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HB 24 Engrossed

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Abstract: Provides for changes to the board of directors of the West Baton Rouge Parish Tourist Commission.

<u>Present law</u> provides that the governing authority of any parish may form and create a tourist commission. Specifically creates certain tourist commissions including the West Baton Rouge Parish Tourist Commission composed of all the territory in West Baton Rouge Parish. Provides that, unless provided otherwise, a commission shall be governed by a board of seven directors to be appointed by the governing authority of the parish.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that the West Baton Rouge Parish Tourist Commission shall be governed by a board of nine directors. Further provides that the additional members provided for by <u>proposed law</u> shall be appointed as follows:

- (1) One member shall be appointed by the board of directors of the tourist commission.
- (2) One member shall be appointed by the governing authority of West Baton Rouge Parish.

Proposed law otherwise retains present law.

(Adds R.S. 33:4574(F)(10))