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## *Bulletin*

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## Simplified Municipal Telecommunications Tax Rate Changes Effective January 1, 2013

This bulletin is written to inform you of recent changes; it does not replace statutes, rules and regulations, or court decisions.

Effective **January 1, 2013**, the following municipalities are imposing a simplified municipal telecommunications tax or changing their tax rate.

The chart below outlines the combined state and local telecommunications tax 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 all telecommunications tax rates, go to the **Tax Rate Database** on our website at [tax.illinois.gov](http://tax.illinois.gov).

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| Telecommunications Tax Rate Changes |  |   |   |
|-------------------------------------|--|---|---|
| Municipalities                      | Combined rate ending December 31, 2012 | Local rate change effective January 1, 2013 | Combined rate beginning January 1, 2013 |
| Carpentersville (Kane County)       | 11.50%                                 | +1.50%                                      | 13.00%                                  |
| Hillsboro (Montgomery County)       | 7.00%                                  | +6.00%                                      | 13.00%                                  |
| Marine (Madison County)             | 7.00%                                  | +5.50%                                      | 12.50%                                  |
| Marissa (St. Clair County)          | 7.00%                                  | +1.00%                                      | 8.00%                                   |
| New Baden (Clinton County)          | 7.00%                                  | +3.00%                                      | 10.00%                                  |
| New Baden (St. Clair County)        | 7.00%                                  | +3.00%                                      | 10.00%                                  |
| Northbrook (Cook County)            | 8.00%                                  | +5.00%                                      | 13.00%                                  |
| Northbrook (Lake County)            | 8.00%                                  | +5.00%                                      | 13.00%                                  |
| Royal Lakes (Macoupin County)       | 10.50%                                 | +1.50%                                      | 12.00%                                  |
| Savanna (Carroll County)            | 8.00%                                  | +2.00%                                      | 10.00%                                  |