

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
SESSION 2005

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HOUSE BILL 1302

Short Title: Voluntary Agriculture Districts. (Public)

Sponsors: Representatives L. Allen, Hill, Underhill, Walker (Primary Sponsors);
Culp and Wray.

Referred to: Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

April 20, 2005

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

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2 AN ACT TO AMEND THE FARMLAND PRESERVATION ENABLING ACT TO
3 ESTABLISH AN ENHANCED CATEGORY OF VOLUNTARY
4 AGRICULTURAL DISTRICTS THAT OFFERS ADDITIONAL BENEFITS TO
5 OWNERS OF FARMLAND, ADDITIONAL PROTECTION OF FARMLAND
6 FROM NONFARM DEVELOPMENT, AND ADDITIONAL SUPPORT FOR
7 LOCAL FARMING.

8 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

9 **SECTION 1.** Article 61 of Chapter 106 of the General Statutes is amended.

10 **SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2005.