

LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate House

Comm: WD 03/26/2010

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs (Detert) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete lines 81 - 109

and insert:

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(d) "Planned residential community" means a planned unit development that is under unified control, is planned and developed as a whole, has a minimum gross lot area of 10 acres, has amenities that are designed to serve residents who have developmental disabilities but may also provide housing options for other individuals. The planned residential community must comply with the applicable local government land development code and other local ordinances.

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- 1. The residential community must provide choices with regard to housing arrangements, support providers, and activities. The residents may enjoy unrestricted freedom of movement within and outside of the community. Residents can individualize their daily schedules, meal times and leisure. Home dining and cooking are an option for residents.
- 2. All local waiver providers must be made available to the residents so that residents who have developmental disabilities have a choice of their supports and providers. However, other than room and board and the provision of residential habilitation services, the owners or lessee of the residences may not be providers of services to persons with disabilities and such providers of services may not hold a majority interest in the owner or lessee.
- 3. A planned residential community may contain two or more community residential homes.
- (e) (d) "Resident" means any of the following: a frail elder as defined in s. 429.65; a person who has a handicap physically disabled or handicapped person as defined in s. 760.22(7)(a); a developmentally disabled person who has a developmental disability as defined in s. 393.063; a nondangerous mentally ill person who has a mental illness as defined in s. 394.455 asdefined in s. 394.455(18); or a child who is found to be dependent as defined in s. 39.01 or s. 984.03, or a child in need of services as defined in s. 984.03 or s. 985.03.
- (f) (e) "Sponsoring agency" means an agency or unit of government, a profit or nonprofit agency, or any other person or organization which intends to establish or operate a community residential home.



(4) Community residential homes, including homes of six or fewer residents which would otherwise meet the definition of a community residential home, but which are located within a planned residential community are not subject to the proximity requirements of this section and may be contiguous to each other. However, if a proximity limitation is imposed by local government, it may not be based solely on the types of residents anticipated to be living in the planned residential community.

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======= T I T L E A M E N D M E N T ========== And the title is amended as follows:

Delete line 11

and insert:

contiguous to one another; prohibiting a local government from imposing a proximity limitation based on certain factors; providing an effective