

1.1 moves to amend H.F. No. 3123, the first engrossment, as follows:

1.2 Page 2, after line 2 insert:

1.3 "(c) Before making an appointment to fill a vacancy under this subdivision, the school
1.4 board must hold a public hearing not more than 30 days after the vacancy occurs, with
1.5 public notice given in the same manner as for a special meeting of the school board. At the
1.6 public hearing, the board must invite public testimony from persons residing in the district
1.7 relating to the qualifications of prospective appointees to fill the vacancy. Before making
1.8 an appointment, the board must also notify other public officials in the school district of the
1.9 vacancy and the expected appointment, including county commissioners, town supervisors,
1.10 and city council members. The board must enter the names and addresses of the public
1.11 officials notified into the record at the meeting at which the appointment is made."