

## OFFICE OF LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR Fiscal Note

Fiscal Note On: **HB** 577 HLS 14RS 531

Bill Text Version: ORIGINAL

Opp. Chamb. Action: Proposed Amd.:

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**Dept./Agy.:** Waterworks District No. 3 of Rapides Parish

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**Subject:** Acquisition of water system

DISTRICTS/WATERWORKS

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Sub. Bill For .:

**Purpose of Bill:** This measure authorizes Waterworks District No. 3 of Rapides Parish to acquire, by donation, one privately owned water system located in Grant Parish.

Authorizes Waterworks District No. 3 of Rapides Parish to acquire a privately owned water system located in Grant Parish

EXPENDITURES	<u>2014-15</u>	<u>2015-16</u>	<u>2016-17</u>	<u>2017-18</u>	<u> 2018-19</u>	<u>5 -YEAR TOTAL</u>
State Gen. Fd.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Agy. Self-Gen.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Ded./Other	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Local Funds	<u>\$3,500</u>	<u>\$3,500</u>	<u>\$3,500</u>	<u>\$3,500</u>	<u>\$3,500</u>	<u>\$17,500</u>
Annual Total	\$3,500	\$3,500	\$3,500	\$3,500	\$3,500	\$17,500
REVENUES	2014-15	<u>2015-16</u>	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	5 -YEAR TOTAL
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Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Local Funds	<u>\$18,000</u>	\$18,000	<u>\$18,000</u>	<u>\$18,000</u>	<u>\$18,000</u>	<u>\$90,000</u>

## EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION

Local fund expenditures may increase by approximately \$3,500 annually.

According to officials with Waterworks District No. 3 of Rapides Parish (the District), operating the newly acquired water system will increase expenditures by an estimated \$3,500 annually (labor costs and maintenance).

## **REVENUE EXPLANATION**

Local fund revenue may increase by approximately \$18,000 annually.

According to officials with the District, acquiring the privately owned water system is anticipated to increase revenue by approximately \$18,000 annually. The calculation is based on 162 currently active meters at the average monthly charge per meter of \$34 (162  $\times$  \$34 = approximately \$5,500). The District currently sells water to the privately owned system at an average of \$4,000 per month. Therefore the net increase in annual revenue to the District would be \$18,000. (\$5,500 - \$4,000 = \$1,500  $\times$  12 months = \$18,000 annually).

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