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## DIGEST

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**Abstract:** Increases the per diem received by the board of commissioners of the Tangipahoa Parish Recreation District No. 3.

Present law authorizes the police jury in any parish in the state to create recreation districts. Provides that the purposes of such districts are to own and operate playgrounds and other facilities or to engage in activities which would promote recreation and any related activity designed to encourage recreation and promote the general health and well-being of youths. Provides for their powers and duties.

Present law provides that a recreation district is governed by a board of five commissioners and provides for their appointments and terms of office. Provides that the commissioners shall receive a per diem of \$10 for each meeting they attend, to be paid from district funds, not to exceed 12 meetings per year.

Present law provides for an exception for each commissioner of a recreation district in the parishes of Tangipahoa and Terrebonne, who receive a per diem of \$25.

Proposed law increases the per diem received by commissioners of Tangipahoa Parish Recreation District No. 3 from \$25 to \$125.

Proposed law otherwise retains present law.

(Amends R.S. 33:4564(D))