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Senator Lee moved the following:

Senate Substitute for Amendment (380144) (with title amendment)

Delete lines 2030 - 2066 4

5 and insert:

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outlay projects to be funded by the surtax. The resolution must also include a statement that the revenues collected must be shared with charter schools pursuant to paragraph (e) based on a charter school's proportionate share of the school district's total unweighted full-time equivalent student enrollment. The statements must statement shall conform to the requirements of



12 s. 101.161 and shall be placed on the ballot by the governing 13 body of the county. The following question shall be placed on the ballot: 14

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(c) The resolution providing for the imposition of the surtax must shall set forth a plan for use of the surtax proceeds for fixed capital expenditures or fixed capital costs associated with the construction, reconstruction, or improvement of school facilities and campuses which have a useful life expectancy of 5 or more years, and any land acquisition, land improvement, design, and engineering costs related thereto. Additionally, the plan shall include the costs of retrofitting and providing for technology implementation, including hardware and software, for the various sites within the school district. Surtax revenues may be used for the purpose of servicing bond indebtedness to finance projects authorized by this subsection, and any interest accrued thereto may be held in trust to finance such projects. Neither the proceeds of the surtax nor any interest accrued thereto shall be used for operational expenses. Surtax revenues shared with a charter school shall be expended by the charter school in a manner consistent with the purposes stated in the resolution under paragraph (b). All revenues and expenditures shall be accounted for in a charter school's

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monthly or quarterly financial report pursuant to s. 1002.33(9).

- (d) Surtax revenues collected by the Department of Revenue pursuant to this subsection shall be distributed to the school board imposing the surtax in accordance with law.
- (e) 1. Notwithstanding any other law to the contrary, beginning with the 2020-2021 school year, funds generated under this subsection must be shared with a charter school if:
- a. The applicant for the charter school, before the inception of the school, had submitted the charter school application for approval to the applicable district school board and, after entering into a charter contract with that district school board pursuant to s. 1002.33, the charter school is eligible to receive capital outlay funds under s. 1013.62(1)(a); and
- b. The charter school submits its brief and general description statement and plan pursuant to paragraph (b) to the school district within the timeframe specified by the district school board.

A charter school is not eligible to receive capital outlay funds if it was created by the conversion of a public school and operates in facilities provided by the charter school's sponsor for a nominal fee, or at no charge, or if it is directly or indirectly operated by the school district.

2. A charter school that receives funds generated under this subsection must use funds for allowable purposes under this subsection.

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68	And the title is amended as follows:
69	Delete line 117
70	and insert:
71	reports; requiring school capital outlay surtax funds
72	to be shared with a charter school if certain
73	conditions are met; specifying conditions under which
74	a charter school is ineligible to receive capital
75	outlay funds; providing applicability; amending s.
76	212.134,