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2 An act relating to the Bayshore Gardens Park
3 and Recreation District; amending chapter
4 79-509, Laws of Florida; increasing the minimum
5 cost price or consideration of contracts
6 involving the acquisition of real or tangible
7 personal property which would require a
8 two-thirds vote of district trustees and a
9 referendum election; providing an effective
10 date.

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

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14 Section 1. Section 24 of chapter 79-509, Laws of
15 Florida, is amended to read:

16 Section 24. (a) Notwithstanding any provisions to the
17 contrary (as may now appear in Sections 8, 13 or 15), the
18 trustees shall not enter into any future contracts involving
19 the purchase, lease, conveyance or other manner of acquisition
20 of real or tangible personal property in any instance when the
21 cost price or consideration therefor exceeds Twenty-five
22 Thousand (\$25,000)~~Fifteen Thousand (\$15,000.00)~~Dollars,
23 including all obligations, proposed to be assumed in
24 connection with such acquisition, unless:

25 (1) The trustees by two-thirds vote have approved the
26 terms and conditions of such acquisition by written
27 resolution.

28 (2) Within not less than thirty (30) nor more than
29 sixty (60) days of the date of the resolution, the trustees
30 certify the resolution to the supervisor of elections of
31 Manatee County for a referendum election; and,

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(3) A majority of qualified electors approve the resolution by referendum election.

(b) The qualifications of voters, notice and procedure for this referendum shall be the same as set forth herein for the election of trustees and for special referendum elections.

Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.