

By Senator Collins

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1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to preemption over utility service
3 restrictions; amending s. 366.032, F.S.; preventing
4 certain local governmental entities from enacting or
5 enforcing a resolution, ordinance, rule, code, or
6 policy or from taking any action that restricts or
7 prohibits or has the effect of restricting or
8 prohibiting the use of certain major appliances;
9 providing an effective date.

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11 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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13 Section 1. Present subsections (2), (3), and (4) of section
14 366.032, Florida Statutes, are redesignated as subsections (3),
15 (4), and (5), respectively, and a new subsection (2) is added to
16 that section, to read:

17 366.032 Preemption over utility service restrictions.—

18 (2) A municipality, county, special district, or other
19 political subdivision of the state may not enact or enforce a
20 resolution, ordinance, rule, code, or policy or take any action
21 that restricts or prohibits or has the effect of restricting or
22 prohibiting the use of any major appliances, including a stove
23 or grill, which use the types of fuel sources of energy
24 production which may be used, delivered, converted, or supplied
25 by the entities listed in subsection (1).

26 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2023.