



Calendar for the Florida Constitution Revision Commission



November 14, 1997

THE COMMISSION WILL CONVENE ON
Friday, November 14, 1997
9:00 a.m.—until completion

Schedule for the week of November 10 - 14, 1997

(This is a schedule of times and places set by the Committee on Rules and Administration and is subject to change.)

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
November 10, 1997	November 11, 1997	November 12, 1997	November 13, 1997	November 14, 1997
	Veterans Day	9:00-9:30 SESSION 9:30-1:00 Bonding and Invests. (NM)* Declaration of Rights Rm. 309 Executive Rm. A Finance and Taxation Rm. EL Judicial Rm. 301	8:30-9:00 Executive Rm. A 9:00-12:00 SESSION	9:00-until completion Session/ Committee Meetings (To Be Announced)
		1:00-2:00 LUNCH	12:00-1:00 LUNCH	LUNCH--TBA
		2:00-until completion of agenda Education Rm. EL Ethics and Elections Rm. 301 General Provisions Rm. A Legislative Rm. C Local Gov. Rm. 309 5:00-6:00 Rules and Admin. Rm. B	1:00-4:00 SESSION Committee Meetings (To Be Announced) 4:00-until completion of agenda Declaration of Rights Rm. 309 5:00-6:00 Rules and Admin. Rm. H	

(NM)* = Not Meeting

Daily Order of Business

1. Roll call
2. Prayer
3. Pledge of allegiance to the flag
4. Receiving communications
5. Introduction of proposals
6. Reports of committees
7. Matters on reconsideration
8. Special order as determined by the Rules and Administration Committee
9. Unfinished business
10. Correction and approval of journal

SPECIAL ORDER AS DETERMINED BY THE RULES AND ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE FOR FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 1997

JUDICIAL

Committee Substitute for Proposals 31 and 55 by Committee on Judicial and Commissioners Sundberg and Zack—ARTICLE V, s. 14, Fla. Const., and create ARTICLE V, s. 21, Fla. Const.; providing for salaries, costs, and expenses of the judiciary, state attorneys, public defenders, and clerks of the circuit court, and their respective staff, to be funded from state revenues appropriated by general law; providing for counties to fund the cost of construction, maintenance, utilities, and security of facilities for the judiciary, public defenders, state attorneys, and clerks of the circuit court, and their respective staffs; requiring the Legislature to appropriate funds according to a phase-in schedule established by general law; authorizing the Legislature to require that counties remit fines, cost, and forfeitures for the purpose of funding the operation of the judiciary, state attorneys, and public defenders.

Approved as a Committee Substitute by the Committee on Judicial (Article V)

EXECUTIVE

Committee Substitute for Proposal 45 by the Committee on Executive and Commissioner Henderson—ARTICLE IV, s. 9, Fla. Const.; creating the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission to be composed initially of the existing members of the Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission and the Marine Fisheries Commission and providing for the powers and duties of the commission.

Approved as a Committee Substitute by the Committee on Executive (Article IV)

Proposal 75 by Commissioner Douglass—ARTICLE IV, Fla. Const.; adding s. 14 to that article; providing for a public service commission to be appointed by the governor, subject to confirmation by the Senate; providing terms of office; providing for the enactment of laws not inconsistent with this section; providing for the subject matter of such laws.

Disapproved by the Committee on Executive (Article IV)

EDUCATION

Proposal 69 by Commissioner Riley—ARTICLE IV, ss. 4, 5, Fla. Const.; providing for the appointment of the Commissioner of Education.

Approved by the Committee on Executive (Article IV)

Proposal 28 by Commissioner Riley—ARTICLE IX, s. 5, Fla. Const.; providing for the appointment of all district school superintendents.

Approved by the Committee on Education (Article IX)

Proposal 22 by Commissioner Rundle—ARTICLE IX, s. 1, Fla. Const.; requiring the first two years of college to be provided at no cost to the students.

Disapproved by the Committee on Education (Article IX)

Proposal 40 by Commissioner Marshall—ARTICLE IX, s. 4, Fla. Const.; authorizing certain counties to be divided into more than one school district.

Approved by the Committee on Education (Article IX)

GENERAL PROVISIONS

Committee Substitute for Proposal 70 by the Committee on General Provisions and Commissioner Mills—ARTICLE X, s. 4, Fla. Const.; providing a value limitation on the homestead exemption; authorizing the legislature to change the amount of the value limitation; providing that the homestead exemption does not apply to certain property.

Approved as a Committee Substitute by the Committee on General Provisions (Articles II, X, XI, and XII)

Committee Substitute for Proposal 47 by the Committee on General Provisions and Commissioner Anthony—ARTICLE VIII, s. 7, Fla. Const. and revise ARTICLE XI, s. 3, Fla. Const.; providing that the power of self-government of a county or municipality may not be diminished except by general law, county charter, or special act approved by the electors of the county or municipality; providing that a constitutional initiative that limits the powers of municipalities or limits the ability of municipalities to raise revenue must be approved by the electors of a municipality in order to take effect within the municipality.

Approved as a Committee Substitute by the Committee on General Provisions (Articles II, X, XI, and XII)

ETHICS AND ELECTIONS

Proposal 7 by Commissioner Mills—ARTICLE II, s. 8, Fla. Const.; authorizing the Florida Commission on Ethics to investigate, on its own initiative or at the request of any person, complaints concerning breach of public trust by certain public officers and employees.

Disapproved by the Committee on Ethics and Elections (Article VI, Part of Article II)

Proposal 63 by Commissioner Rundle—ARTICLE II, s. 8, Fla. Const.; strengthening the powers of the Florida Commission on Ethics.

Disapproved by the Committee on Ethics and Elections (Article VI, Part of Article II)

Proposal 43 by Commissioner Riley—ARTICLE III, s. 15, Fla. Const.; providing additional qualifications on candidates for, and members of, the state Legislature.

Approved by the Committee on Ethics and Elections (Article VI, Part of Article II)

Proposal 82 by Commissioner Corr—ARTICLE VI, s. 5, Fla. Const.; providing that all candidates for election be listed on election ballots.

Disapproved by the Committee on Ethics and Elections (Article VI, Part of Article II)

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Proposal 48 by Commissioner Anthony—ARTICLE VII, s. 18, Fla. Const.; providing that local governments are not bound by certain state legislative mandates.

Disapproved by the Committee on Local Government (Article VIII)

Proposals Placed on Calendar

Proposal 18 by Commissioner Riley—ARTICLE VI, s. 5, Fla. Const.; providing for elections to be held on Saturday and Sunday and prohibiting second primaries.

Disapproved by the Committee on Ethics and Elections (Article VI, Part of Article II)—consideration deferred on November 13, 1997

Proposal 61 by Commissioner Wetherington—ARTICLE V, ss. 10 and 11, Fla. Const.; providing for circuit and county judges to be subject to a vote of retention rather than running for reelection.

Disapproved by the Committee on Judicial (Article V)

Proposal 74 by Commissioner Langley—ARTICLE V, s. 10, Fla. Const.; providing for the election of justices of the supreme court and judges of a district court of appeal; providing for public financing for judicial elections.

Disapproved by the Committee on Judicial (Article V)

Proposal 78 by Commissioner Ford-Coates—ARTICLE VI, s. 4, Fla. Const.; deleting provisions that establish term limits for Florida delegates to Congress.

Approved by the Committee on Ethics and Elections (Article VI, Part of Article II)—consideration deferred on November 13, 1997

Proposal 85 by Commissioner Sundberg—ARTICLE I, s. 24; ARTICLE III, ss. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 11, 15, 16, 17, 19; ARTICLE IV, ss. 6, 7, 9, 13; ARTICLE V, ss. 2, 9, 11, 12, 20; ARTICLE VII, ss. 1, 5, 18; ARTICLE VIII, s. 6; ARTICLE X, ss. 2, 12; ARTICLE XI, ss. 1, 2, 5, 6; ARTICLE XII, ss. 11, 12, 14, Fla. Const.; and to create ARTICLE III, ss. 20, 21, ARTICLE XII, s. 22, Fla. Const.; providing for a unicameral Legislature.

Disapproved by the Committee on Legislative (Article III)—consideration deferred on November 13, 1997