

# LEGISLATIVE PRIORITIES

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## Raising Property Auction Threshold

Municipalities are required to hold a public auction to sell any property valued over \$1,000 – a limit that was set a decade ago. The League advocates increasing that threshold to be more reflective of today's economic conditions.

## Closing the Joint Liability Loophole

A legal loophole allows that municipalities may be subject to joint liability in civil lawsuits where private entities enjoy several liability. The League advocates amending the law so several liability will also apply to municipalities.

## Amending process for filing Municipal Court judgment liens

The League advocates for amending the process for filing Municipal Court liens to include the ability of city attorneys and municipal court clerks to file liens in addition to county prosecutors currently in statute.

**If you have questions or need additional information about these priorities, please contact us.**

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