

HB380 INTRODUCED



1 M8MOWW-1
2 By Representatives Rogers, Moore (M) (Constitutional
3 Amendment)
4 RFD: Jefferson County Legislation
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SYNOPSIS:

Under existing law, a person not otherwise prohibited from possessing a firearm may carry a pistol without a permit in the state.

This bill would propose an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama of 2022, relating to Jefferson County, to require a permit to possess a pistol in a vehicle or concealed on one's person in the county.

A BILL
TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

To propose an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama of 2022, relating to Jefferson County; to require a permit for the possession of a pistol in a vehicle or concealed on one's person in the county.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

Section 1. The following amendment to the Constitution of Alabama of 2022, is proposed and shall become valid as a part of the constitution when all requirements of this act are fulfilled:

PROPOSED AMENDMENT



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29 (a) This section shall only apply within Jefferson
30 County.

31 (b) No person shall carry a pistol in any vehicle or
32 concealed on or about his or her person without a permit
33 issued by the sheriff of the county in which they reside. This
34 requirement shall not apply to a person on land under his or
35 her control or in his or her residence or fixed place of
36 business.

37 (c) A violation of this section is Class A misdemeanor,
38 punishable as provided by general law. Upon ratification of
39 this constitutional amendment, the Code Commissioner shall
40 number and place this amendment as appropriate in the
41 constitution omitting this instructional paragraph and may
42 make the following nonsubstantive revisions: change
43 capitalization, spelling, and punctuation for purposes of
44 style and uniformity; correct manifest grammatical, clerical,
45 and typographical errors; and correct incorrect
46 cross-references.

47 Section 2. An election upon the proposed amendment
48 shall be held in accordance with Sections 284 and 284.01 of
49 the Constitution of Alabama of 2022, and the election laws of
50 this state.

51 Section 3. The appropriate election official shall
52 assign a ballot number for the proposed constitutional
53 amendment on the election ballot and shall set forth the
54 following description of the substance or subject matter of
55 the proposed constitutional amendment:

56 "Relating to Jefferson County, proposing an amendment



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57 to the Constitution of Alabama of 2022, to require a permit to
58 possess a pistol in a vehicle or concealed on one's person in
59 the county.

60 Proposed by Act ____."

61 This description shall be followed by the following
62 language:

63 "Yes() No()."