

Regular Session, 2013

HOUSE BILL NO. 259

BY REPRESENTATIVE TERRY LANDRY

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 33:130.532(A), relative to the Hopkins Street Economic  
3 Development District in New Iberia; to provide relative to the membership of the  
4 district's board of commissioners; to provide for technical changes; and to provide  
5 for related matters.

6 Notice of intention to introduce this Act has been published  
7 as provided by Article III, Section 13 of the Constitution of  
8 Louisiana.

9 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

10 Section 1. R.S. 33:130.532(A) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:  
11 §130.532. Board of commissioners; members; officers; employees

12 A.(1) The district shall be governed by a board of commissioners consisting  
13 of seven voting members ~~appointed by the Hopkins Street Revitalization~~  
14 ~~Association, Incorporated as set out herein provided by this Subsection.~~ The initial  
15 term shall be two years. At the termination of the initial terms of office each term  
16 thereafter shall be for three years. A board member may succeed himself.

17 (2)(a) One ~~name submitted~~ member shall be appointed by the Hopkins Street  
18 Revitalization Association, Incorporated.

19 (b) One ~~name submitted~~ member shall be appointed by the Southwest  
20 Leadership Training and Development Association.

21 (c) One ~~name submitted~~ member shall be appointed by the ~~Leo J. Hardy~~  
22 ~~Branch~~ Iberia Parish Chapter of the National Association for the Advancement of  
23 Colored People.

24 (d) The state representative, or his designee, from the state representative  
25 district ~~number forty-eight~~ that includes all or a majority of the Hopkins Street  
26 Economic Development District, shall be a member.

1 (e) The state senator, or his designee, from the state senate district number  
2 ~~twenty-two~~ that includes all or a majority of the Hopkins Street Economic  
3 Development District, shall be a member.

4 (f) The New Iberia City Council member representing city council district  
5 number two, or his designee, shall be a member.

6 (g) The New Iberia City Council member representing city council district  
7 number five, or his designee, shall be a member.

8 (h) The mayor of the city of New Iberia, or his designee, ~~who~~ shall serve as  
9 a ~~non-voting~~ nonvoting member.

10 (3) Each ~~nominee~~ appointee pursuant to Subparagraph (2)(a), (b), or (c) of  
11 this Subsection shall be submitted to the board of commissioners for confirmation.

12 (4) ~~Nominees for~~ Appointees to the board of commissioners shall be  
13 submitted to the secretary-treasurer of the district within forty-five days after  
14 notification of a board vacancy. In the event that the entity responsible for the  
15 ~~nomination~~ appointment of such member fails to provide the board of commissioners  
16 with a ~~nominee~~ an appointee for each such vacancy to be filled, within forty-five  
17 days of such vacancy, the board of commissioners shall appoint an interim successor  
18 to serve until the position is filled by the respective ~~nominating~~ appointing entity as  
19 provided for in Paragraph A(2) ~~of this Section~~ (2) of this Subsection.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_

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