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8 SYNOPSIS: This bill would relate to Class 2
9 municipalities and would further provide for
10 members of the Youth Athletic Board and for the
11 dissemination of audits of association members.

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13 A BILL
14 TO BE ENTITLED
15 AN ACT

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17 Relating to Class 2 municipalities; to amend Act
18 83-502 of the 1983 Regular Session (Acts 1983, p. 708), to
19 further provide for the members of the Youth Athletic Board
20 and for the dissemination of the annual audits of association
21 members.

22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

23 Section 1. This act shall relate only to any Class 2
24 municipality.

25 Section 2. Act No. 83-502 of the 1983 Regular
26 Session (Acts 1983, p. 708), is amended to read as follows:

1 "Section 1. (a) There is hereby created and
2 established the Mobile City Youth Athletic Board, hereinafter
3 referred to as the board.

4 ~~"Each of the below listed associations of such city
5 shall have the authority to name one member on the said board:~~

6 ~~"(1) Municipal Park Baseball, Inc.~~

7 ~~"(2) Springhill Forest Hill Youth A.A., Inc.~~

8 ~~"(3) Southern Little League~~

9 ~~"(4) Colts Youth Athletic Association~~

10 ~~"(5) Springhill Baseball, Inc.~~

11 ~~"(6) Cottage Hill Athletic Association, Inc.~~

12 ~~"(7) Navco Athletic Association, Inc.~~

13 ~~"(8) Mims Park Youth Athletic Association, Inc.~~

14 ~~"(9) Cottage Hill Little League, Inc.~~

15 ~~"(10) Skycrest Babe Ruth, Inc.~~

16 ~~"(11) Skyline Little League, Inc.~~

17 ~~"(12) Ranger Babe Ruth~~

18 ~~"(13) Trimmier Park Booster Association, Inc.~~

19 ~~"(14) South Brookley Little League~~

20 ~~"(15) International Babe Ruth~~

21 ~~"(16) Loop Youth Athletic Association, Inc.~~

22 ~~"(17) National Little League~~

23 ~~"(18) National Babe Ruth~~

24 ~~"(19) Advanced Babe Ruth~~

25 ~~"(20) Trinity Gardens Athletic Council~~

26 ~~"(21) Taylor Park Athletic Committee~~

27 ~~"(22) Gorgas Park Athletic Committee~~

1 ~~"(23) Kidd Park Athletic Committee~~

2 ~~"(24) Carver Park Athletic Committee~~

3 ~~"(25) Texas Street Little Boys Baseball League~~
4 Association

5 ~~"(b) There may further be added to the board such~~
6 ~~other associations as the majority of the board from time to~~
7 ~~time approve. The composition of the board in effect at the~~
8 ~~time of the enactment of the act adding this language shall~~
9 ~~remain. Additional members may be added to the board~~
10 ~~representing associations admitted after the effective date of~~
11 ~~this amendatory act. Each association in good standing~~
12 ~~admitted by the board shall have the authority to name one~~
13 ~~member to serve on the board.~~

14 ~~"Section 2. Members of the board shall be appointed~~
15 ~~from the associations admitted to the Youth Athletic Board.~~
16 ~~first shall be appointed as follows: the members from~~
17 ~~Municipal Park Baseball, Inc., Springhill Forest Youth A.A.,~~
18 ~~Inc., Southern Little League, and Colts Youth Athletic~~
19 ~~Association for a term of one year; the members from~~
20 ~~Springhill Baseball, Inc., Cottage Hill Athletic Association,~~
21 ~~Inc., Navco Athletic Association, Mims Park Youth Athletic~~
22 ~~Association, Inc., and Cottage Hill Little League, Inc., for a~~
23 ~~term of two years; the members from Skycrest Babe Ruth, Inc.,~~
24 ~~Skyline Little League, Inc., Ranger Babe Ruth, Trimmier Park~~
25 ~~Booster Association, Inc., and South Brookley Little League~~
26 ~~for a term of three years; and the members from International~~
27 ~~Babe Ruth, Loop Youth Athletic Association, Inc., National~~

1 ~~Little League, National Babe Ruth, and Advanced Babe Ruth for~~
2 ~~a term of four years.~~ As the terms of members expire, their
3 successors shall be selected for terms of four years each.
4 Vacancies in unexpired terms shall be filled in the same
5 manner as original appointments are made.

6 "Section 3. A ~~chairman~~ chair and a ~~vice-chairman~~
7 vice chair shall be elected by the board from among its
8 members. In the absence or incapacity of the ~~chairman~~ chair,
9 the ~~vice-chairman~~ vice chair shall serve as ~~chairman~~ chair and
10 may perform ~~such~~ the acts and duties as the ~~chairman~~ chair is
11 authorized to perform. The power of ~~said~~ the board shall be
12 vested in and exercised by a majority of the members of the
13 board then in office. The board shall elect a
14 secretary-treasurer from among its members to act as custodian
15 of all the funds, from whatever source derived, received by
16 ~~said~~ the board, and shall deposit ~~said~~ the monies in a
17 separate interest-bearing checking account or account or
18 accounts in one or more banks or trust companies which are
19 duly qualified and doing business in Mobile County. Members of
20 the board shall not be compensated for their services.

21 "Section 4. The board shall have the power and it
22 shall be its duty to distribute to the various member
23 associations the tax proceeds as provided in Section 6 of this
24 act. The board shall have all other powers necessary to effect
25 the purposes for which it has been established.

26 "Section 5. Each association member ~~enumerated in~~
27 ~~Section 1 hereof~~ shall register youths under 19 years of age

1 who reside ~~inside~~ within the corporate limits of the ~~city of~~
2 ~~Mobile~~ Class 2 municipality and who are participants in the
3 sports programs of the association. Registration shall consist
4 of listing the name, address, and birthdate of the registrant.
5 Any association found guilty of falsifying the registration of
6 any participant shall, for each violation, automatically
7 forfeit ~~\$50.00~~ fifty dollars (\$50) of revenue to which it is
8 entitled.

9 "Section 6. Fifty percent of the tax proceeds
10 distributed to the ~~city of Mobile~~ Class 2 municipality
11 pursuant to ~~section~~ Section 28-3-281, Code of Alabama 1975,
12 shall be transferred by the ~~city~~ treasurer of the Class 2
13 municipality to the Mobile Youth Athletic Board to be
14 deposited as provided in Section 3 hereof.

15 "~~During the 1983 calendar year, said tax proceeds~~
16 ~~shall be distributed in the following manner: Within thirty~~
17 ~~days after the effective date of this act, each association~~
18 ~~shall register youths according to Section 5 of this act.~~
19 ~~Forty five days after the effective date of this act, each~~
20 ~~association shall submit to the board a list of registrants.~~
21 ~~Thereupon the board shall prorate the total amount of said tax~~
22 ~~proceeds for the per capita distribution according to the~~
23 ~~number of registrants of an association. In years subsequent~~
24 ~~to 1983, distribution~~ Distribution of the tax proceeds shall
25 be made in the manner as hereinafter set forth. On or before
26 March 31 of each year, each association shall submit to the
27 board a list of registrants. Thereupon the board shall prorate

1 the total amount of ~~said~~ the tax proceeds for the per capita
2 distribution according to the number of registrants of an
3 association. During the month of April of each year, the
4 secretary-treasurer of the board is authorized to distribute
5 to each association which is a member of the board, ~~the~~ the pro
6 rat amount for each participant which they have registered in
7 accordance with Section 5 of this act.

8 "Section 7. Each association shall submit an annual
9 audit to the board and the Class 2 municipality on or before
10 April 30 of each year reflecting all public funds received by
11 the association and an itemized and verified list of
12 expenditures of public funds ~~as to how the funds were spent~~
13 during the previous year. If public funds are co-mingled with
14 private funds of the association, the annual audit shall
15 include an itemization and verified list of expenditures of
16 all funds of the association. An association failing to submit
17 the required audits under this section shall not be eligible
18 to receive any future distribution of public funds."

19 Section 3. All laws or parts of laws which conflict
20 with this act are repealed.

21 Section 4. This act shall become effective
22 immediately following its passage and approval by the
23 Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.