

1 A bill to be entitled
 2 An act relating to the powers and duties of the
 3 Department of Environmental Protection; amending s.
 4 253.7827, F.S.; removing an obsolete reference for
 5 purposes of calculating the reimbursement for
 6 transportation and utility crossings of greenways
 7 lands in Marion County; repealing s. 253.783(2), F.S.,
 8 relating to additional powers and duties of the
 9 department to dispose of surplus lands that were for
 10 the construction, operation, or promotion of a canal
 11 across the peninsula of the state and refund payments
 12 to counties; providing an effective date.

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

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 16 Section 1. Subsection (3) of section 253.7827, Florida
 17 Statutes, is amended to read:

18 253.7827 Transportation and utility crossings of greenways
 19 lands.—

20 (3) Furthermore, the Legislature recognizes the needs
 21 expressed by Marion County to provide for the southerly
 22 extension of Sixtieth Avenue between State Road 200 and
 23 Interstate 75 and for the extension to cross the greenways lands
 24 to allow for the orderly growth and development of Marion
 25 County. Right-of-way for this extension across greenways lands
 26 shall be designed to mitigate the impacts to the extent
 27 practical, and the value of such lands shall be paid based on
 28 fair market value ~~or, at the option of Marion County, the value~~

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29 | ~~can be subtracted from the amount of reimbursement due the~~
30 | ~~county pursuant to s. 253.783.~~

31 | Section 2. Subsection (2) of section 253.783, Florida
32 | Statutes, is repealed.

33 | Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2013.