HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

REQUEST FOR INTERIM STUDY PROPOSAL

DATE: June 19, 2025

BY REPRESENTATIVE(S):

Kevin, West; Standridge, Lisa

TOPIC OF THE PROPOSAL:

Oversight of Homeless Shelters.

EXPLANATORY COMMENTS ON THE SCOPE OF THE STUDY PROPOSAL:

(Joint with Senate)

Lay out the many different issues associated with shelters that the communities have to deal with and that are currently rarely discussed in the initial approval stage:

- 1) County Commissioners setting the conditions for shelters in their counties, taking into account the following information.
- 2) Health Department input as to specific requirements for the different types of services provided.
- 3) Law enforcement input as to the specific requirements for the different services that they will have to provide, this will include sheriff's and local police.
- 4) All of this will provide the framework under which the municipalities will have to follow to ensure that the shelter, the shelter residents and the surrounding community are safe and protected.

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