

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to tax increment financing; modifying the definition of small city;
1.3 amending Minnesota Statutes 2006, section 469.174, subdivision 27.
1.4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

1.5 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2006, section 469.174, subdivision 27, is amended to
1.6 read:

1.7 Subd. 27. **Small city.** "Small city" means any home rule charter or statutory city
1.8 that has a population of 5,000 or less and ~~that is located ten miles or more from whose~~
1.9 border does not abut at any point a home rule charter or statutory city, located in this state,
1.10 with a population of 10,000 or more. ~~For purposes of this definition, the distance between~~
1.11 ~~cities is measured by drawing a straight line from the nearest boundaries of the two cities.~~

1.12 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective for districts for which the request for
1.13 certification is made after the day following final enactment.