

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE AMENDMENT

Bill No. CS/CS/HJR 721 (2017)

Amendment No.

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED _____ (Y/N)

ADOPTED AS AMENDED _____ (Y/N)

ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION _____ (Y/N)

FAILED TO ADOPT _____ (Y/N)

WITHDRAWN _____ (Y/N)

OTHER

1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Government Accountability
2 Committee

3 Representative Jacobs offered the following:

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5 **Substitute Amendment for Amendment (574085) by**
6 **Representative Fischer (with ballot and title amendments)**

7 Remove lines 43-46 and insert:
8 county funds. Notwithstanding subsection (e) of section 6 of
9 this article, a county charter may not abolish the office of the
10 sheriff, transfer the duties of the office of the sheriff to
11 another office, change the length of the term of a sheriff, or
12 establish any manner of selection of a sheriff, other than by
13 election by the electors of the county. Except in a county
14 subject to a charter created, amended, or revised pursuant to s.
15 11 of Article VIII of the Constitution of 1885, as amended, the
16 abolishment of the office of the sheriff, transfer of duties of

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17 the office of the sheriff to another office, change in the
18 length of the term of a sheriff, or change in manner of
19 selection of a sheriff by county charter or special law approved
20 by a vote of the county electors prior to January 8, 2019, is
21 expressly preserved until otherwise amended or revised by
22 election of the county electors.

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25 **B A L L O T A M E N D M E N T**

26 Remove line 98 and insert:

27 duties of the sheriff or abolish the office of the sheriff. With
28 one exception, the amendment preserves changes to the office,
29 term, or manner of selecting the sheriff adopted by county
30 charter or special law approved by the county electors prior to
31 January 8, 2019, until amended or revised by the county
32 electors. The

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35 **T I T L E A M E N D M E N T**

36 Remove line 7 and insert:

37 or abolish the office of the sheriff; creating an exception for
38 certain county charters making changes to the office, term, or
39 selection of the sheriff prior to January 8, 2019.