
DIGEST

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Abstract: Changes the qualifications for certain members of the governing board for the municipal civil service system in the city of Zachary.

Present law establishes a classified civil service embracing the positions of employment and the officers and employees of the municipal government for the city of Zachary. Provides that the municipal employees civil service board is composed of five members.

Proposed law retains present law.

Present law requires a person, in order to be eligible for appointment to or for service as a member of the board, to be a citizen of the U.S., a resident of the city of Zachary for at least five years next preceding his appointment, and, at the time of his appointment, a qualified registered voter of the municipality.

Proposed law retains present law but provides an exception for the two members elected by the employees in the classified service from among their membership. Provides that the employees are not required to be residents of the city of Zachary preceding their election. Requires the employees, at the time of their election, to be qualified registered voters of the municipality in which they reside.

(Amends Act No. 557 of 1974 R.S., §3(B))