

## LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate House

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Senator Gaetz moved the following:

## Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

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Delete lines 120 - 129

and insert:

legislation consistent with this section, and any other recommendations it deems appropriate.

- (7) A county's membership in the commission, and the participation of a county's appointees in the work of the commission, is not intended to constitute the consent of the county to inclusion within the jurisdiction of a regional transportation authority.
- (8) This section shall expire and the commission shall terminate upon delivery of the final report required in



subsection (6).

Section 2. Subsection (1) of section 8 of chapter 2009-89, Laws of Florida, is amended to read:

Section 8. (1) The Northwest Florida Regional Transportation Planning Organization, an interlocal agency under part I of chapter 163, Florida Statutes, is authorized to study the feasibility of advance-funding the costs of capacity projects in its member counties and making recommendations to the Legislature by February 1, 2011 <del>2010</del>. The Department of Transportation may assist the organization in conducting the study. The study shall be funded by the Northwest Florida Regional Transportation Planning Organization from its existing resources and by such other funds that may be provided from its constituent counties.

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======== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T ========= And the title is amended as follows:

Delete lines 2 - 24

32 and insert:

> An act relating to regional transportation; creating the Northeast Florida Regional Transportation Study Commission; providing for membership and organization; providing for reimbursement of expenses; providing for removal and suspension of commission members; providing for the Jacksonville Transportation Authority to staff the commission; providing for funding of the commission; providing that the costs of staffing and the amount of funding are determined by the board of the Jacksonville Transportation

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Authority; providing for committees within the commission; providing for commission meetings; providing for the commission to make available to the public its meeting minutes, reports, and recommendations and publish its reports and recommendations electronically; directing the authority to make its Internet site available for such purposes; requiring the commission to submit reports to the Governor and the Legislature; providing that a county's membership in the commission and participation of a county's appointees does not constitute consent of the county to inclusion within the jurisdiction of a regional transportation authority; providing for expiration and termination of the commission; amending s. 8, ch. 2009-89, Laws of Florida; revising the due date for the Northwest Florida Regional Transportation Planning Organization to complete a study and make recommendations to the Legislature concerning advance-funding the costs of capacity projects in its member counties; providing for funding of the study; providing an effective