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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax (Altman)  
recommended the following:

**Senate Amendment (with directory and title amendments)**

Delete lines 26 - 39  
and insert:

(h) Notwithstanding paragraphs (c) and (d), the governing authority in each county may levy a discretionary sales surtax of 0.5 percent or 1 percent for the purpose of funding capital restoration of natural water bodies for public use, including tributaries, canals, stormwater conveyance systems, and channels connected to such natural water bodies. The proceeds from the



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11 surtax, or the bonds pledging the surtax for such use, may be  
12 spent for dredging operations related to ecologically beneficial  
13 muck removal. The levy of the surtax shall be pursuant to  
14 ordinance enacted by the county governing authority and approval  
15 by a majority of the electors of the county voting in a  
16 referendum on the surtax.

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18 ===== D I R E C T O R Y C L A U S E A M E N D M E N T =====

19 And the directory clause is amended as follows:

20 Delete lines 10 - 11

21 and insert:

22 Section 1. Present paragraph (h) of subsection (2) of  
23 section 212.055, Florida Statutes, is redesignated as paragraph  
24 (i), and a new paragraph (h) is added to that subsection, to  
25 read:

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27 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

28 And the title is amended as follows:

29 Delete line 4

30 and insert:

31 of the surtax for funding capital restoration of