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Subject: CY 2009 Budget Deadline Extensions

Dear Municipal Clerk:

With the pending announcement of the Governor's budget, the Division is advising local officials that on Wednesday, the Local Finance Board will be asked to approve the Director's recommendation of extensions of budget dates. The recommendations include the following:

Mayor/Council Faulkner Act Budget Transmission extended to March 17.  
Municipal and County introduction and approval of budget extended to March 31. Municipal and County adoption of budget to May 12.

A single date for municipal appropriation and levy cap referendums is being scheduled. That date is being reviewed and a schedule will be announced shortly.

Finally, filing of CY 2009 Extraordinary Aid applications is being extended to April 15. This is only an extension of filing the aid application. Budgets must be introduced by March 31 in order to qualify for Extraordinary Aid.

Once the Local Finance Board act and the referendum date, a new Local Finance Notice will be issued formally reflecting all the changes.

Please share this information with appropriate local officials.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.