

Amendment No.

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED        (Y/N)  
ADOPTED AS AMENDED        (Y/N)  
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION        (Y/N)  
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1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Veteran & Military Affairs  
2 Subcommittee

3 Representative Rangel offered the following:

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5 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

6 Remove everything after the enacting clause and insert:

7 Section 1. Section 125.028, Florida Statutes, is created  
8 to read:

9 125.028 Military, law enforcement, and firefighter county  
10 park fee discounts.-

11 (1) A county park or recreation department shall provide a  
12 partial or a full discount on park entrance fees to the  
13 following individuals who present written documentation  
14 satisfactory to the county department which evidences  
15 eligibility for the discount:

16 (a) A current member of the United States Armed Forces or  
17 its reserve components, or the National Guard.

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18 (b) An honorably discharged veteran of the United States  
19 Armed Forces or its reserve components, or the National Guard.

20 (c) An honorably discharged veteran of the United States  
21 Armed Forces or its reserve components, or the National Guard,  
22 who has a service-connected disability as determined by the  
23 United States Department of Veterans Affairs.

24 (d) A surviving spouse or parent of a deceased member of  
25 the United States Armed Forces or its reserve components, or the  
26 National Guard, who died in the line of duty under combat-  
27 related conditions.

28 (e) A surviving spouse or parent of a law enforcement  
29 officer, as defined in s. 943.10(1), or a firefighter, as  
30 defined in s. 633.102, who died in the line of duty.

31 (2) As used in this section, the term "park entrance fee"  
32 means a fee charged to access lands managed by a county park or  
33 recreation department. The term does not include expanded  
34 amenity fees for amenities such as, campgrounds, aquatic  
35 facilities, stadiums or arenas, facility rentals, special  
36 events, boat launching, golf, zoos, museums, gardens, or  
37 programs taking place within public lands.

38 Section 2. Section 166.0447, Florida Statutes, is created  
39 to read:

40 166.0447 Military, law enforcement, and firefighter  
41 municipal park fee discounts.—

42 (1) A municipal park or recreation department shall  
43 provide a partial or a full discount on park entrance fees to

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44 the following individuals who present written documentation  
45 satisfactory to the municipal department which evidences  
46 eligibility for the discount:

47 (a) A current member of the United States Armed Forces or  
48 its reserve components, or the National Guard.

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50 Armed Forces or its reserve components, or the National Guard.

51 (c) An honorably discharged veteran of the United States  
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67 events, boat launching, golf, zoos, museums, gardens, or  
68 programs taking place within public lands.

69 Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2014.

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Remove line 8 and insert:  
and firefighters; defining the term "park entrance fee" and  
providing certain exclusions; providing an effective date.