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Even more Democrats voting for vouchers

Last year, a surprisingly big handful of Democrats in the Florida House voted for an expansion of corporate tax credit vouchers. This morning, 21 did – which is about half of the Democratic caucus. It seems like we've written a [variation on this story](#)



[several times](#), but as long as the number of [Florida Democrats supporting vouchers](#) continues to grow, that's news, isn't it?

[HB 453](#), which would expand the funding base for tax credit vouchers, passed 94-23. The Senate version is still pending.

The Tampa Bay area Dems who [voted](#) yes are Bill Heller, left, and Darryl Rouson of St. Petersburg; Janet Long of Seminole; and Betty Reed and Mike Scionti of Tampa. Rick Kriseman of St. Petersburg voted no.

- Ron Matus, state education reporter

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