CHAPTER 2009-265

House Bill No. 1371

An act relating to Panama City, Bay County; amending chapter 63-1757, Laws of Florida, as amended; deleting provisions relating to specific items the planning board must take into consideration in its plans; removing the requirement that the members of the city commission and the city manager be ex officio members of the planning board; providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Section 260 of chapter 63-1757, Laws of Florida, as amended, is amended to read:

Section 260. Creation; membership; duties; adoption of plans. The city commission may provide by ordinance for the establishment of a city planning board, the members of which shall serve without compensation, and it shall be the duty of such board to procure and suggest plans for the arrangement of the city with a view to its general improvements and probable future growth and demands, these plans to take into consideration the extension of the city works into adjacent territory, improvement and changes in public utilities, and lines of transportation by surface and water; the location, widths and grades of highways necessary for the best treatment of the city; the development and improvement of waterfronts with seawalls and wharves; the location and design of public buildings; municipal decoration and ornamentation; and such further extensions of and additions to the park and boulevard system as may be deemed advisable. The members of the city commission and the city manager shall be ex officio members of the city planning board.

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

Approved by the Governor June 16, 2009.

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