>ITASCA COUNTY</b>			
Land exchange .....	1Sp19, Art 2, s 73 .....		Not required
Lodging tax authority .....	1Sp21, Art 8, s 18 .....		
Nursing home bonds .....	127, Art 12, s 28 .....		
<b>KANDIYOHI COUNTY</b>			
Joint special taxing district, Willmar .....	127, Art 12, s 30 .....		Not required
<b>KINNEY, CITY OF</b>			
Central Iron Range sanitary district .....	128, Art 9 .....	10-14-03 ..	10-23-03
<b>LAGRAND, TOWN OF (DOUGLAS COUNTY)</b>			
Central lakes region sanitary district .....	127, Art 9 .....	8-4-03 ..	8-13-03
Lakes area economic development authority .....	127, Art 12, s 35-41 .....	6-16-03 ..	6-30-03
<b>LEAF VALLEY, TOWN OF (DOUGLAS COUNTY)</b>			
Central lakes region sanitary district .....	127, Art 9 .....	7-10-03 ..	7-29-03
<b>MARSHALL, CITY OF</b>			
Volunteer firefighter pension changes .....	1Sp12, Art 12, s 3 .....	12-15-03 ..	12-26-03
<b>MILTONA, TOWN OF (DOUGLAS COUNTY)</b>			
Central lakes region sanitary district .....	127, Art 9 .....		
<b>MINNEAPOLIS, CITY OF</b>			
City council establishment of positions .....	115 .....		
Community planning and economic development department .....	127, Art 12, s 31-33 .....	6-20-03 ..	7-7-03
<b>MOE, TOWN OF (DOUGLAS COUNTY)</b>			
Central lakes region sanitary district .....	127, Art 9 .....	8-4-03 ..	8-18-03

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<b>MOORHEAD, CITY OF</b>			
Tax levy for increment districts .....	127, Art 10, s 30 .....	7-7-03 ..	7-11-03
<b>NEW HOPE, CITY OF</b>			
Tax increment financing district .....	1Sp21, Art 10, s 10 ...	10-28-03 .	11-12-03
<b>NEWPORT, CITY OF</b>			
Lodging tax .....	127, Art 1, s 33		
<b>NORTHFIELD, CITY OF</b>			
Hospital facilities, property .....	77 .....		Not required
<b>PLYMOUTH, CITY OF</b>			
Volunteer firefighter pension changes ...	1Sp12, Art 13		
<b>RENVILLE COUNTY</b>			
Public hospital privatization .....	1Sp12, Art 5 .....	12-16-03 ...	2-2-04
<b>ROCK COUNTY</b>			
Recorder, appointment of .....	43, s 2-5 .....	5-20-03 ..	9-29-03
<b>ST. LOUIS COUNTY</b>			
Southern St. Louis county special taxing district .....	1Sp21, Art 4, s 12		
<b>ST. PAUL, CITY OF</b>			
Civil service separation, retroactive effective date .....	80 .....		Not required
RiverCentre authority name and governance changes .....	63, s 1 .....	8-13-03 ...	9-2-03
<b>STEARNS COUNTY</b>			
Aggregate tax exception repeal .....	127, Art 14, s 16		
<b>STILLWATER, CITY OF</b>			
Additional on-sale intoxicating liquor licenses .....	126, s 23 .....	1-20-04 ..	1-27-04
<b>WASHINGTON COUNTY</b>			
Well disclosure .....	128, Art 1, s 170 .....	6-17-03 ..	6-20-03
<b>WHITE, TOWN OF</b>			
Orderly annexation, Biwabik .....	119, s 2 .....	7-10-03 .	10-20-03
<b>WILLMAR, CITY OF</b>			
Joint special taxing district, Kandiyohi county .....	127, Art 12, s 30 .....		Not required