

1.1 ..... moves to amend H.F. No. 922 as follows:

1.2 Page 3, delete lines 13 to 15 and insert:

1.3 "(a) A peace officer who has probable cause to believe that a child is a petty offender  
1.4 or delinquent child may refer the child to a program that the law enforcement agency with  
1.5 jurisdiction over the child deems appropriate.

1.6 (b) If a peace officer or law enforcement agency refers a child to a program under  
1.7 paragraph (a), the peace officer or law enforcement agency may defer issuing a citation or  
1.8 a notice to the child to appear in juvenile court, transmitting a report to the prosecuting  
1.9 authority, or otherwise initiating a proceeding in juvenile court.

1.10 (c) After receiving notice that a child who was referred to a program under paragraph  
1.11 (a) successfully completed that program, a peace officer or law enforcement agency shall  
1.12 not issue a citation or a notice to the child to appear in juvenile court, transmit a report to  
1.13 the prosecuting authority, or otherwise initiate a proceeding in juvenile court for the conduct  
1.14 that formed the basis of the referral."

1.15 Page 3, line 16, delete "(b)" and insert "(d)"

1.16 Page 3, delete lines 19 to 22