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Chapter 7. Procedure for Libraries

IC 32-24-7-1

Application of chapter

Sec. 1. This chapter applies to the exercise of eminent domain by a library board (as defined in IC 36-12-1-3). Notwithstanding any other law, a library board may exercise eminent domain only if it complies with this chapter.

As added by P.L.163-2006, SEC.18.

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Adoption of resolution by certain legislative bodies

- Sec. 2. A library board may exercise eminent domain only if one (1) of the following legislative bodies adopts a resolution specifically authorizing the library board to exercise eminent domain over a particular parcel of land for a specific purpose:
 - (1) If the library district is located entirely within the corporate boundaries of a municipality, the legislative body of the municipality.
 - (2) If the library district:
 - (A) is not described by subdivision (1); and
 - (B) is located entirely within the boundaries of a township; the legislative body of the township.
 - (3) If the library district is not described by subdivision (1) or
 - (2), the legislative body of each county in which the library district is located.

As added by P.L.163-2006, SEC.18.

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Contents of resolution

- Sec. 3. The resolution described in section 2 of this chapter must specifically describe:
 - (1) the parcel of land that the library board seeks to acquire by exercising eminent domain;
 - (2) the purpose for which the parcel of land is to be acquired; and
 - (3) why the exercise of eminent domain is necessary to accomplish the library board's purpose.

As added by P.L.163-2006, SEC.18.