

Amendment No.

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED _____ (Y/N)
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OTHER _____

1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Local, Federal & Veterans
2 Affairs Subcommittee

3 Representative Fine offered the following:

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5 **Amendment**

6 Remove lines 1039-1140 and insert:

7 Section 24. Subsection (3) of section 348.0308, Florida
8 Statutes, is amended to read:

9 348.0308 Public-private partnership.—The Legislature
10 declares that there is a public need for the rapid construction
11 of safe and efficient transportation facilities for traveling
12 within the state and that it is in the public's interest to
13 provide for public-private partnership agreements to effectuate
14 the construction of additional safe, convenient, and economical
15 transportation facilities.

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16 (3) The agency may request proposals for public-private
17 transportation projects or, if it receives an unsolicited
18 proposal, it must publish a notice in the Florida Administrative
19 Register and as provided in chapter 50 ~~a newspaper of general~~
20 ~~circulation in the~~ each county in which the project is located
21 ~~it is located~~ at least once a week for 2 weeks stating that it
22 has received the proposal and will accept, for 60 days after the
23 initial date of publication, other proposals for the same
24 project purpose. A copy of the notice must be mailed to each
25 local government in the affected areas. After the public
26 notification period has expired, the agency shall rank the
27 proposals in order of preference. In ranking the proposals, the
28 agency shall consider professional qualifications, general
29 business terms, innovative engineering or cost-reduction terms,
30 finance plans, and the need for state funds to deliver the
31 proposal. If the agency is not satisfied with the results of the
32 negotiations, it may, at its sole discretion, terminate
33 negotiations with the proposer. If these negotiations are
34 unsuccessful, the agency may go to the second and lower-ranked
35 firms, in order, using the same procedure. If only one proposal
36 is received, the agency may negotiate in good faith, and if it
37 is not satisfied with the results, it may, at its sole
38 discretion, terminate negotiations with the proposer. The agency
39 may, at its discretion, reject all proposals at any point in the
40 process up to completion of a contract with the proposer.

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41 Section 25. Subsection (3) of section 348.635, Florida
42 Statutes, is amended to read:

43 348.635 Public-private partnership.—The Legislature
44 declares that there is a public need for the rapid construction
45 of safe and efficient transportation facilities for traveling
46 within the state and that it is in the public's interest to
47 provide for public-private partnership agreements to effectuate
48 the construction of additional safe, convenient, and economical
49 transportation facilities.

50 (3) The authority may request proposals for public-private
51 transportation projects or, if it receives an unsolicited
52 proposal, it must publish a notice in the Florida Administrative
53 Register and as provided in chapter 50 ~~a newspaper of general~~
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69 ranked firms, in order, using the same procedure. If only one
70 proposal is received, the authority may negotiate in good faith,
71 and if it is not satisfied with the results, it may, at its sole
72 discretion, terminate negotiations with the proposer. The
73 authority may, at its discretion, reject all proposals at any
74 point in the process up to completion of a contract with the
75 proposer.

76 Section 26. Subsection (3) of section 348.7605, Florida
77 Statutes, is amended to read:

78 348.7605 Public-private partnership.—The Legislature
79 declares that there is a public need for the rapid construction
80 of safe and efficient transportation facilities for traveling
81 within the state and that it is in the public's interest to
82 provide for public-private partnership agreements to effectuate
83 the construction of additional safe, convenient, and economical
84 transportation facilities.

85 (3) The authority may request proposals for public-private
86 transportation projects or, if it receives an unsolicited
87 proposal, it must publish a notice in the Florida Administrative
88 Register and as provided in chapter 50 a newspaper of general
89 circulation in the each county in which the project is located
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92 initial date of publication, other proposals for the same
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104 ranked firms, in order, using the same procedure. If only one
105 proposal is received, the authority may negotiate in good faith,
106 and if it is not satisfied with the results, it may, at its sole
107 discretion, terminate negotiations with the proposer. The
108 authority may, at its discretion, reject all proposals at any
109 point in the process up to completion of a contract with the
110 proposer.