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Version: As Introduced

Primary Sponsor: Rep. Swearingen

Local Impact Statement Procedure Required: No

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The bill appears to have no fiscal impact on Erie County or the political subdivisions therein. The bill modifies provisions pertaining to Erie County prosecutions. On the effective date of the bill, the Erie County Prosecuting Attorney would be responsible for prosecuting in the Erie County Municipal Court all violations of state law in the unincorporated areas of the county, except for those arising in Florence, Huron, Perkins, and Vermillion townships. Currently, the municipalities of Sandusky, Vermillion, and Huron handle the prosecutorial duties of the unincorporated areas of these townships. Therefore, the bill simply modifies the Revised Code to mirror existing practice within Erie County.