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A bill to be entitled
An act relating to traffic calming devices;
amending s. 316.008, F.S.; authorizing local
authorities to plan, design, construct,
install, or maintain traffic calming devices on
streets and highways within their jurisdiction;
providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Paragraph (x) is added to subsection (1) of
section 316.008, Florida Statutes, to read:

316.008 Powers of local authorities.--

(1) The provisions of this chapter shall not be deemed
to prevent local authorities, with respect to streets and
highways under their jurisdiction and within the reasonable
exercise of the police power, from:

(x) Planning, designing, constructing, installing, or
maintaining traffic calming devices, including, but not
limited to, speed bumps, speed humps, speed tables,
roundabouts, or other pavement designs or undulations.

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

HOUSE SUMMARY

Provides that local authorities shall be able to plan,
design, construct, install, or maintain traffic calming
devices with respect to streets and highways under their
jurisdiction.