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	CHAMBER ACTION
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Representative(s) Zapata	a offered the following:
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Substitute Amendmen	nt for Amendment (656615) (with title
amendment)	
Between lines 3465	and 3466, insert:
Section 52. Paragr	raph (d) of subsection (2) and paragraph
(c) of subsection (4) of	E section 348.0003, Florida Statutes, are
amended to read:	
348.0003 Expresswa	ay authority; formation; membership
(2) The governing	body of an authority shall consist of
not fewer than five nor	more than nine voting members. The
district secretary of th	ne affected department district shall
serve as a nonvoting mem	mber of the governing body of each
authority located within	n the district. Each member of the
governing body must at a	all times during his or her term of
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office be a permanent resident of the county which he or she is 16 17 appointed to represent. (d) Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary in this 18 subsection, in any county as defined in s. 125.011(1), the 19 20 governing body shall be abolished on or before December 31, 2007. Prior to the termination of the existing governing body, a 21 22 new governing body consisting of eight members shall be 23 appointed as follows: 1. Three voting members shall be appointed by the board of 24 25 county commissioners of the county served by the authority. Members appointed under this subparagraph shall serve a term of 26 4 years each; however, for the purpose of providing staggered 27 terms, the initial appointees shall serve terms as follows: one 28 member shall serve for 1 year, one member shall serve for 2 29 years, and one member shall serve for 3 years. 30 2. Four voting members shall be appointed by the Governor 31 subject to confirmation by the Senate at the next regular 32 session of the Legislature. Refusal or failure of the Senate to 33 confirm an appointment shall create a vacancy. Members appointed 34 under this subparagraph shall serve a term of 4 years each; 35 36 however, for the purpose of providing staggered terms, the initial appointees shall serve terms as follows: one member 37 shall serve for 1 year, one member shall serve for 2 years, one 38 member shall serve for 3 years, and one member shall serve for 4 39 40 years. 3. One member shall be the district secretary of the 41 42 department serving in the district that contains the county served by the authority, who shall serve ex officio of an 43 163449 4/23/2007 4:44:11 PM

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44	authority shall consist of up to 13 members, and the following
45	provisions of this paragraph shall apply specifically to such
46	authority. Except for the district secretary of the department,
47	the members must be residents of the county. Seven voting
48	members shall be appointed by the governing body of the county.
49	At the discretion of the governing body of the county, up to two
50	of the members appointed by the governing body of the county may
51	be elected officials residing in the county. Five voting members
52	of the authority shall be appointed by the Governor. One member
53	shall be the district secretary of the department serving in the
54	district that contains such county. This member shall be an ex
55	officio voting member of the authority. If the governing board
56	of an authority includes any member originally appointed by the
57	governing body of the county as a nonvoting member, when the
58	term of such member expires, that member shall be replaced by a
59	member appointed by the Governor until the governing body of the
60	authority is composed of seven members appointed by the
61	governing body of the county and five members appointed by the
62	Governor. The qualifications, terms of office, and obligations
63	and rights of members of the authority shall be determined by
64	resolution or ordinance of the governing body of the county in a
65	manner that is consistent with subsections (3) and (4).
66	(4)
67	(c) Members of an authority shall be required to comply
68	with the applicable financial disclosure requirements of <u>s. 8,</u>
69	Art. II of the State Constitution ss. 112.3145, 112.3148, and
70	112.3149 .

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71	Section 53. Subsections (8) and (9) of section 348.0004,			
72	Florida Statutes, are renumbered as subsections (10) and (11),			
73	respectively, and new subsections (8) and (9) are added to that			
74	section to read:			
75	348.0004 Purposes and powers			
76	(8) In any county as defined in s. 125.011(1), an			
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79	11.045.			
80	(9) In any county as defined in s. 125.011(1), an			
81	expressway authority shall use a minimum of 15 percent of			
82	surplus toll revenues for the purpose funding light rail			
83	projects beginning July 1, 2009, if the county encompassing the			
84	project identifies other local option recurring funding sources			
85	for these projects.			
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88	======= T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =======			
89	Remove line 266 and insert:			
90	purposes; amending s. 348.0003, F.S.; revising provisions			
91	relating to membership of the governing bodies of specified			
92	expressway authorities; providing for termination of the			
93	existing governing bodies of such authorities and creation of			
94	new governing bodies; providing for membership and terms of			
95	office; revising members' financial disclosure requirements;			
96	amending s. 348.0004, F.S.; revising authorization for use of			
97	surplus toll revenue by specified expressway authorities;			
98	providing an effective date.			
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