

HB24 ENROLLED



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3 By Representative Hammett (Constitutional Amendment)
4 RFD: Local Legislation
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1 Enrolled, An Act,

2 To propose an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama
3 of 2022, relating to Covington County, to authorize the
4 Legislature to fix, alter, and regulate court costs in the
5 county and provide for their distribution.

6 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

7 Section 1. The following amendment to the Constitution
8 of Alabama of 2022, is proposed:

9 PROPOSED AMENDMENT

10 The Legislature, by local law, may fix, alter, and
11 regulate court costs in Covington County and provide for
12 distribution of the costs.

13 Upon ratification of this constitutional amendment, the
14 Code Commissioner shall number and place this amendment as
15 appropriate in the constitution omitting this instructional
16 paragraph and may make the following nonsubstantive revisions:
17 change capitalization, hierarchy, spelling, and punctuation
18 for purposes of style and uniformity; correct manifest
19 grammatical, clerical, and typographical errors; revise
20 internal or external citations and cross-references; and
21 translate effective dates.

22 END PROPOSED AMENDMENT

23 Section 2. An election upon the proposed amendment
24 shall be held in accordance with Sections 284, 284.01, and 285
25 of the Constitution of Alabama of 2022, and the election laws
26 of this state. The appropriate election official shall assign
27 a ballot number for the proposed constitutional amendment on
28 the election ballot and shall set forth the following



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29 description of the substance or subject matter of the proposed
30 constitutional amendment:

31 "Relating to Covington County, proposing an amendment
32 to the Constitution of Alabama of 2022, to authorize the
33 Legislature to fix, alter, and regulate court costs in the
34 county and provide for their distribution.

35 Proposed by Act ____."

36 This description shall be followed by the following
37 language:

38 "Yes() No()."

39 Section 3. The proposed amendment shall become valid as
40 part of the Constitution of Alabama of 2022, when approved by
41 a majority of the qualified electors voting thereon.

