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The Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity
(Sebesta) recommended the following amendment:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

On page 2, between lines 6 and 7,

insert:

Section 1. Section 311.22, Florida Statutes, is
created to read:

311.22 Additional authorization for funding certain
dredging projects.--

(1) The Florida Seaport Transportation and Economic
Development Council shall establish a program to fund dredging
projects in counties having a population of fewer than 300,000
according to the last official census. Funds made available
under this program may be used to fund approved projects for
the dredging or deepening of channels, turning basins, or
harbors on a 50-50 matching basis with any port authority, as
such term is defined in s. 315.02(2), which complies with the
permitting requirements in part IV of chapter 373 and the
local financial management and reporting provisions of part

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1 III of chapter 218.

2 (2) The council shall adopt rules for evaluating the
3 projects that may be funded pursuant to this section. The
4 rules must provide criteria for evaluating the economic
5 benefit of the project. The rules must include the creation of
6 an administrative review process by the council which is
7 similar to the process contained in ss. 311.09(5)-(12), and
8 provide for a review by the Department of Community Affairs,
9 the Department of Transportation, and the Office of Tourism,
10 Trade, and Economic Development of all projects submitted for
11 funding under this section.

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13 (Redesignate subsequent sections.)

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17 And the title is amended as follows:

18 On page 1, line 2, after the semicolon

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20 insert:

21 creating s. 311.22, F.S.;establishing a program
22 to provide matching funds for dredging projects
23 in eligible counties; requiring that funds
24 appropriated under the program be used for
25 certain projects; requiring that the Florida
26 Seaport Transportation and Economic Development
27 Council adopt rules for evaluating the dredging
28 projects; providing criteria for the rules;
29 providing for a project-review process by the
30 Department of Community Affairs, the Department
31 of Transportation, and the Office of Tourism,

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