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## BILL ANALYSIS

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Senate Bill 254 (as introduced 2-24-05)  
Sponsor: Senator Raymond E. Basham  
Committee: Local, Urban and State Affairs

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### **CONTENT**

**The bill would amend the City and Village Zoning Act to provide that notice of a proposed rezoning and hearing would have to include a list of each street address within the property proposed for rezoning.**

The Act prescribes procedures for the legislative body of a city or village to adopt zoning regulations. At least one public hearing must be held by the legislative body or by a commission appointed to recommend zoning regulations. In a city or village with a commission, the legislative body may not amend the adopted zoning ordinance or maps until the proposed amendment has been submitted to the commission and it has held at least one hearing and made a report on the amendment.

After the legislative body of a city or village has approved a zoning ordinance and maps, they may be amended as provided in the Act. If an individual property or several adjacent properties are proposed for rezoning, notice of the proposed rezoning and hearing must be given to the owners of the property at least 15 days before the hearing.

Under the bill, notice of the proposed rezoning and hearing would have to include a list of each street address within the proposed rezoned property and be given to the owners of the property proposed for rezoning and to all residents living within the affected property at least 15 days before the hearing.

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Legislative Analyst: J.P. Finet

### **FISCAL IMPACT**

The bill would have no fiscal impact on State or local government.

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