

By Senator Kirkpatrick

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A bill to be entitled

An act relating to education; creating s.  
228.0561, F.S.; authorizing charter conversion  
municipal subdistricts; providing requirements  
for operation; providing for areas of municipal  
jurisdiction; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Section 228.0561, Florida Statutes, is  
created to read:

228.0561 Charter conversion municipal  
subdistricts.--Pursuant to s. 228.056, but notwithstanding s.  
228.056(8)(h), upon majority vote of the eligible voters  
voting and compliance with s. 228.056(3), a municipality or  
municipalities may present to the district school board a  
school or group of schools to be operated by a municipally  
appointed charter school board. Unincorporated areas adjacent  
to incorporated municipalities may be included in the area of  
municipal jurisdiction for the purposes of this section if the  
governing bodies of the municipality or municipalities and the  
county in which the area is located agree on the boundaries of  
such additional areas. Upon receipt of a request for a charter  
municipal subdistrict in accordance with this section, the  
district school board shall expeditiously authorize the  
requested charter.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1 of the  
year in which enacted.

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LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY

Allows municipalities to present to district school boards a school or group of schools to be operated by a municipally appointed charter board.