

BY: Committee on Ways and Means

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1064

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 5, strike "meets to take action" and substitute "hears an appeal"; in lines 5 and 6, strike "the transportation of students" and substitute "bus stops and bus routes"; in line 6, strike "requiring that certain notice be given of certain hearings;"; and in line 8, after "hearings;" insert "requiring that a decision on an appeal be made at a public hearing and that the individual vote of each member of the board be recorded on the public record;".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, in line 19, strike the brackets and "AT"; and in line 21, strike "This" and substitute "EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (C) OF THIS SECTION, THIS".

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On pages 1 and 2, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 24 on page 1 through line 5 on page 2, inclusive, and substitute:

"(C) IF THE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT DENIES AN APPEAL OF A DECISION BY THE CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER OF THE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO ADD OR DELETE A SCHOOL BUS STOP OR TO ELIMINATE OR MOVE A SCHOOL BUS ROUTE, THE APPEAL TO THE COUNTY BOARD AND THE DECISION ON THE APPEAL SHALL BE GOVERNED BY THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS:

(1) THE COUNTY BOARD SHALL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING ON THE MATTER CONTAINED IN THE APPEAL;

(2) MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC SHALL BE GIVEN A REASONABLE OPPORTUNITY TO TESTIFY AND PRESENT THEIR VIEWS AT THE HEARING; AND

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(3) THE BOARD SHALL MAKE A DECISION ON THE APPEAL IN ITEM (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION AT A PUBLIC MEETING AND THE INDIVIDUAL VOTE OF EACH MEMBER SHALL BE RECORDED ON THE PUBLIC RECORD.".