HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS
2022 Regular Session
Amendments proposed by Representative Schexnayder to Engrossed House Bill No. 1015
by Representative Schexnayder

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 2, line 14, after "municipalities," and before "for costs" delete "and endorsing parishes" and insert "endorsing parishes, official tourism commissions, convention and visitors bureaus, and official destination marketing organizations,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 3, line 3, after "municipality," and before "or any" delete "or an endorsing parish," and insert "an endorsing parish, official tourism commission, convention and visitors bureau, or official destination marketing organization,"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 3, delete line 19 in its entirety and insert "football kickoff game between two National Collegiate Athletic Association teams, a national"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 3, line 23, delete "Zurich Classic," and insert "Zurich Classic or other PGA Tour event,"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 4, line 3, after "conference," and before "the National" insert "or any team or teams thereof,"

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 4, line 13, after "An" delete the remainder of the line and on line 14, delete "committee" and insert "entity"

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 4, line 17, after "selects" and before "a site" insert "or has selected"

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 4, delete lines 19 and 20 in their entirety and insert the following:

"(a) After holding a bidding or invitation selection process involving required terms and conditions that could be fulfilled by sites not located in Louisiana."

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AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 4, line 27, after "endorsing parish," delete the remainder of the line and insert "endorsing municipality, official tourism commission, convention and visitors bureau, and official destination marketing organization to recruit, solicit, acquire, or organize"

AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 5, at the end of line 1, delete "local", delete line 2 in its entirety, and insert "entity."

AMENDMENT NO. 11
On page 5, line 3, after "received" delete the remainder of the line, on line 4 delete "local organizing committee" and insert "pursuant to this Section"

AMENDMENT NO. 12
On page 6, line 10, after "for" and before "planning" insert "attracting."

AMENDMENT NO. 13
On page 6, line 16, after "to" and before "for" delete "eligible entities" and insert "municipalities, parishes, official tourism commissions, convention and visitors bureaus, official destination marketing organizations, and nonprofit corporations hosting an event"

AMENDMENT NO. 14
On page 6, line 17, after "Louisiana," delete the remainder of the line, delete lines 18 through 20 in their entirety, and insert the following:

"C. An entity shall be eligible to receive funding through the program only if all of the following apply:
   (1) The event is not a "qualified major event" as defined in R.S. 51:1260.
   (2) The event is not held more than one time per year in Louisiana or any other state.
   (3) The applicant submits the application and required documentation no later than one hundred eight days prior to the event. The documentation shall include:
       (a) The total anticipated cost of the event.
       (b) The amount and anticipated sources of funding for the event.
       (c) An economic analysis indicating the event has an anticipated impact of three hundred fifty thousand dollars or greater to the state.
       (d) A proposal for the utilization of the grant funding."

AMENDMENT NO. 15
On page 6, at the beginning of line 21, change "C." to "D."

AMENDMENT NO. 16
On page 6, delete lines 24 through 27 in their entirety and insert the following:

"E. Any grants received pursuant to this Section event may be used for either of the following:
   (1) To pay or reimburse the costs of applying or bidding for selection as the site of the event.
   (2) To pay or reimburse the costs of planning, marketing, or conducting the event."

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AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 7, after line 24, add the following:

"Section 3. On the effective date of this Act, the treasurer is authorized and directed to transfer any remaining balance in the Major Events Incentive Program Subfund of the Mega-Project Development Fund to the Major Events Incentive Fund. Any contract entered into with the secretary of the Department of Economic Development pursuant to the Major Events Incentive Program prior to the effective date of this Act shall be transferred to the lieutenant governor.

Section 4. This Act shall become effective on July 1, 2022."

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