

By Representative Livingston

1                                   A bill to be entitled  
2           An act relating to Lee County; amending chapter  
3           76-411, Laws of Florida, as amended; amending  
4           the Enabling Act of the San Carlos Park Fire  
5           Protection and Rescue Service District;  
6           excluding certain lands within the district and  
7           revising powers of the board of the district;  
8           providing an effective date.

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

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12           Section 1.   The San Carlos Park Fire Protection and  
13   Rescue Service District in Lee County, as created by  
14   subsection (2) of section 2 of chapter 76-411, Laws of  
15   Florida, as amended, is amended to exclude the land described  
16   as follows:

17           That certain tract of land in the Southwest  
18           Quarter (SW 1/4) of Section 23, Township 46  
19           South, Range 25 East, Lee County, Florida,  
20           lying West of I-75 Right-of-Way line. Said  
21           lands containing 62.35 acres, more or less.

22           Section 2.   The board of the San Carlos Park Fire  
23   Protection and Rescue Service District, as created by  
24   subsection (2) of section 2 of chapter 76-411, Laws of  
25   Florida, as amended, shall have the right, power and authority  
26   to levy millage tax against the taxable real estate within the  
27   district to provide funds for the purpose of this district.  
28   The tax rate shall be fixed by a resolution of the board  
29   following public hearings of the proposed budget as provided  
30   by general law. However, the tax shall not exceed \$3.75 per  
31   \$1,000.00 of net taxable assessed valuation. It is the

1 legislative intent that this act will authorize the Lee County  
2 Property Appraiser and the Lee County Tax Collector to take  
3 all appropriate action to comply with the intent and purpose  
4 of this act.

5           Section 3. The provisions of section 2 which authorize  
6 the levy of ad valorem taxation shall take effect only upon  
7 the express approval by a majority vote of those qualified  
8 electors of the district, as required by section 9 of article  
9 VII of the State Constitution, voting in a referendum election  
10 to be held in accordance with the provisions of law currently  
11 in force in Lee County, except that this subsection shall take  
12 effect upon becoming a law. The district shall bear the costs  
13 of the referendum required by this act.

14           Section 4. This act shall take effect upon becoming a  
15 law.

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