RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

ACT 69 (HB 191)

2025 Regular Session

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<u>Existing law</u> creates the Lakewood Crime Prevention and Improvement District in Orleans Parish as a political subdivision to aid in crime prevention by providing security for district residents and funding beautification and other activities and improvements for the overall betterment of the district. Provides for district boundaries, governance, and powers and duties.

<u>Existing law</u> authorizes the governing authority of the city of New Orleans to impose and collect a parcel fee within the district, subject to voter approval. Requires that the fee be imposed on each parcel within the district, including parcels upon which there is no structure.

<u>Prior law</u> provided that the fee amount could not to exceed \$450 per parcel per year. <u>New</u> law increases the maximum fee amount from \$450 to \$600 per parcel per year.

<u>Prior law</u> provided that the initial election on the question of the fee was to be held at the same time as the regularly scheduled election in the city of New Orleans on Nov. 2, 2004, or a regularly scheduled election in the city held after that date. <u>New law</u> removes <u>prior law</u>.

<u>Prior law</u> provided that the fee expired on Dec. 31st after the 2010 mayoral election for the city of New Orleans.

<u>New law</u> removes <u>prior law</u> and provides that the fee expires at the time provided in the proposition authorizing the fee, not to exceed eight years.

Effective upon signature of governor (June 4, 2025).

(Amends 33:9091.8(F)(2)(a) and (4)(c); Repeals R.S. 33:9091.8(F)(4)(b))