

House Bill 711

By: Representative Smith of the 129th and Buckner of the 130th

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To abolish the office of elected county surveyor of Harris County pursuant to Code Section
2 36-7-2.1 of the O.C.G.A.; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for
3 other purposes.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

5 **SECTION 1.**

6 (a) Pursuant to Code Section 36-7-2.1 of the O.C.G.A., the office of elected county surveyor
7 of Harris County is abolished.

8 (b) The Board of Commissioners of Harris County is authorized but shall not be required to
9 appoint a county surveyor. Any county surveyor appointed by the board of commissioners
10 shall serve at the pleasure of the board of commissioners and under such terms and
11 conditions and for such length of time as such board may deem appropriate. A county
12 surveyor appointed by the board of commissioners shall possess the qualifications as
13 provided in Code Section 36-7-2 of the O.C.G.A.

14 **SECTION 2.**

15 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.