

65.230 Definitions for KRS 65.210 to 65.300. (Effective July 15, 2026)

As used in KRS 65.210 to 65.300, unless the context otherwise requires:

- (1) "Interlocal agency" means a separate legal or administrative entity with a governing board that is created in an agreement entered into by public agencies pursuant to the provisions of KRS 65.210 to 65.300;
- (2) "Local government" means any:
 - (a) City;
 - (b) County;
 - (c) Consolidated local government;
 - (d) Urban-county government;
 - (e) Charter county government; or
 - (f) Unified local government;
- (3) "Municipal interlocal gas utility" means an interlocal agency whose membership is only composed of city governments formed for the purpose of constructing and operating a system that is capable of acquiring, distributing, transmitting, furnishing, or selling natural gas to a federal military installation, municipal utilities, and other industrial and commercial customers; and
- (4) "Public agency" means:
 - (a) Any local government;
 - (b) Any political subdivision of this state or of another state;
 - (c) Any agency, board instrumentality, or commission created by a local government;
 - (d) Any taxing district as defined by KRS 65.180;
 - (e) Any special purpose government entity as defined in KRS 65A.010(9)(a) to (c), including those entities that are exempt from the definition of special purpose governmental entity under the provisions of KRS 65A.010(9)(d)7. to 9.;
 - (f) Any interlocal agency;
 - (g) The Commonwealth or any agency or instrumentality of the state government or of the United States, including but not limited to a state-supported institution of higher education;
 - (h) Any county school district or independent school district; and
 - (i) Any private institution of higher education entering into an agreement authorized by KRS 65.240(4) with another public agency.

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