

# **WEST VIRGINIA CODE: §7-21-2**

## **§7-21-2. Findings and declarations.**

The Legislature finds and declares that:

- (1) County government should maintain a prudent level of financial resources to try to protect against reducing service levels or raising taxes and fees because of temporary revenue shortfalls, unpredicted one-time expenditures or emergency situations; and
- (2) The creation, maintenance and use of a financial stabilization fund will provide counties with assistance to meet these challenges, as well as enable them to improve their financial management and practices.