- 1 HB555
- 2 115952-2
- 3 By Representatives McCampbell and Howard (Constitutional
- 4 Amendment)
- 5 RFD: Local Legislation
- 6 First Read: 11-FEB-10

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8	SYNOPSIS: This bill would propose an amendment to the
9	Constitution of Alabama of 1901, relating to
10	Marengo County, to authorize the Legislature to
11	fix, alter, and regulate court costs in the county
12	and to ratify and confirm any local law authorizing
13	any additional court costs enacted prior to the
14	adoption of this amendment.
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16	A BILL
17	TO BE ENTITLED
18	AN ACT
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20	Relating to Marengo County; proposing an amendment
21	to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, to authorize the
22	Legislature to fix, alter, and regulate court costs in the
23	county and to ratify and confirm any local law authorizing any
24	additional court costs enacted prior to the adoption of this
25	amendment.
26	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

1 Section 1. The following amendment to the 2 Constitution of Alabama of 1901, is proposed and shall become valid as a part of the Constitution when all requirements of 3 this act are fulfilled: PROPOSED AMENDMENT 5 6 The Legislature, by general or local law, may fix, 7 regulate, and alter the costs and charges of courts in Marengo County and provide for their distribution. Any local law 8 9 authorizing the levy of additional court costs in Marengo 10 county enacted prior to the effective date of this amendment is ratified and confirmed. 11 12 Section 2. An election upon the proposed amendment 13 shall be held on the same date as the primary election in June 14 2010, in accordance with Amendment 555 to the Constitution of 15 Alabama of 1901, now appearing as Section 284.01 of the Official Recompilation of the Constitution of 1901, as 16 17 amended, and the election laws of this state. Section 3. The appropriate election official shall 18 assign a ballot number for the proposed constitutional 19 amendment on the election ballot and shall set forth the 20 following description of the substance or subject matter of 21 22 the proposed constitutional amendment: 23 "Relating to Marengo County, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, to authorize the 24 25 Legislature, by local or general act, to fix, regulate, and

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alter the costs and charges of court.

"Proposed by Act ."

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This description shall be followed by the following language:

"Yes ( ) No ( )."