

HOUSE AMENDMENT  
Bill No. CS/CS/HB 405 (2026)

Amendment No.

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

House

1 Representative McFarland offered the following:

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3 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

4 Between lines 42 and 43, insert:

5 **Section 1. Paragraph (1) is added to subsection (1) of**  
6 **section 30.15, Florida Statutes, to read:**

7 30.15 Powers, duties, and obligations.—

8 (1) Sheriffs, in their respective counties, in person or  
9 by deputy, shall:

10 (1) Have authority to construct, repair, or make capital  
11 improvement to county buildings operated or occupied by the  
12 sheriff. Sheriffs may enter into contracts or agreements for the  
13 purpose of constructing, repairing, or making capital

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14 improvement to county buildings if the county approves such  
15 construction, repair, or capital improvement in the budget of  
16 the sheriff pursuant to s. 30.49.

17 **Section 2. Paragraphs (a) and (d) of subsection (2) of**  
18 **section 30.49, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:**

19 30.49 Budgets.—

20 (2) (a) The proposed budget must show the estimated amounts  
21 of all proposed expenditures for operating and equipping the  
22 sheriff's office and jail, including excluding the cost of  
23 construction, repair, or capital improvement of county buildings  
24 operated or occupied by the sheriff during the fiscal year. The  
25 expenditures must be categorized at the appropriate fund level  
26 in accordance with the following functional categories:

27 1. General law enforcement.

28 2. Corrections and detention alternative facilities.

29 3. Court services, excluding service of process.

30 4. Construction, repair, or capital improvement.

31 ~~(d) The sheriff shall submit to the board of county~~  
32 ~~commissioners for consideration and inclusion in the county~~  
33 ~~budget, as deemed appropriate by the county, requests for~~  
34 ~~construction, repair, or capital improvement of county buildings~~  
35 ~~operated or occupied by the sheriff.~~

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39 Remove line 2 and insert:

40 An act relating to nonresidential construction  
41 projects and building improvements; amending s. 30.15,  
42 F.S.; authorizing sheriffs to enter into contracts and  
43 agreements for constructing, repairing, or making  
44 capital improvement to certain county buildings under  
45 certain circumstances; amending s. 30.49, F.S.;  
46 requiring sheriffs' budgets to include the cost of  
47 construction, repair, or capital improvement of  
48 certain buildings in their budgets; removing the  
49 requirement that sheriffs submit certain requests to  
50 the board of county commissioners;

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