

By the Committee on Education Innovation and  
Representatives Andrews and Melvin

1                                   A bill to be entitled  
2           An act relating to education; creating s.  
3           228.0561, F.S.; authorizing charter conversion  
4           municipal subdistricts; providing requirements  
5           for operation; providing for areas of municipal  
6           jurisdiction; providing an effective date.  
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8 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:  
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10           Section 1. Section 228.0561, Florida Statutes, is  
11 created to read:

12           228.0561 Charter conversion municipal  
13 subdistricts.--Pursuant to s. 228.056, but notwithstanding s.  
14 228.056(8)(h), upon majority vote of the eligible voters  
15 voting and compliance with s. 228.056(3), a municipality or  
16 municipalities may present to the district school board a  
17 school or group of schools to be operated by a municipally  
18 appointed charter school board. Unincorporated areas adjacent  
19 to incorporated municipalities may be included in the area of  
20 municipal jurisdiction for the purposes of this section if the  
21 governing bodies of the municipality or municipalities and the  
22 county in which the area is located agree on the boundaries of  
23 such additional areas. Upon receipt of a request for a charter  
24 municipal subdistrict in accordance with this section, the  
25 district school board shall expeditiously authorize the  
26 requested charter.

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