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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate Comm: RCS 12/09/2019 House

The Committee on Environment and Natural Resources (Albritton) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

Section 1. Subsections (23) and (24) are added to s. 403.706, Florida Statutes, to read:

(23) (a) The Florida Recycling Working Group is created within the department and shall be composed of eleven members, with each of the following eleven organizations appointing one representative member from within their respective

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11	organizations:
12	1. The department.
13	2. The University of Florida's Engineering School of
14	Sustainable Infrastructure and Environment.
15	3. The Hinkley Center for Solid and Hazardous Waste
16	Management.
17	4. The Florida League of Cities.
18	5. The Florida Association of Counties.
19	6. The Florida Recycling Partnership.
20	7. Keep Florida Beautiful.
21	8. The Florida Beverage Association.
22	9. Southern Waste Information eXchange, Inc.
23	10. The Florida Chapter of the National Waste and Recycling
24	Association.
25	11. Recycle Florida Today, Inc.
26	(b) The working group shall meet at least three times and
27	elect, by quorum, a chair and a vice chair. A quorum shall
28	consist of a majority of the members. The chair of the working
29	group shall preside at all meetings and shall call a meeting as
30	often as necessary to carry out this subsection. The department
31	shall keep a complete record of the proceedings of each meeting,
32	including the names of the members present at each meeting and
33	the actions taken. The records are public records pursuant to
34	chapter 119.
35	(c) The working group shall compile a report recommending
36	programs and statutory changes necessary for achieving future
37	recycling goals based on current progress toward achieving the
38	goals set in subsection (2). The working group shall submit the
39	report to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the

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40	House of Representatives by July 1, 2021.
41	(d) This subsection expires July 1, 2021.
42	(24) A fiscally constrained county, as defined in s.
43	218.67(1), is exempt from the goals and requirements set forth
44	in this section. This subsection expires July 1, 2035.
45	Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2020.
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47	======== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T ===========
48	And the title is amended as follows:
49	Delete everything before the enacting clause
50	and insert:
51	A bill to be entitled
52	An act relating to local government recycling
53	programs; amending s. 403.706; creating the Florida
54	Recycling Working Group; providing the duties and
55	membership of the working group; requiring the working
56	group to submit a report to the Legislature by a
57	specified date; providing an expiration date for the
58	working group; providing an exemption for fiscally
59	constrained counties from recycling requirements;
60	providing an expiration date for the exemption;
61	providing an effective date.