HB 1640 -- Municipal Court Judges

Sponsor: Roorda

This bill allows a municipal court judge to appoint an acting county municipal court judge on a temporary basis if the judge becomes temporarily ill or otherwise unavailable. The person appointed must be currently serving as a municipal court judge in the same judicial circuit. The bill changes the provision which prohibits a municipal court judge from serving as a judge or prosecutor for any other court to only apply to full-time municipal judges.