

By Senator Laurent

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1                                   A bill to be entitled  
2           An act relating to the Lake Region Lakes  
3           Management District, Polk County; amending  
4           chapter 8378, Laws of Florida, 1919, as  
5           amended; expanding the territorial boundaries  
6           of the district; providing an effective date.

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

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10           Section 1. Section 1 of chapter 8378, Laws of Florida,  
11   1919, as amended by section 1 of chapter 90-499, Laws of  
12   Florida, as amended by section 2 of chapter 97-344, Laws of  
13   Florida, is amended to read:

14           Section 1. Purpose and Territorial Boundaries.--That  
15   for the purpose of acquiring, constructing, operating,  
16   maintaining and protecting a system of boat canals, drainage  
17   canals, dams, locks and other proper and necessary works in  
18   connection therewith, for the purpose of aiding in flood  
19   control, lake level management, and protecting, maintaining  
20   and improving the water quality in the lakes and canals in  
21   conjunction with state, county and city agencies, for the  
22   purpose of connecting the lakes within or adjacent to the  
23   boundaries hereinafter prescribed and for moving waters out of  
24   such lakes, and for the purpose of promoting access to the  
25   lakes and the public convenience, utility and welfare, the  
26   Lake Region Lakes Management District (the "district"), in  
27   Polk County has been created and established, and is hereby  
28   confirmed, as an independent special district, the territorial  
29   boundaries of which are as follows, to wit:

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1           Beginning at the center of east line of section  
2           2, or township twenty-eight (28) south, of  
3           range twenty-six (26) east; thence south with  
4           section line between section one (1) and two  
5           (2), eleven (11) and twelve (12), thirteen (13)  
6           and fourteen (14), twenty-three (23) and  
7           twenty-four (24), to the northeast corner of  
8           section twenty-six (26) said township and  
9           range;  
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11           Thence east on section line to northeast corner  
12           of northwest quarter of section twenty-five  
13           (25), thence south with the half section line  
14           to the center of section thirteen (13),  
15           township 29 south, range 26 east;  
16  
17           Thence west on the half section line to the  
18           southwest corner of the northwest quarter of  
19           section line to the southwest corner of the  
20           northwest quarter of section sixteen (16) said  
21           township and range;  
22  
23           Thence north with section line to the northwest  
24           corner of the southwest quarter of section four  
25           (4), said township and range;  
26  
27           Thence west with the half section line to  
28           center of section six (6) said township and  
29           range;  
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1           Thence north with half section line to the  
2           northwest corner of northeast quarter   (NE  
3           1/4 ) of section thirty-one (31), township 28  
4           south, range 26 east;  
5  
6           Thence west with section line to southeast  
7           corner of section twenty-five (25), township 28  
8           south, range 25 east;  
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10          Thence north with the section line to the  
11          northeast corner of section twenty-four (24),  
12          said township and range;  
13  
14          Thence west to center of north line of section  
15          twenty-four (24); thence north with half  
16          section line to center of section one (1),  
17          township 28, range 25;  
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19          Thence east with the half section line to the  
20          northeast corner of southeast quarter   (SE  
21          1/4 ) of section two (2), township 28 south,  
22          range 26 east, the point of beginning;  
23          embracing within said district the following  
24          lands, viz;  
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26          The south half of sections two, three, four,  
27          five and six and all of sections seven, eight,  
28          nine, ten, eleven, fourteen, fifteen, sixteen,  
29          seventeen, eighteen, nineteen, twenty,  
30          twenty-one, twenty-two, twenty-three,  
31          twenty-six, twenty-seven, twenty-eight,

1 twenty-nine, thirty, thirty-two, thirty-three,  
2 thirty-four, and thirty-five and the west half  
3 of sections twenty-five and thirty-six and the  
4 east half of section thirty-one in township 28  
5 south, range 26 east and all of sections two,  
6 three, four, nine, ten and eleven, and the west  
7 half of section one and twelve and the north  
8 half of sections five, fourteen, fifteen and  
9 sixteen and the northeast quarter of section  
10 six and the northwest quarter of section  
11 thirteen in township 29 south, range 26 east,  
12 and the east half of sections twelve and  
13 thirteen, and the southeast quarter of section  
14 one in township 28 south, range 25 east; and:-

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16 Beginning at the Northwest corner of Section 2,  
17 Township 28 South, Range 26 East, Polk County,  
18 Florida;

19  
20 Run thence Easterly, along the north line  
21 thereof, to the Northeast corner of the West  
22 one-half of the Northeast quarter of said  
23 Section 2;

24  
25 Thence Southerly, along said east line of the  
26 west one-half of the Northeast quarter of said  
27 Section 2, to the Southeast corner thereof;

28  
29 Thence Westerly, along the south line of the  
30 west one-half of the Northeast quarter and the  
31 south line of the Northwest quarter of said

1           Section 2, to the Southeast corner of the north  
2           one-half of Section 3, Township 28 South, Range  
3           26 East;  
4  
5           Thence continue Westerly, along the south line  
6           of the North one-half of said Section 3, to the  
7           southeast corner of the north one-half of  
8           Section 4, Township 28 South, Range 26 East;  
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10          Thence continue Westerly, along the south line  
11          of the north one-half of said Section 4, to the  
12          southeast corner of the north one-half of  
13          Section 5, Township 28 South, Range 26 East;  
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15          Thence continue Westerly, along the south line  
16          of the north one-half of said Section 5, to the  
17          southeast corner of the north one-half of  
18          Section 6, Township 28 South, Range 26 East;  
19  
20          Thence continue Westerly, along the south line  
21          of the north one-half of said Section 6, to the  
22          southeast corner of the Northeast quarter of  
23          Section 1, Township 28 South, Range 25 East;  
24  
25          Thence continue Westerly, along the south line  
26          of the Northeast quarter and the south line of  
27          the Northwest quarter of said Section 1, to the  
28          southwest corner of the East one-half of the  
29          Northwest quarter of said Section 1;  
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1        Thence Northerly, along the west line of the  
2        East one-half of the Northwest quarter of said  
3        Section 1, to the northwest corner thereof;  
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5        Thence Easterly, along the north line of the  
6        East one-half of the Northwest quarter of said  
7        section 1, to the southwest corner of the South  
8        one-half of the Southeast quarter of Section  
9        36, Township 27 South, Range 25 East;  
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11       Thence Northerly, along the west line of the  
12       South one-half of the Southeast quarter of said  
13       Section 36, to the northwest corner thereof;  
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15       Thence Easterly, along the north line of the  
16       South one-half of the Southeast quarter of said  
17       Section 36, to the northeast corner thereof,  
18       also being a point on the westerly line of  
19       Section 31, Township 27 South, Range 26 East;  
20  
21       Thence Northerly, along the west line of said  
22       Section 31, to the southwest corner of Section  
23       30, Township 27 South, Range 26 East;  
24  
25       Thence continue Northerly, along the west line  
26       of said Section 30, to the southwest corner of  
27       Section 19, Township 27 South, Range 26 East;  
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29       Thence continue Northerly, along the west line  
30       of said Section 19, to the northwest corner  
31       thereof;

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2       Thence Easterly, along the north line of said  
3       Section 19, to the northwest corner of Section  
4       20, Township 27 South, Range 26 East;  
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6       Thence continue Easterly, along the north line  
7       of said Section 20, to the southwest corner of  
8       the Southeast quarter of the Southeast quarter  
9       of Section 17, Township 27 South, Range 26  
10       East;  
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12       Thence Northerly, along the west line of the  
13       Southeast quarter of the Southeast quarter of  
14       said Section 17, to the northwest corner  
15       thereof;  
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17       Thence Easterly, along the north line of the  
18       Southeast quarter of the Southeast quarter of  
19       said Section 17, to the northeast corner  
20       thereof;  
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22       Thence Southerly, along the east line of the  
23       Southeast quarter of the Southeast quarter of  
24       said Section 17, to the Northwest corner of  
25       Section 21, Township 27 South, Range 26 East;  
26  
27       Thence Easterly, along the north line of said  
28       Section 21, to the northeast corner thereof;  
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30       Thence Southerly, along the east line of said  
31       Section 21, to the northwest corner of the

1           Southwest quarter of Section 22, Township 27  
2           South, Range 26 East;  
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4           Thence Easterly, along the north line of the  
5           Southwest quarter of said Section 22, to the  
6           northeast corner thereof;  
7  
8           Thence Southerly, along the east line of the  
9           Southwest quarter of said Section 22, to the  
10          southeast corner thereof, also being a point on  
11          the north line of Section 27, Township 27  
12          South, Range 26 East;  
13  
14          Thence Easterly, along the north line of said  
15          Section 27, to the northeast corner thereof;  
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17          Thence Southerly, along the east line of said  
18          Section 27, to the northeast corner of Section  
19          34, Township 27 South, Range 26 East;  
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21          Thence continue Southerly, along the east line  
22          of said Section 34, to the southeast corner  
23          thereof and the Point of Beginning.  
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25          All of the above lands lying in Polk County,  
26          Florida.  
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28          Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a  
29 law.  
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