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2017 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 587

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BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER

DISTRICTS/WATERWORKS: Provides relative to the Prairie Road Water District in Ouachita Parish

AN ACT

2	To enact R.S. 33:3819(L), relative to the Prairie Road Water District in Ouachita Parish; to
3	provide with respect to the per diem paid to members of the board of commissioners;
4	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. 33:3819(L) is hereby enacted to read as follows:
10	§3819. Meetings of commissioners; meeting place; absences; compensation
11	* * *
12	L. Notwithstanding the provisions of Subsection A of this Section, the
13	governing authority of Ouachita Parish may authorize the treasurer of the Prairie
14	Road Water District to pay the commissioners of the district a per diem not to exceed
15	sixty-one dollars, otherwise in accordance with Subsection A of this Section.

DIGEST

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Abstract: Increases the maximum per diem for commissioners of the Prairie Road Water District in Ouachita Parish.

<u>Present law</u> authorizes parishes to create waterworks districts, which have control of water systems in the respective districts. Provides for meetings of the board of commissioners of any such district.

<u>Present law</u> authorizes a per diem of up to \$60 for waterworks district commissioners for attendance at meetings for up to 24 regular meetings and 12 special meetings each year.

<u>Proposed law</u> increases to \$61 the maximum per diem for commissioners of the Prairie Road Water District in Ouachita Parish.

(Adds R.S. 33:3819(L))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The Committee Amendments Proposed by <u>House Committee on Municipal, Parochial</u> and <u>Cultural Affairs</u> to the <u>original</u> bill:

1. Change the <u>proposed law</u> maximum per diem authorized to be paid to the Prairie Road Water District commissioners <u>from</u> \$150 <u>to</u> \$61.