By Senator Osgood

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1 A bill to be entitled 2 An act relating to affordable housing parking 3 requirements; amending ss. 125.01055 and 166.04151, 4 F.S.; requiring counties and municipalities, 5 respectively, to reduce parking requirements for certain developments if they are located within a 6 7 specified distance of a major transportation hub; 8 defining the term "major transportation hub"; 9 providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Present paragraphs (e) through (i) of subsection (7) of section 125.01055, Florida Statutes, are redesignated as paragraphs (f) through (j), respectively, and a new paragraph (e) is added to that subsection, to read:

125.01055 Affordable housing.—

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(e) A county must reduce parking requirements for a proposed development authorized under this subsection if at least 75 percent of the residential units in the proposed development are, for a period of at least 30 years, affordable as defined in s. 420.0004; the development is located within one-half mile of a major transportation hub; and the major transportation hub is accessible from the development. For purposes of this paragraph, the term "major transportation hub" means any bus, train, or light rail station that contains mixed-use development and multimodal transportation fully integrated within such station.

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Section 2. Present paragraphs (e) through (i) of subsection (7) of section 166.04151, Florida Statutes, are redesignated as paragraphs (f) through (j), respectively, and a new paragraph (e) is added to that subsection, to read:

166.04151 Affordable housing.-

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(e) A municipality must reduce parking requirements for a proposed development authorized under this subsection if at least 75 percent of the residential units in the proposed development are, for a period of at least 30 years, affordable as defined in s. 420.0004; the development is located within one-half mile of a major transportation hub; and the major transportation hub is accessible from the development. For purposes of this paragraph, the term "major transportation hub" means any bus, train, or light rail station that contains mixed-use development and multimodal transportation fully integrated within such station.

Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2024.