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Abstract: Provides for a clarification with respect to the first regular meeting of the board of aldermen at which municipal officials are appointed by the mayor.

Present law, relative to Lawrason Act municipalities, requires the mayor to appoint a clerk, tax collector, and other municipal officials at the first regular meeting of the board of aldermen succeeding each regular municipal election. Provides that terms of the clerk, tax collector, nonelected chief of police, street commissioner, municipal attorney, and court magistrate end at the time of the first regular meeting of the board of aldermen succeeding each regular municipal election.

Proposed law clarifies that the mayor makes the appointments provided for in present law at the first regular meeting of the board of aldermen elected at a regular municipal election. Additionally clarifies that the terms of the municipal officers provided for in present law end at the first regular meeting of the board of aldermen elected at a regular municipal election.

(Amends R.S. 33:386(A) and (D))