

House Bill No. 1095

An act relating to the Tohopekaliga Water Authority, Osceola County; amending chapter 2003-368, Laws of Florida; providing for additional board members to be appointed pursuant to an interlocal agreement with the authority; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Subsection (1) of section 6 of chapter 2003-368, Laws of Florida, is amended to read:

Section 6. Governing Body.

(1) The governing body of the Authority shall consist of five permanent members and one or more interlocal members, as may be appointed, acting as the Board of Supervisors, each of whom shall serve a term of 3 years commencing on October 1, provided the procedure for appointment of members of the Board of Supervisors and their initial terms of office shall be as follows:

(a) Board Supervisor No. 1 and Board Supervisor No. 2 shall serve for initial terms of approximately 2 years, ending on September 30, 2005. Board Supervisor No. 1 shall be appointed by the Osceola County Board of County Commissioners. Board Supervisor No. 2 shall be appointed by the City Commission of the City of Kissimmee.

(b) Board Supervisor No. 3 and Board Supervisor No. 4 shall serve initial terms of approximately 3 years, ending on September 30, 2006. Board Supervisor No. 3 shall be appointed by the Osceola Board of County Commissioners. Board Supervisor No. 4 shall be appointed by the City Commission of the City of Kissimmee.

(c) Board Supervisor No. 5 shall serve an initial term of approximately 4 years, ending September 30, 2007. Board Supervisor No. 5 shall be collectively appointed by joint resolution of the Osceola County Board of County Commissioners and the City Commission of the City of Kissimmee and shall serve as the Chairperson of the Board of Supervisors.

(d) By resolution, one additional Board Supervisor may be appointed by each additional general-purpose local government that has adopted a resolution authorizing the Authority to provide services and facilities within a service area within its boundaries and that has entered into an interlocal agreement with the Authority authorizing the Authority to provide its potable or nonpotable water or wastewater management or delivery services or programs to retail customers within such service area, provided such interlocal agreement expressly provides for the appointment of such interlocal member of the Board of Supervisors. Such appointment shall be effective only for so long as the interlocal agreement is effective. Any interlocal member appointed to the Board of Supervisors shall serve an initial term of not more than 3 years, ending on September 30 of the final year of the term.

Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.

Approved by the Governor June 12, 2007.

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