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<u>Present law</u> (R.S. 40:1496) provides for the composition of the board of commissioners for fire protection districts.

<u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u> and provides that the board of commissioners of the St. George Fire Protection District shall consist of five members. The city of St. George City Council shall appoint three members. The East Baton Rouge Metropolitan Council shall appoint one member to the board of commissioners. The four appointed members of the board of commissioners shall appoint the fifth member.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that initial terms of three of the commissioners shall be one year and the initial terms of two commissioners shall be two years as determined by lot. All subsequent terms of commissioners shall be two years.

Effective August 1, 2025.

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(Adds R.S. 40:1496(J))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Committee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs to the original bill

1. Changes the appointment of commissioners of the St. George Fire Protection District.