HOUSE BILL No. 4876

June 5, 2007, Introduced by Rep. Calley and referred to the Committee on Intergovernmental, Urban and Regional Affairs.

A bill to amend 1945 PA 282, entitled

"An act to provide for county planning; the creation, organization, powers and duties of county planning commissions,"

by amending section 2 (MCL 125.102), as amended by 2004 PA 307.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 2. (1) The county planning commission shall consist of
- 2 not less than 5 nor OR more than 11 members who shall individually
- 3 be representative of important segments of the economic,
- 4 governmental, educational, AND social life —and development
- 5 SEGMENTS of the particular county, in accordance with the major
- 6 interests as they exist in the county, such as agriculture,
- 7 recreation, education, government, transportation, industry, and
- 8 commerce. The county board of commissioners shall establish the
- basis for representative membership on the **PLANNING** commission. A

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- 1 majority of **PLANNING** commission members shall not hold another
- 2 office or position in the county government. The method of
- 3 appointment and the term of office of members of the PLANNING
- 4 commission shall be determined by resolution of a majority of the
- 5 full membership of the county board of commissioners.
- 6 (2) Where—IF the PLANNING commission consists of 5 members, 1
- 7 member may be a member of the county board of commissioners elected
- 8 and serving. Where IF the PLANNING commission consists of from 6 to
- 9 8 members, 2 members may be members of the county board of
- 10 commissioners elected and serving. Where IF the PLANNING commission
- 11 consists of from 9 to 11 members, 3 members may be members of the
- 12 county board of commissioners elected and serving.
- 13 (3) The county board of commissioners shall appoint to the
- 14 planning commission 1 member of a public school board or an
- 15 administrative employee of a school district included, in whole or
- 16 in part, within the county's boundaries. The appointment required
- 17 under this subsection shall be made upon the first vacancy that
- 18 occurs following the effective date of the amendatory act that
- 19 added this subsection.
- 20 (3) (4) The term of each appointed member OF THE PLANNING
- 21 COMMISSION shall be for 3 years, except that upon AS FOLLOWS:
- 22 (A) UPON first appointment of the membership by the COUNTY
- 23 board OF COMMISSIONERS, the terms of office may be varied to permit
- 24 the establishment of overlapping terms of office. and the
- 25 (B) THE terms of ex officio members shall correspond to their
- 26 respective official tenures or as may be UNLESS OTHERWISE
- 27 determined by the county board.

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- 1 (4) (5) The county board of commissioners shall provide for
- 2 the filling of a vacancy in the membership of the PLANNING
- 3 commission for the unexpired terms and may remove a member OF THE
- 4 PLANNING COMMISSION for nonperformance of duty or misconduct upon
- 5 AFTER A public hearing.
- 6 (5) (6) Members of the **PLANNING** commission may receive the
- 7 same compensation and mileage , but not to exceed that provided for
- 8 members of the county board of commissioners, except that ex
- 9 officio members OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION shall serve without
- 10 compensation. The members of the PLANNING commission may be
- 11 reimbursed for actual, reasonable, and necessary expenses incurred
- 12 in the discharge of their duties.