

Amendment No.

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

House

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Representative Beshears offered the following:

Amendment (with title amendment)

Remove lines 2333-2403 and insert:

purpose. An M.P.O. may include, as part of its apportioned voting members, a member of a statutorily authorized planning board, an official of an agency that operates or administers a major mode of transportation, or an official of Space Florida.

~~As used in this section, the term "elected officials of a general-purpose local government" excludes constitutional officers, including sheriffs, tax collectors, supervisors of elections, property appraisers, clerks of the court, and similar types of officials.~~ County commissioners shall compose not less

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14 than 20 percent of the M.P.O. membership if an official of an
15 agency that operates or administers a major mode of
16 transportation has been appointed to an M.P.O. Each M.P.O. shall
17 adopt bylaws governing the operation of the M.P.O., including
18 voting privileges. An M.P.O. may not adopt a weighted voting
19 structure.

20 2. For an M.P.O. designated on or after July 1, 2018, as a
21 result of a combination or merger of more than one individual
22 M.P.O., the voting membership shall consist of at least five
23 members, with the exact number determined on an equitable
24 geographic-population ratio basis, based on an agreement among
25 the affected units of general-purpose local government and the
26 Governor, as required by federal regulations. In accordance with
27 23 U.S.C. s. 134, the Governor may also allow M.P.O. members who
28 represent municipalities to alternate with representatives from
29 other municipalities within the metropolitan planning area which
30 do not have members on the M.P.O. Voting members shall be
31 elected officials of general-purpose local governments, one of
32 whom may represent a group of general-purpose local governments
33 through an entity created by an M.P.O. for that purpose. An
34 M.P.O. may include, as part of its apportioned voting members, a
35 member of a statutorily authorized planning board, an official
36 of an agency that operates or administers a major mode of
37 transportation, or an official of Space Florida.
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39 For purposes of this section, the term "elected officials of a
40 general-purpose local government" excludes constitutional
41 officers, including sheriffs, tax collectors, supervisors of
42 elections, property appraisers, clerks of the court, and similar
43 types of officials.

44 (b) In metropolitan areas in which authorities or other
45 agencies have been or may be created by law to perform
46 transportation functions and are or will be performing
47 transportation functions that are not under the jurisdiction of
48 a general-purpose local government represented on the M.P.O.,
49 such authorities or other agencies may be provided voting
50 membership on the M.P.O. In all other M.P.O.'s in which
51 transportation authorities or agencies are to be represented by
52 elected officials from general-purpose local governments, the
53 M.P.O. shall establish a process by which the collective
54 interests of such authorities or other agencies are expressed
55 and conveyed.

56 (c) Any other provision of this section to the contrary
57 notwithstanding, a charter ~~chartered~~ county with a population of
58 over 1 million population may elect to reapportion the
59 membership of an M.P.O. if the M.P.O. whose jurisdiction is
60 wholly within the county. The charter county may exercise the
61 provisions of this paragraph if:

62 1. The M.P.O. approves the reapportionment plan by a
63 three-fourths vote of its membership;

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64 2. The M.P.O. and the charter county determine that the
65 reapportionment plan is needed to fulfill specific goals and
66 policies applicable to that metropolitan planning area; and

67 3. The charter county determines the reapportionment plan
68 otherwise complies with all federal requirements pertaining to
69 M.P.O. membership.

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71 A ~~Any~~ charter county that elects to exercise the provisions of
72 this paragraph shall notify the Governor in writing.

73 (d) Any other provision of this section to the contrary
74 notwithstanding, a ~~any~~ county as defined in s. 125.011(1)

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Remove lines 207-208 and insert:

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on population; requiring

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