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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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The Committee on Transportation (Latvala) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment

Delete lines 164 - 238

and insert:

(b) ~~3.a.~~ Two members of the board shall be the mayor, ~~or the mayor's designee,~~ of the largest municipality within the service area of each of the following independent transit agencies or their legislatively created successor agencies: Pinellas Suncoast Transit Authority and Hillsborough Area Regional Transit Authority. The largest municipality is that municipality



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11 with the largest population as determined by the most recent
12 United States Decennial Census.

13 ~~b. Should a mayor choose not to serve, his or her designee~~
14 ~~must be an elected official selected by the mayor from that~~
15 ~~largest municipality's city council or city commission. A mayor~~
16 ~~or his or her designee shall serve a 2-year term with not more~~
17 ~~than three consecutive terms being served by any person.~~

18 ~~e. A designee's term ends if the mayor leaves office for~~
19 ~~any reason. If a designee leaves elected office on the city~~
20 ~~council or commission, a vacancy exists on the board to be~~
21 ~~filled by the mayor of that municipality as provided in sub-~~
22 ~~paragraph a.~~

23 (c) The following independent transit agencies or their
24 legislatively created successor agencies shall each appoint from
25 the membership of their governing bodies one member to the
26 board: Pinellas Suncoast Transit Authority and Hillsborough Area
27 Regional Transit Authority. Each member appointed under this
28 paragraph shall serve a 2-year term with not more than three
29 consecutive terms being served by any person. If a member no
30 longer meets the transit authority's criteria for appointment, a
31 vacancy exists on the board which must be filled as provided in
32 this paragraph within 90 days.

33 (d) The President of the Senate and the Speaker of the
34 House of Representatives shall each appoint to the board one
35 member from the regional business community, each of whom must
36 reside in one of the counties governed by the authority and may
37 not be an elected official. A member initially appointed under
38 this paragraph shall serve a 1-year term. Thereafter, a member
39 appointed under this paragraph shall serve a 2-year term with



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40 not more than three consecutive terms being served by any
41 person. A vacancy during a term shall be filled within 90 days
42 in the same manner as the original appointment for the remainder
43 of the unexpired term.

44 ~~d. A mayor who has served three consecutive terms on the~~
45 ~~board must designate an elected official from that largest~~
46 ~~municipality's city council or city commission to serve on the~~
47 ~~board for at least one term.~~

48 ~~4.a. One membership on the board shall rotate every 2 years~~
49 ~~between the mayor, or his or her designee, of the largest~~
50 ~~municipality within Manatee County and the mayor, or his or her~~
51 ~~designee, of the largest municipality within Sarasota County.~~
52 ~~The mayor, or his or her designee, from the largest municipality~~
53 ~~within Manatee County shall serve the first 2-year term. The~~
54 ~~largest municipality is that municipality with the largest~~
55 ~~population as determined by the most recent United States~~
56 ~~Decennial Census.~~

57 ~~b. Should a mayor choose not to serve, his or her designee~~
58 ~~must be an elected official selected by the mayor from that~~
59 ~~municipality's city council or city commission.~~

60 (e)5. The Governor shall appoint to the board three members
61 from the regional four business community representatives, each
62 of whom must reside in one of the ~~seven~~ counties governed by the
63 authority and, none of whom may not be an elected official
64 officials, and at least one but not more than two of whom shall
65 represent counties within the federally designated Tampa Bay
66 Transportation Management Area. Of the members initially
67 appointed under this paragraph, one shall serve a 1-year term,
68 one shall serve a 2-year term, and one shall serve a term as the



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69 initial chair as provided in subsection (5). Thereafter, a
70 member ~~Members~~ appointed under this paragraph by the Governor
71 shall serve a 2-year term ~~3-year terms~~ with not more than three
72 ~~two~~ consecutive terms being served by any person.

73 ~~(e)~~ Appointments may be staggered to avoid mass turnover at
74 the end of any 2-year or 4-year period. A vacancy during a term
75 shall be filled ~~by the respective appointing authority~~ within 90
76 days in the same manner as the original appointment ~~and only~~ for
77 the remainder of the unexpired term.

78 (3) The members of the board shall serve without
79 compensation but shall be entitled to receive from the authority
80 reimbursement for travel expenses and per diem actually incurred
81 in connection with the business of the authority as provided in
82 s. 112.061.

83 (4) Members of the board shall comply with the applicable
84 financial disclosure requirements of ss. 112.3145, 112.3148, and
85 112.3149.

86 (5) The Governor shall appoint one of the three members
87 appointed under paragraph (2)(e) as the initial chair ~~from among~~