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**Follow up on Vacation Rentals, Wireless Communications and
Cancer Disability Presumption**

Short-Term Vacation Rentals – Oppose CS/HB 425

This morning, [CS/HB 425 \(La Rosa\)](#) passed the [House Commerce Committee](#) by a vote of 17-11.

The bill, as amended, would still preempt cities from adopting ordinances specific to vacation rentals. The amended bill also allows grandfathered cities to amend their ordinances to be less restrictive or reduce regulatory burdens on U.S. Armed Services or disabled veterans.

Vote on CS/HB 425:

Yeas:

Jose Diaz, Chair
Bryan Avila, V. Chr.
Halsey Beshears
Danny Burgess
Dane Eagle
Katie Edwards
James Grant
Joe Gruters
Blaise Ingoglia
Evan Jenne
Mike La Rosa
Kionne McGhee
Mike Miller
Bobby Payne
Sean Shaw
Jackie Toledo
Jay Trumbull

Nays:

Loranne Ausley
Lori Berman
Nicholas Duran
Eric Eisnaugle
Joe Geller
Tom Goodson
Bill Hager
Sam Killebrew
Kathleen Peters
Rick Roth
Richard Stark

Please thank the Representatives who Voted “No” on CS/HB 425.

Should you have any questions, please contact: Casey Cook at ccook@flcities.com or 850-228-8559 (cell).

Wireless Communications Infrastructure – Oppose CS/HB 687

Also this morning, [CS/HB 687 \(La Rosa\)](#) passed the [House Commerce Committee](#) by a vote of 25-2.

The bill was amended to increase the price cap to \$150 per attachment. **FLC supports a free market approach to the deployment of this infrastructure.**

Please thank Representatives Berman and Stark for voting “No” on CS/HB 687.

If you have any questions, concerns or need any additional information contact Megan Sirjane-Samples at 850-701-3655 or msirjanesamples@flcities.com

Firefighter Cancer Disability Presumption – Oppose SB 7030

This afternoon, [SB 7030](#), passed the [Senate Governmental Oversight and Accountability Committee](#) by a vote of 4-3.

SB 7030 establishes a cancer disability presumption for firefighters. (The bill also makes various changes to the Florida Retirement System and the Florida League of Cities is not taking a position on these provisions.)

Vote on SB 7030:

Yeas:

Dennis Baxley
Bill Galvano
Denise Grimsley
Wilton Simpson – newly appointed to the Committee

Nays:

Kevin Rader
Darryl Rouson
Linda Stewart

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Thank you for your advocacy efforts!