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## CHAMBER ACTION

Senate House

Representative McGhee offered the following:

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## Amendment (with title amendment)

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Between lines 514 and 515, insert:

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Section 17. Subsection (7) of section 348.0004, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

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348.0004 Purposes and powers.-

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(7) In any county as defined in s. 125.011(1), an expressway authority  $\underline{\text{shall}}$   $\underline{\text{may}}$  finance or refinance the

planning, design, acquisition, construction, extension,

improvement of a public transportation facility or

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rehabilitation, equipping, preservation, maintenance, or

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transportation facilities owned or operated by such county, an

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intermodal facility or facilities, multimodal corridor or

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corridors, including, but not limited to, bicycle facilities or greenways that will improve transportation services within the county, or any programs or projects that will improve the levels of service on an expressway system, subject to approval of the governing body of such county after public hearing. An authority with a county population of more than 2 million shall annually contribute a minimum of 10 percent of the net revenues above the minimum debt coverage ratio required by the bond covenants. The contribution shall be paid to the county only for the expansion of mass public transit lines and facilities. No portion of such contribution shall be used to expand, build, or maintain toll facilities, managed lanes, or roads as defined by the Florida Department of Transportation. If the authority does not meet its debt coverage ratio in any given fiscal year, it is not required to contribute these funds.

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## TITLE AMENDMENT

Between lines 69 and 70, insert: amending s. 348.0004, F.S.; revising provisions for the financing of certain transportation facilities by certain transportation authorities; providing for minimum amounts to be paid by such authorities to a county for certain projects; providing an exception;

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