

HB0237/614133/1

BY: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 237
(Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 2, strike “Hours of Operation” and substitute “Establishment”; in line 3, after “of” insert “authorizing all counties, rather than counties with fewer than a certain number of registered voters, to establish one early voting center in addition to the number of early voting centers the county is required to establish if the State Board of Elections, in collaboration with the local board of elections, and the governing body of the county agree to establish an additional early voting center;”; strike beginning with “altering” in line 3 down through “elections;” in line 4; and in line 8, strike “10–301.1(d)” and substitute “10–301.1(b)”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, after line 14, insert:

“(b) (1) Each county shall have at least one early voting center established in the county as prescribed in this subsection.

(2) A county with fewer than 125,000 registered voters shall have one early voting center established in the county.

(3) A county with more than 125,000 registered voters but fewer than 200,000 registered voters shall have three early voting centers established in the county.

(4) A county with more than 200,000 registered voters but fewer than 300,000 registered voters shall have four early voting centers established in the county.

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(5) A county with more than 300,000 registered voters but fewer than 450,000 registered voters shall have seven early voting centers established in the county.

(6) A county with more than 450,000 registered voters shall have eleven early voting centers.

(7) In addition to the early voting centers required in this subsection, each county [with fewer than 200,000 registered voters] may establish one additional early voting center if the State Board, in collaboration with the local board, and the governing body of the county agree to establish an additional early voting center.”.

On pages 1 and 2, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 15 on page 1 through line 4 on page 2, inclusive.