

By Senator Montford

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1                                   A bill to be entitled  
2           An act relating to district millage elections;  
3           amending s. 1011.73, F.S.; extending the amount of  
4           time that a district school board may levy an approved  
5           ad valorem tax millage; providing an effective date.  
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7   Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:  
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9           Section 1. Subsection (2) of section 1011.73, Florida  
10   Statutes, is amended to read:  
11           1011.73 District millage elections.—  
12           (2) MILLAGE AUTHORIZED NOT TO EXCEED 10 4 YEARS.—The  
13   district school board, pursuant to resolution adopted at a  
14   regular meeting, shall direct the county commissioners to call  
15   an election at which the electors within the school district may  
16   approve an ad valorem tax millage as authorized under s.  
17   1011.71(9). Such election may be held at any time, except that  
18   not more than one such election shall be held during any 12-  
19   month period. Any millage so authorized shall be levied for a  
20   period not in excess of 10 4 years or until changed by another  
21   millage election, whichever is earlier. If any such election is  
22   invalidated by a court of competent jurisdiction, such  
23   invalidated election shall be considered not to have been held.  
24           Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2017.