

2018 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 442

BY REPRESENTATIVE THIBAUT

WATERWAYS/LAKES: Delineates the boundary between state ownership and private ownership of the land adjacent to False River

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 9:1110, relative to False River; to provide for a delineation of
3 the boundary between state ownership and private ownership of the land adjacent to
4 the water body; and to provide for related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. R.S. 9:1110 is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

7 §1110. Ownership of land adjacent to False River

8 The title of the owners of land adjacent to that body of water in Pointe
9 Coupee Parish known as False River shall extend to a line delineated by the "Final
10 Map showing survey of the ~~proposed~~ property boundary of the State of Louisiana
11 along False River located in T 4 S - R 10 E & T 5 S - R 10 E Pointe Coupee Parish,
12 Louisiana for The State of Louisiana" ~~completed in June, 2015, with any changes to~~
13 ~~the map approved by the division of administration and the False River Watershed~~
14 ~~Council no later than June 30, 2016. If no action has been taken by either the~~
15 ~~division of administration or the watershed council by June 30, 2016, dated February~~
16 21, 2018, and filed with the Pointe Coupee Parish Clerk of Court. ~~the~~ The line
17 delineated by the map shall be the line that marks the division between land owned
18 by the state and land owned by private persons along the banks of False River.

19 Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not
20 signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature

1 by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If
2 vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become
3 effective on the day following such approval.

DIGEST

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Abstract: Delineates the boundary between state ownership and private ownership of the land adjacent to False River.

Present law provides that title of the owners of land adjacent to False River in Pointe Coupee Parish extends to a line delineated by the "Map showing survey of the proposed property boundary of the State of Louisiana along False River located in T 4 S - R 10 E & T 5 S - R 10 E Pointe Coupee Parish, Louisiana for The State of Louisiana" completed in June, 2015, with any changes to the map approved by the division of administration and the False River Watershed Council no later than June 30, 2016. Further provides that if no action was taken by the division of administration or the watershed council by June 30, 2016, the line delineated by the map is the line that marks the division between land owned by the state and land owned by private persons along the banks of False River.

Proposed law modifies present law by delineating the boundary between state ownership and private ownership of the land adjacent to False River based on the "Final Map showing survey of the property boundary of the State of Louisiana along False River located in T 4 S - R 10 E & T 5 S - R 10 E Pointe Coupee Parish, Louisiana for The State of Louisiana" dated February 21, 2018, and filed with the Pointe Coupee Parish Clerk of Court.

Effective upon signature of governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Amends R.S. 9:1110)