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Whereas, there is currently no adult foster home program or other similar residential facility program to provide an alternative to nursing homes for Indiana seniors;

Whereas, several states have such facilities and have found that they can prevent or delay admission to nursing facilities;

Whereas, these facilities are less expensive than nursing homes when funded through a Medicaid waiver;

Whereas, it is estimated that Indiana Medicaid pays the cost of care for 65.2 percent of all Indiana nursing home residents; and

Whereas, adult foster homes and other similar residential facilities will provide more choices for Indiana citizens in need of long-term care services.

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*Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly
of the State of Indiana, the House of Representatives concurring:*

1 SECTION 1. That the legislative council is urged to establish a
2 study committee to study issues related to the impact of the growing
3 elderly population and the possible creation of an Adult Foster Home
4 program and other similar adult residential living alternatives in
5 Indiana.

6 SECTION 2. That the committee, if established, shall operate
7 under the direction of the legislative council, and that the committee
8 shall issue a final report when directed to do so by the council.

