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Senator Constantine moved the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete lines 854 - 925

and insert:

Section 10. Subsection (1) of section 403.7145, Florida Statutes, is amended, and subsections (3) and (4) are added to that section, to read:

403.7145 Recycling.—

(1) The Capitol and the House and Senate office buildings constitute the Capitol recycling area. The Florida House of Representatives, the Florida Senate, and the Office of the Governor, the Secretary of State, and each Cabinet officer who heads a department that occupies office space in the Capitol,



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14 shall institute a recycling program for their respective offices
15 in the House and Senate office buildings and the Capitol.
16 Provisions shall be made to collect and sell wastepaper and
17 empty ~~aluminum~~ beverage containers ~~ears~~ generated by employee
18 activities in these offices. The collection and sale of such
19 materials shall be reported to Leon County using the
20 department's designated reporting format and coordinated with
21 Department of Management Services recycling activities to
22 maximize the efficiency and economy of this program. The
23 Governor, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the
24 President of the Senate, the Secretary of State, and the Cabinet
25 officers may authorize the use of proceeds from recyclable
26 material sales for employee benefits and other purposes, in
27 order to provide incentives to their respective employees for
28 participation in the recycling program. Such proceeds may also
29 be used to offset any costs of the recycling program. As a
30 demonstration of leading by example, the Capitol Building's
31 recycling rates shall be posted on the website of the Department
32 of Management Services and shall include the details of the
33 recycling rates for each Department of Management Services pool
34 facility. The Department of Environmental Protection shall post
35 recycling rates of each state-owned facility reported to the
36 Department of Management Services.

37 (3) The department shall develop and contract for an
38 innovative recycling pilot project for the Capitol recycling
39 area. The project shall be designed to collect recyclable
40 materials and create a more sustainable recycling system.
41 Components of the project shall be designed to increase
42 convenience, incentivize and measure participation, reduce



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43 material volume, and assist in achieving the recycling goals
44 enumerated in s. 403.706.

45 (4) Each public airport operating in this state shall, to
46 the greatest extent practicable, collect beverage containers and
47 recyclable plastic and glass from the airlines and other
48 entities doing business at the airport and offer such materials
49 for recycling and may retain the economic benefit of these
50 activities to offset the costs associated with such collection.
51 Airport administration offices, airport vendors, and airlines
52 are encouraged to coordinate the collection of recyclable waste
53 to the greatest extent practicable. The provisions of this
54 subsection are not intended to interfere with any established
55 recycling activity.

56 Section 11. Paragraph (m) is added to subsection (1) of
57 section 553.77, Florida Statutes, to read:

58 553.77 Specific powers of the commission.—

59 (1) The commission shall:

60 (m) Develop recommendations that increase residential and
61 commercial recycling and composting, and strongly encourages the
62 use of recyclable materials and the recycling of construction
63 and demolition debris.

64 Section 12. Subsection (5) of section 403.7049, Florida
65 Statutes, is amended to read:

66 403.7049 Determination of full cost for solid waste
67 management; local solid waste management fees.—

68 (5) In order to assist in achieving the municipal solid
69 waste recycling ~~reduction~~ goal and the recycling provisions of
70 s. 403.706(2) ~~s. 403.706(4)~~, a county or a municipality which
71 owns or operates a solid waste management facility is hereby



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72 authorized to charge solid waste disposal fees which may vary
73 based on a number of factors, including, but not limited to, the
74 amount, characteristics, and form of recyclable materials
75 present in the solid waste that is brought to the county's or
76 the municipality's facility for processing or disposal.

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80 And the title is amended as follows:

81 Delete line 63

82 and insert:

83 beverage containers and recyclable plastic and