

House _____ Amendment NO. _____

Offered By

1 AMEND House Committee Substitute for Senate Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for
2 Senate Bill Nos. 153 & 97, Page 40, Section 320.400, Line 98, by inserting after all of said section
3 and line the following:
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5 "Section 1. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, no municipality or other
6 political subdivision that defunds police shall thereafter be permitted to increase the rate of any
7 property tax levied or imposed by such municipality or political subdivision. For the purposes of
8 this section, the term "defunds police" shall include any action taken by the governing body of a
9 municipality or other political subdivision that decreases the amount of public funding available to
10 one or more local law enforcement agencies operating within the municipality or political
11 subdivision by more than five percent of the amount of public funding made available to such local
12 law enforcement agency or agencies by the municipality or political subdivision for the most recent
13 previous fiscal year."; and
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15 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references
16 accordingly.

Action Taken _____ Date _____