

House _____ Amendment NO. _____

Offered By

1 AMEND House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 1904, Page 1, in the title, Lines 4 and 5,
2 by deleting the phrase "emergency communications service" on said lines and inserting in lieu
3 thereof the phrase "public safety"; and

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5 Further amend said bill, Page 28, Section 650.340, Line 30, by inserting after all of said section and
6 line the following:

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8 "650.466. 1. There is hereby established in the department of public safety a program on
9 police officer presence in schools and communities to increase positive social interaction between
10 youth and law enforcement officers and to develop a harmonious rapport between the two entities.
11 The department of public safety shall focus its efforts on establishing programs, projects, activities,
12 and events in communities located in a county with a charter form of government and with more
13 than nine hundred fifty thousand inhabitants that contain school districts with a total minority
14 student population that exceeds fifty percent.

15 2. The department of public safety shall:

16 (1) Conduct studies on local, statewide, and national programs with demonstrated success at
17 increasing positive social relationships with law enforcement agencies and youth;

18 (2) Make recommendations to law enforcement agencies, communities, and schools as to
19 programs, projects, activities, and events that will aid in developing a harmonious rapport between
20 law enforcement officers and youth;

21 (3) Advise the commissioner of education and the department of education on issues
22 relating to the establishment of community relations programs in communities located in a county
23 with a charter form of government and with more than nine hundred fifty thousand inhabitants that
24 contain school districts with a total minority student population that exceeds fifty percent;

25 (4) Make recommendations for a state plan for community education that sets forth the
26 goals and objectives of a community relations program and establishes a system of priorities for
27 targeting available resources on the areas with the greatest need within a school district;

28 (5) Make recommendations for establishing community schools within communities
29 containing community relations programs; and

30 (6) Make recommendations for the funding of local community relations programs and
31 projects, activities, and events that will aid in developing a harmonious rapport between law

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1 enforcement officers and youth.

2 3. For purposes of subsection 2 of this section, "community school", means a school that
3 makes its facilities available for citizen use, coordinates activities of local citizens in identifying
4 program needs and establishing priorities, identifies and utilizes available program resources, and
5 assists in the initiation of programs to improve the cultural, social, recreational, and educational
6 opportunities available in a community."; and

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8 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references
9 accordingly.