

1 HB384
2 175075-1
3 By Representatives Hill (M), Weaver, Mooney, Carns, Drake,
4 Fridy and Farley (Constitutional Amendment)
5 RFD: Shelby County Legislation
6 First Read: 10-MAR-16

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8 SYNOPSIS: This bill would propose an amendment to the
9 Constitution of Alabama of 1901, to prohibit any
10 city located entirely within the boundaries of
11 Shelby County from establishing a city board of
12 education without prior approval of the residents
13 of the city voting at a referendum.

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15 A BILL
16 TO BE ENTITLED
17 AN ACT
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19 To propose an amendment to the Constitution of
20 Alabama of 1901, pertaining only to Shelby County; to prohibit
21 any city located entirely within the county from establishing
22 a city board of education without prior approval of the
23 residents of the city voting at a referendum.

24 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

25 Section 1. The following amendment to the
26 Constitution of Alabama of 1901, is proposed and shall become

1 valid as a part of the Constitution when all requirements of
2 this act are fulfilled:

3 PROPOSED AMENDMENT

4 A city located entirely within the boundaries of
5 Shelby County may not establish a city board of education
6 without first obtaining the approval of a majority of the
7 electors who reside within the corporate limits of the city
8 voting at a referendum.

9 Section 2. An election upon the proposed amendment
10 shall be held in accordance with Amendment 555 to the
11 Constitution of Alabama of 1901, now appearing as Section
12 284.01 of the Official Recompilation of the Constitution of
13 Alabama of 1901, as amended, and the election laws of this
14 state.

15 Section 3. The appropriate election official shall
16 assign a ballot number for the proposed constitutional
17 amendment on the election ballot and shall set forth the
18 following description of the substance or subject matter of
19 the proposed constitutional amendment:

20 "Relating to Shelby County, proposing an amendment
21 to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, to prohibit any city
22 located entirely within the county from establishing a city
23 board of education without prior approval of the residents of
24 the city voting at a referendum.

25 "Proposed by Act _____"

26 This description shall be followed by the following
27 language:

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"Yes () No ()."