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Fiscal Note



Fiscal Note On: **HB 774** HLS 18RS 1055

Bill Text Version: **ORIGINAL**

Opp. Chamb. Action:

Proposed Amd.:

Sub. Bill For.:

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Subject: Public Notice Requirements in Lafayette Parish		

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Exempts taxing authorities in Lafayette Parish from certain public notice requirements regarding increases or renewals of property taxes which are in excess of general requirements for public notices as provided in the open meetings law

Present law provides that certain public notice requirements apply for meetings where a political subdivision intends to levy a property or sales and use tax, or to authorize the calling of an election to submit a question to a vote of the people. Present law requires that notice must also be submitted either by email or hand-delivered to each voting member of the governing authority, and each state senator and representative in whose district the meeting occurs. Present law requires public notice and a press release, in addition to disclosure of relevant agency budget and revenue information, for hearings on millage increases by political subdivisions that may occur without further voter approval. Present law requires that such meetings take place at the governing authority's regular meeting location, and that these meetings be conducted according to an established schedule that is configured to facilitate the attendance of all interested property owners.

Proposed law provides that these requirements are not applicable in Lafayette Parish, but retains all general requirements of the open meetings law. Effective upon governor's signature.

EXPENDITURES	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	5 -YEAR TOTAL
State Gen. Fd.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Agy. Self-Gen.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Ded./Other	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Local Funds	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	\$0
Annual Total	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

REVENUES	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	5 -YEAR TOTAL
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EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental expenditures as a result of this measure.

REVENUE EXPLANATION

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental revenues as a result of this measure.

Senate Dual Referral Rules
 13.5.1 >= \$100,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S&H}
 13.5.2 >= \$500,000 Annual Tax or Fee Change {S&H}

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 6.8(F)(1) >= \$100,000 SGF Fiscal Cost {H & S}
 6.8(G) >= \$500,000 Tax or Fee Increase or a Net Fee Decrease {S}

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