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2018 Regular Session

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 89

BY SENATOR MORRELL

FLOOD PROTECTION AUTH. Expresses the intent of the legislature that only district members of the New Orleans City Council in whose district a non-flood asset is located shall appoint a member to the Non-Flood Protection Asset Management Authority.

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the intent of the Legislature of Louisiana that only members of the New Orleans City Council who represent a New Orleans City Council district in whose district a non-flood asset is located shall appoint a member to the Non-Flood Protection Asset Management Authority.

WHEREAS, the New Orleans City Council has five members who represent council districts A, B, C, D, and E and two members who are council members at large; and

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Louisiana enacted R.S. 38:330.12.1 that creates the Non-Flood Protection Asset Management Authority as a political subdivision to manage, control, regulate, operate, and maintain any non-flood protection facility or improvement asset or function within a levee district within the jurisdiction of a flood protection authority; and

WHEREAS, the introductory paragraph of R.S. 38:330.12.1(C) provides that the Non-Flood Protection Asset Management Authority shall be composed of certain members who shall be subject to Senate confirmation, provided that no elected official shall be appointed to serve as a member of the authority; and

WHEREAS, R.S. 38:330.12.1(C)(4) provides for the appointment of one member to the Non-Flood Protection Asset Management Authority by each New Orleans City Council

member in whose district a non-flood asset is located; and

WHEREAS, R.S. 38:330.12.1(C)(4) does not provide for the appointment of a member to the Non-Flood Protection Asset Management Authority by any New Orleans City Council member who serves as a council member at large.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby express its specific intent that R.S. 38:330.12.1(C)(4) authorizes only a member of the New Orleans City Council who represents a New Orleans City Council district in whose district a non-flood asset is located to appoint a member to the Non-Flood Protection Asset Management Authority.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby express its specific intent that R.S. 38:330.1(C)(4) does not authorize the appointment of a member to the Non-Flood Protection Asset Management Authority by any member of the New Orleans City Council who serves as a council member at large.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to each member of the New Orleans City Council.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Sharon F. Lyles.

DIGEST

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Expresses the specific intent of the Legislature of Louisiana that R.S. 38:330.1(C)(4) does not authorize the appointment of a member to the Non-Flood Protection Asset Management Authority by any member of the New Orleans City Council who serves as a council member at large.