

2021 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 41

BY REPRESENTATIVE MACK

DISTRICTS/WATERWORKS: Provides relative to the membership of the governing board of the Livingston Parish Ward Two Water District

1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 33:3813(C)(7), relative to the Livingston Parish Ward Two Water District; to  
3 provide relative to the membership of the governing board of the district; to provide  
4 for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

5 Notice of intention to introduce this Act has been published  
6 as provided by Article III, Section 13 of the Constitution of  
7 Louisiana.

8 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

9 Section 1. R.S. 33:3813(C)(7) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

10 §3813. Appointments of waterworks commissioners; terms; vacancies

11 \* \* \*

12 C.

13 \* \* \*

14 (7) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Section to the contrary, the  
15 membership of the board of commissioners of the Livingston Parish Ward Two  
16 Water District shall be comprised of seven members. The members shall be  
17 appointed by the governing authority of Livingston Parish.

18 \* \* \*

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.

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#### DIGEST

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HB 41 Engrossed

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**Abstract:** Provides relative to the membership of the governing board of the Livingston Parish Ward Two Water District.

Present law, relative to waterworks districts, provides that such districts shall be governed by a board of five members, to be known as waterworks commissioners.

Present law provides that if one municipality, or any part of a municipality, is included in the district, the board of commissioners shall have eight members, one of the additional members to be appointed by the police jury and the remaining two to be appointed by the governing authority of the municipality. Provides that if two municipalities, or parts of municipalities, are included, each municipal governing authority shall be entitled to appoint one member and the police jury shall be entitled to appoint two additional members. If more than two municipalities are included, the two municipalities having the largest population within the district appoint the two members representing the municipalities and the police jury appoints two additional members.

Present law includes special provisions for the membership of various waterworks districts.

Proposed law provides that the membership of the board of commissioners of the Livingston Parish Ward Two Water District shall be comprised of seven members appointed by the parish governing authority.

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

(Adds R.S. 33:3813(C)(7))