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S.F. No. 1782 – Authorizing Towns and Certain Political Subdivisions to Establish Inflow and Infiltration Prevention Programs (as proposed to be amended by the A-1 amendment)

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Senate File No. 1782 amends the municipal rights, powers, and duties chapter, specifically the section of law allowing a city to establish an inflow and infiltration prevention program.

Section 1 (471.342, subd. 1) expands the definition of the term “city” to include a township or any political subdivision of the state with statutory sewer ownership or operational responsibilities.

Section 2 (471.342, subd. 4) amends the adoption of the program guidelines. Under current law, the city council must conduct a public hearing prior to the adoption of the guidelines. This section strikes “council,” which requires the city as defined in section 1 to conduct a public hearing on the proposed guidelines.

Section 3 is the effective date; this act is effective the day following final enactment.