

REVENUE: No revenue impact

FISCAL: No fiscal impact

Action: Do Pass

Vote: 8 - 0 - 0

Yeas: Cameron, Clem, Conger, Matthews, Sheehan, Smith J., Holvey, Whisnant

Nays: 0

Exc.: 0

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Meeting Dates: 2/22

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Allows a county court or board of commissioners to examine the county's financial affairs twice each year rather than specifically in January and July.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Technological changes since statute first adopted
- Capability of counties to decide when to examine financial books
- Process used in Marion County

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: No amendment.

BACKGROUND: The statutory requirement of reviewing in January and July does not always match the budget preparation and review cycles that counties prefer to use.