- 1 HB17
- 2 202670-2
- 3 By Representative South (Constitutional Amendment)
- 4 RFD: Local Legislation
- 5 First Read: 04-FEB-20
- 6 PFD: 01/14/2020

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2 ENROLLED, An Act,

To propose an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, relating to Fayette County; to provide for the levy of an additional fire protection ad valorem tax of three mills on real property to be paid to the Fayette County Firefighters Association to be distributed equally among the paid and volunteer fire departments in the county.

9 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

10 Section 1. The following amendment to the 11 Constitution of Alabama of 1901, is proposed and shall become 12 valid as a part of the Constitution when all requirements of 13 this act are fulfilled:

PROPOSED AMENDMENT

15 In Fayette County, commencing with the levy for the 16 tax year for which taxes will become due and payable on 17 October 1, 2021, there is levied a fire protection tax of three mills on real property. The fire protection tax levied 18 19 in this amendment shall be based upon the value of real property assessed by affected property owners, as shown on the 20 21 records of the Revenue Commissioner of Fayette County, and 22 shall be assessed and collected as are all ad valorem taxes in 23 the county. The amount collected each year from assessment of 24 the fire protection tax shall be paid to the Fayette County

Firefighters Association, to be distributed equally among the
 paid and volunteer fire departments in the county.

Section 2. An election upon the proposed amendment
shall be held in accordance with Section 284 and Section
284.01 of the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, now appearing
as Section 284 and Section 284.01 of the Official
Recompilation of the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, as
amended, and the election laws of this state.

9 Section 3. The appropriate election official shall 10 assign a ballot number for the proposed constitutional 11 amendment on the election ballot and shall set forth the 12 following description of the substance or subject matter of 13 the proposed constitutional amendment:

14 "Relating to Fayette County, proposing an amendment 15 to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, to provide for the 16 levy of an additional fire protection ad valorem tax of three 17 mills on real property to be paid to the Fayette County 18 Firefighters Association to be distributed equally among the 19 paid and volunteer fire departments in the county.

20 "Proposed by Act _____" 21 This description shall be followed by the following 22 language:

23 "Yes () No ()."

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4	Speaker of the House of Representatives
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6	President and Presiding Officer of the Senate
7	House of Representatives
8 9 10	I hereby certify that the within Act originated in and was passed by the House 25-FEB-20.
10 11 12 13	Jeff Woodard Clerk
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16	Senate 06-MAY-20 Passed
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