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Fiscal Note

Fiscal Note On: **HB 527** HLS 09RS 433
 Bill Text Version: **ENROLLED**
 Opp. Chamb. Action:
 Proposed Amd.:
 Sub. Bill For.:

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Subject: Creation of the Authority	

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 Creates the Grant Parish Recreation Authority

Purpose of Bill: This measure creates the Grant Parish Recreation Authority in Grant Parish as a political subdivision of the state of Louisiana, and provides for the governance, powers, duties, and funding of the district. The district will be managed by a seven-member board of commissioners.

EXPENDITURES	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	5 -YEAR TOTAL
State Gen. Fd.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Agy. Self-Gen.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Ded./Other	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Local Funds	SEE BELOW	SEE BELOW	SEE BELOW	SEE BELOW	SEE BELOW	
Annual Total	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

REVENUES	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	5 -YEAR TOTAL
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EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION

Local expenditures may increase by an indeterminate amount as a result of this measure.

The measure allows the authority to acquire, use and sell property, and enter into contracts. Members of the board serve without compensation. The authority may employ a director of parks and recreation and other staff. The authority shall have the power to levy ad valorem taxes, sales tax, and issue general obligation and revenue bonds; however, these are all subject to voter approval. If the district chooses to present a tax or general obligation bonds for voter approval, the district will incur election expenses.

REVENUE EXPLANATION

Local revenues may increase by an indeterminate amount as a result of this measure.

The measure authorizes the authority to: collect charges for facilities and services; incur debt and issue general obligation bonds and revenue bonds (after approval from the state bond commission); levy ad valorem taxes (up to 6 mills) and sales and use taxes (up to 0.5%) after approval by the voters; charge fees and rentals for its facilities and services rendered by it; and enter into cooperative financing and development agreements.

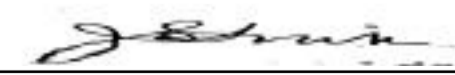
Senate

Dual Referral Rules

- 13.5.1 >= \$500,000 Annual Fiscal Cost
- 13.5.2 >= \$500,000 Annual Tax or Fee Change

House

- 6.8(F) >= \$500,000 Annual Fiscal Cost
- 6.8(G) >= \$500,000 Tax or Fee Increase or a Net Fee Decrease


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