

## Session 126 - (2025-2026)

**H 3510 General Bill, By Gilliam, Davis, M.M. Smith, Vaughan, Chapman, Kirby, Landing, Bustos, Yow, Mitchell, Hart, Williams, Luck, Gagnon and Weeks**

**Summary:** County Veterans' Affairs officers

A BILL TO AMEND THE SOUTH CAROLINA CODE OF LAWS BY AMENDING SECTION 25-11-40, RELATING TO COUNTY VETERANS' AFFAIRS OFFICERS, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT THE SECRETARY OF THE SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS' AFFAIRS SHALL APPOINT ONE COUNTY VETERANS' AFFAIRS OFFICER FOR EACH COUNTY IN THE STATE AND TO PROVIDE THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL APPROPRIATE THE NECESSARY FUNDS FOR TWO FULL-TIME EMPLOYEES IN EACH COUNTY VETERANS' AFFAIRS OFFICE.

12/05/24	House	Prefiled
12/05/24	House	Referred to Committee on Medical, Military, Public and Municipal Affairs
01/14/25	House	Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 229)
01/14/25	House	Referred to Committee on Medical, Military, Public and Municipal Affairs (House Journal-page 229)
01/15/25	House	Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Davis, M.M.Smith
01/16/25	House	Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Vaughan, Chapman, Kirby, Landing, Bustos
02/12/25	House	Committee report: Favorable with amendment Medical, Military, Public and Municipal Affairs (House Journal-page 9)
02/13/25	House	Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Yow, Mitchell
02/18/25	House	Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Hart, Williams, Luck, Gagnon, Weeks
02/18/25	House	Amended (House Journal-page 26)
02/18/25	House	Read second time (House Journal-page 26)
02/18/25	House	Roll call Yeas-109 Nays-0 (House Journal-page 30)
02/19/25	House	Read third time and sent to Senate (House Journal-page 19)
02/19/25	Senate	Introduced and read first time (Senate Journal-page 6)
02/19/25	Senate	Referred to Committee on Family and Veterans' Services (Senate Journal-page 6)
02/19/25		Scrivener's error corrected