

Bill No. CS for CS for SB 972

Amendment No.

	<u>Senate</u>	CHAMBER ACTION	<u>House</u>
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11 Senator Casas moved the following amendment:

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13 **Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

14 On page 9, between lines 7 and 8,

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16 insert:

17 Section 5. Paragraph (d) of subsection (1) of section
18 212.055, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

19 212.055 Discretionary sales surtaxes; legislative
20 intent; authorization and use of proceeds.--It is the
21 legislative intent that any authorization for imposition of a
22 discretionary sales surtax shall be published in the Florida
23 Statutes as a subsection of this section, irrespective of the
24 duration of the levy. Each enactment shall specify the types
25 of counties authorized to levy; the rate or rates which may be
26 imposed; the maximum length of time the surtax may be imposed,
27 if any; the procedure which must be followed to secure voter
28 approval, if required; the purpose for which the proceeds may
29 be expended; and such other requirements as the Legislature
30 may provide. Taxable transactions and administrative
31 procedures shall be as provided in s. 212.054.

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- 1 (1) CHARTER COUNTY TRANSIT SYSTEM SURTAX.--
- 2 (d) Proceeds from the surtax shall be applied to as
- 3 many or as few of the uses enumerated below in whatever
- 4 combination the county commission deems appropriate:
- 5 1. Deposited by the county in the trust fund and shall
- 6 be used ~~only~~ for the purposes of development, construction,
- 7 equipment, maintenance, operation, supportive services,
- 8 including a countywide bus system, and related costs of a
- 9 fixed guideway rapid transit system; and
- 10 2. Remitted by the governing body of the county to an
- 11 expressway or transportation authority created by law to be
- 12 used, at the discretion of such authority, for the
- 13 development, construction, operation, or maintenance of roads
- 14 or bridges in the county, for the operation and maintenance of
- 15 a bus system, ~~or~~ for the payment of principal and interest on
- 16 existing bonds issued for the construction of such roads or
- 17 bridges, and, upon approval by the county commission, such
- 18 proceeds may be pledged for bonds issued to refinance existing
- 19 bonds or new bonds issued for the construction of such roads
- 20 or bridges; ~~or~~ and
- 21 3. For each county, as defined in s. 125.011(1), used
- 22 for the development, construction, operation, and ~~or~~
- 23 maintenance of roads and bridges in the county; for the
- 24 expansion, operation, and maintenance of ~~an existing~~ bus and
- 25 fixed guideway systems ~~system~~; and ~~or~~ for the payment of
- 26 principal and interest on ~~existing~~ bonds issued for the
- 27 construction of fixed guideway rapid transit systems, bus
- 28 systems, roads, or bridges; and such proceeds may be pledged
- 29 by the governing body of the county for bonds issued to
- 30 refinance existing bonds or new bonds issued for the
- 31 construction of such fixed guideway rapid transit systems, bus

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1 systems, roads, or bridges and no more than 25 percent used
2 for non-transit uses.

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4 (Redesignate subsequent sections.)

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8 And the title is amended as follows:

9 On page 1, line 8, after the semicolon

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11 insert:

12 amending s. 212.055; revising the application
13 of the charter county transit system surtax;

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