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Bulletin

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Simplified Municipal Telecommunications Tax Rate Changes Effective January 1, 2015

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Effective **January 1, 2015**, the following municipalities are imposing a simplified municipal telecommunications tax or changing their rate.

The chart below outlines the combined state and local telecommunications rate for each municipality listed. The combined rate is the state Telecommunications Excise Tax rate of 7.00 percent (.07) **plus** the local Simplified Municipal Telecommunications Tax Rate of up to a maximum rate of 6.00 percent (.06) outside Chicago.

For a complete listing of statewide telecommunications tax rates, see the **Tax Rate Database** on our website at tax.illinois.gov.

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Simplified Municipal Telecommunications Tax Rate Change			
Municipalities	Combined rate ending December 31, 2014	Local rate change effective January 1, 2015	Combined rate beginning January 1, 2015
Beach Park (Lake County)	12.00%	+1.00%	13.00%
Bethalto (Madison County)	8.00%	+5.00%	13.00%
Bloomington (McLean County)	10.50%	+2.50%	13.00%
Clinton (Dewitt County)	9.00%	+4.00%	13.00%
Melrose Park (Cook County)	12.00%	+0.25%	12.25%
Pittsburg (Williamson County)	12.00%	+1.00%	13.00%