Regular Session, 2011

HOUSE BILL NO. 504

BY REPRESENTATIVE LANDRY

Prefiled pursuant to Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b)(i) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

MUNICIPALITIES: Provides relative to the use of certain revenues in certain municipalities

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4574.1.1(S), relative to cooperative endeavor agreements for the use of funds received from a parish tourist commission; to authorize such agreements between local school boards and certain municipalities relative to youth recreation; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 33:4574.1.1(S) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

§4574.1.1. Occupancy taxes levied by the commissions

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S. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, any Lawrason Act municipality having a population of less than one thousand persons according to the most recent federal decennial census which receives money from a parish tourist commission may enter into a cooperative endeavor agreement with its local school board to use the funds for youth recreation.

Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on the day following such approval.

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DIGEST

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Abstract: Authorizes cooperative endeavor agreements regarding funds received from a parish tourist commission between certain municipalities and their school boards relative to youth recreation.

Present constitution (Art. VII, Sec. 14) authorizes the state or its political subdivisions to enter into cooperative endeavor agreements with the state, other political subdivisions, or with any public or private association, corporation, or individual, for public purposes.

Present constitution (Art. VI, Sec. 44(2)) defines "political subdivision" to mean "a parish, municipality, and any other unit of local government, including a school board and a special district, authorized by law to perform governmental functions".

Proposed law authorizes municipalities with populations less than 1,000 persons to enter into such cooperative endeavor agreements with local school boards to use any monies the municipalities may receive from their parish tourist commission for youth recreation.

Effective upon signature of governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Adds R.S. 33:4574.1.1(S))

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