## **STATEMENT OF FACT**

New city would be accountable for the following time sensitive requirements:

| Effective date              | December 1, 2007 |
|-----------------------------|------------------|
| <b>Property Assessments</b> | January 1, 2008  |
| Taxes mailed out            | August 1, 2003   |
| Taxes due                   | October 15, 2008 |

What does this mean?

## NEW CITY MUST **IMMEDIATELY**ADDRESS THE FOLLOWING:

- Funding for its own operating expenses for 9 months
- Local Option Sales Tax two months in arrears
- Insurance premium for one year even if filed on time
- Transition period ends October 2008 (9 months)
- Since transition has been cut short by 9 months, new city will owe County approximately \$46,000,000 (\$46M) for transitional services (i.e. planning & zoning, fire, police, public works, electric street lights, parks and recreation, benefits, etc.)