

Amendment No. (for drafter's use only)

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

House

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1 Representative Spratt offered the following:

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3 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

4 Between lines 377 and 378 insert:

5 Section 3. Paragraph (e) of subsection (2) of section
6 373.073, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

7 373.073 Governing board.--

8 (2) Membership on governing boards shall be selected from
9 candidates who have significant experience in one or more of the
10 following areas, including, but not limited to: agriculture, the
11 development industry, local government, government-owned or
12 privately owned water utilities, law, civil engineering,
13 environmental science, hydrology, accounting, or financial
14 businesses. Notwithstanding the provisions of any other general
15 or special law to the contrary, vacancies in the governing
16 boards of the water management districts shall be filled

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17 according to the following residency requirements, representing
18 areas designated by the United States Water Resources Council in
19 United States Geological Survey, River Basin and Hydrological
20 Unit Map of Florida--1975, Map Series No. 72:

21 (e) Southwest Florida Water Management District:

- 22 1. Two members shall reside in Hillsborough County.
- 23 2. One member shall reside in the area consisting of
24 Hillsborough and Pinellas Counties.
- 25 3. Two members shall reside in Pinellas County.
- 26 4. One member shall reside in Manatee County.
- 27 5. One member shall reside in Polk County.
- 28 6. One member shall reside in Pasco County.
- 29 7. One member shall be appointed at large from Levy,
30 Marion, Citrus, Sumter, Hernando, and Lake Counties.
- 31 8. One member shall be appointed at large from Sarasota,
32 Hardee, DeSoto, and Charlotte, ~~and Highlands~~ Counties.
- 33 9. One member shall be appointed at large from Levy,
34 Marion, Citrus, Sumter, Hernando, Lake, Sarasota, Hardee,
35 DeSoto, and Charlotte, ~~and Highlands~~ Counties.

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37 No county described in subparagraph 7., subparagraph 8., or
38 subparagraph 9. shall have more than one member on the governing
39 board.

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42 Remove line 8 and insert:

HOUSE AMENDMENT

Bill No. HB 373

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43 | Water Management District; amending s. 373.073, F.S.; removing
44 | Highlands County from the Southwest Florida Water Management
45 | District's governing board; providing an effective date.
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