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CHAMBER ACTION

The Growth Management Committee recommends the following:

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Council/Committee Substitute

Remove the entire bill and insert:

A bill to be entitled

An act relating to municipalities; creating s. 163.3172, F.S.; providing legislative findings; prohibiting effect or application of certain county provisions within municipalities unless approved by county and municipal electors or the municipal governing board; providing for effect of certain laws or charter county provisions or ordinances in certain municipalities; providing an exception; providing for nonapplication to certain counties, impact fees, laws or charter county provisions or ordinances, or special districts; providing an effective date.

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

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Section 1. Section 163.3172, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

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163.3172 Municipalities; county authority limitations. --

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(1) The Legislature finds that municipalities are the units of local self-government closest to the people they serve and thereby are best situated to determine the unique needs of their communities. Municipalities provide their residents a true voice as to the character and values of their local communities. The Legislature recognizes there have been increasing and numerous preemptions of municipal democratic powers by other forms of local government and concludes that municipalities must retain the authority to perform the functions that are of most immediate concern to their citizens.

- (2) Notwithstanding this chapter or any other law, any charter county charter provision adopted on or after July 1, 2006, or ordinance adopted pursuant to such charter provision that affects the authority of a municipality within the charter county to regulate the use, development, or redevelopment of land or that affects municipal annexation within a charter county may not apply to or within the municipality unless such charter provision or ordinance is approved by a vote of:
 - (a) The municipality's governing body; or
- (b) The electors of the municipality at a duly called municipal election.
- (3) Notwithstanding this chapter or any other law, any law or charter county provision or ordinance adopted before July 1, 2006, that affects the authority of a municipality within a charter county to regulate the use, development, or redevelopment of land or that affects municipal annexation within a charter county shall be effective within the

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municipality on July 1, 2006, subject to modification or repeal
by ordinance of the municipality.

(4) This section shall not apply to:

(a) Any county as defined in s. 125.011;

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- (b) Any countywide impact fee for transportation or public schools approved by the governing board of a charter county;
- (c) Any law or charter county provision or ordinance that sets minimum standards for protecting the environment through the prohibition or regulation of air, water, soil, or property contamination; or
 - (d) Any special district created by special act.
 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2006.