

2022 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 587

BY REPRESENTATIVES HILFERTY AND WILLARD

LEVEES/BDS & DISTRICTS: Modifies the composition of the Lakefront Management Authority

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 38:330.12.1(C)(5) and (7), relative to the composition of the
3 Lakefront Management Authority Board; to provide relative to the appointment of
4 authority members; 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. 38:330.12.1(C)(5) and (7) are hereby amended and reenacted to read
10 as follows:

11 §330.12.1. Lakefront Management Authority; creation; composition; powers, duties,
12 functions

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14 C. The authority shall be composed of the following members who shall be
15 subject to Senate confirmation, provided that no elected official shall be appointed
16 to serve as a member of the authority:

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18 (5) Two members appointed jointly by the presidents of the Lakeshore, Lake
19 Vista, Lake Terrace, and Lake Oaks property owners associations. The associations
20 involved in the appointment of these members shall comply with the following:

Proposed law requires the appointments by the presidents of the Lakeshore, Lake Vista, Lake Terrace, and Lake Oaks property owners associations reside within the residential boundaries of the Lakeshore, Lake Vista, Lake Terrace, and Lake Oaks neighborhoods.

Proposed law requires preference be given to the neighborhood with the least number of representatives appointed for the authority. Also requires nomination and reappointment of the appointees be determined by a majority vote of the presidents of the property owners associations.

Proposed law changes the name of an appointing authority in present law from the Lake Pontchartrain Basin Foundation to the Pontchartrain Conservancy.

(Amends R.S. 38:330.12.1(C)(5) and (7))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The House Floor Amendments to the engrossed bill:

1. Makes technical changes.
2. Delete the provision that identified the number of members of the authority.
3. Revert back to present law by changing the number of appointments from the presidents of the Lakeshore, Lake Vista, Lake Terrace, and Lake Oaks property owners associations from four members selected by each of the property owners associations to two members selected jointly by the presidents of the property owners associations.
4. Require the appointments by Lakeshore, Lake Vista, Lake Terrace, and Lake Oaks property owners associations reside within the residential boundaries of the Lakeshore, Lake Vista, Lake Terrace, and Lake Oaks neighborhoods.
5. Require preference be given to the neighborhood with the least number of representatives appointed for the authority.
6. Require nomination and reappointment of the appointees by the presidents of the property owners associations be determined by a majority vote.
7. Change the name of an appointing authority from Lake Pontchartrain Basin Foundation to the Pontchartrain Conservancy.