

1-1 By: White (Senate Sponsor - Nichols) H.B. No. 1570
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House April 15, 2019;
1-3 April 16, 2019, read first time and referred to Committee on
1-4 Intergovernmental Relations; May 6, 2019, reported favorably by
1-5 the following vote: Yeas 6, Nays 0; May 6, 2019, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
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1-15 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-16 AN ACT

1-17 relating to the board of directors of the Rayburn Country Municipal
1-18 Utility District.

1-19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-20 SECTION 1. Sections 7(a) and (e), Chapter 1086, Acts of the
1-21 70th Legislature, Regular Session, 1987, are amended to read as
1-22 follows:

1-23 (a) The district is governed by a board of five [~~seven~~]
1-24 directors.

1-25 (e) If any of the directors listed in Subsection (d) of this
1-26 section fails to qualify for office, the remaining directors shall
1-27 appoint someone to fill the vacancy for the unexpired term. If at
1-28 any time the number of qualified directors is less than three [~~four~~]
1-29 because of the failure or refusal of one or more directors to
1-30 qualify or serve, because of death or incapacitation, or for any
1-31 other reason, the Commissioners Court of Jasper County shall
1-32 appoint the necessary number of directors to fill all vacancies on
1-33 the board.

1-34 SECTION 2. Section 9, Chapter 1086, Acts of the 70th
1-35 Legislature, Regular Session, 1987, is amended to read as follows:

1-36 Sec. 9. ELECTION OF DIRECTORS. An [~~Beginning in the second~~
1-37 ~~year following the confirmation and directors' election, an~~
1-38 election shall be held on the uniform election date [~~third~~
1-39 ~~Saturday~~] in May in each even-numbered year [~~every two years~~] to
1-40 elect the appropriate number of directors to the board.

1-41 SECTION 3. Section 7(g), Chapter 1086, Acts of the 70th
1-42 Legislature, Regular Session, 1987, is repealed.

1-43 SECTION 4. (a) Except as provided by Subsection (b), the
1-44 changes in law made by this Act do not affect the entitlement of a
1-45 member serving on the board of directors of the Rayburn Country
1-46 Municipal Utility District immediately before the effective date of
1-47 this Act to continue to serve as a member of the board for the
1-48 remainder of the member's term.

1-49 (b) On the effective date of this Act, positions 6 and 7, as
1-50 designated by the district, are abolished.

1-51 SECTION 5. (a) The legal notice of the intention to
1-52 introduce this Act, setting forth the general substance of this
1-53 Act, has been published as provided by law, and the notice and a
1-54 copy of this Act have been furnished to all persons, agencies,
1-55 officials, or entities to which they are required to be furnished
1-56 under Section 59, Article XVI, Texas Constitution, and Chapter 313,
1-57 Government Code.

1-58 (b) The governor, one of the required recipients, has
1-59 submitted the notice and Act to the Texas Commission on
1-60 Environmental Quality.

1-61 (c) The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality has filed

2-1 its recommendations relating to this Act with the governor, the
2-2 lieutenant governor, and the speaker of the house of
2-3 representatives within the required time.

2-4 (d) All requirements of the constitution and laws of this
2-5 state and the rules and procedures of the legislature with respect
2-6 to the notice, introduction, and passage of this Act are fulfilled
2-7 and accomplished.

2-8 SECTION 6. This Act takes effect September 1, 2019.

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