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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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The Committee on Community Affairs (Farmer) recommended the following:

1 **Senate Amendment to Amendment (694068) (with title**
2 **amendment)**

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4 Delete lines 75 - 93
5 and insert:

6 (1) A local government may not enforce an ordinance or
7 regulation governing the pruning or trimming of specimen,
8 heritage, or patriarch trees, as defined by local ordinances or
9 regulations, or the pruning, trimming, or removal of other trees
10 on residential property which requires a permit, an application,



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11 the provision of notice, a fee, or a fine from March 1 through
12 June 1 of the calendar year if the property owner has obtained
13 documentation from an arborist certified by the International
14 Society of Arboriculture or a Florida licensed landscape
15 architect that the tree is a danger to persons or property and
16 the tree is not a listed endangered species.

17 (2) A local government may enforce ordinances or
18 regulations pertaining to the replanting of trees that have been
19 removed in accordance with this section.

20 (3) This section does not apply to the exercise of
21 specifically delegated authority for mangrove protection
22 pursuant to ss. 403.9321-403.9333.

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24 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

25 And the title is amended as follows:

26 Delete lines 110 - 113

27 and insert:

28 authorizing a local government to enforce ordinances
29 or regulations pertaining to the replanting of trees
30 under certain circumstances; providing applicability;
31 providing