The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Senate Legislative Services. The keyword, summary, and digest do not constitute part of the law or proof or indicia of legislative intent. [R.S. 1:13(B) and 24:177(E)]

DIGEST

SB 78 Original | 2026 Regular Session | Jenkins

Present law (R.S. 33:2740.38) provides for the composition of the board of commissioners of the Shreveport Downtown Development District.

Proposed law retains present law but provides that one member of the board of commissioners shall have a background in urban planning, land use planning, commercial real estate development, commercial real estate construction, commercial district management architecture or engineering.

Present law provides that all members of the authority, other than elected officials shall reside in the district or have their personal principal place of business or office in the district or own property in the district.

Proposed law retains present law but provides that the member with the background in urban planning, land use planning, commercial real estate development, commercial real estate construction, commercial district management architecture or engineering shall not have to reside in the district or have his personal principal place of business or office in the district or own property in the district.

Proposed law will have prospective application only, and will only apply to vacancies that occur, for any cause, after the effective date of proposed law.

Effective August 1, 2026.

(Amends R.S. 33:2740.38(C)(2), (3), and (4); adds R.S. 33:2740.38(C)(5))