

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE AMENDMENT

Bill No. HB 981 (2026)

Amendment No.

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED _____ (Y/N)

ADOPTED AS AMENDED _____ (Y/N)

ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION _____ (Y/N)

FAILED TO ADOPT _____ (Y/N)

WITHDRAWN _____ (Y/N)

OTHER _____

Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Natural Resources &
Disasters Subcommittee

Representative Duggan offered the following:

Amendment

Remove lines 105-132 and insert:

2. The council shall be composed of the following 16
members:

a. Nine members of the council shall be appointed by and
serve at the pleasure of the Governor and shall include:

(I) Two representatives of river recreation-related
businesses local to Marion or Putnam Counties.

(II) Two representatives of outdoor recreation user
groups, one of whom represents fishing interests local to Marion
or Putnam Counties.

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16 (III) One representative of the department's Office of
17 Greenways and Trails.

18 (IV) One representative of the Florida Fish and Wildlife
19 Conservation Commission's Division of Freshwater Fisheries
20 Management.

21 (V) One representative of the Florida Fish and Wildlife
22 Conservation Commission's Imperiled Species Management Section.

23 (VI) One representative of the Department of Commerce.

24 (VII) One representative of an environmental community
25 support organization who has subject matter expertise on springs
26 or rivers.

27 b. Six members of the council shall be appointed by the
28 boards of county commissioners for the following counties:

29 (I) Putnam County shall appoint two members, one of whom
30 must oversee parks and recreation for the county.

31 (II) Marion County shall appoint two members, one of whom
32 must oversee parks and recreation for the county.

33 (III) Clay County shall appoint one member.

34 (IV) St. Johns County shall appoint one member.

35 c. The commanding officer of Naval Air Station
36 Jacksonville or his or her designee.