

House Bill 2753

Sponsored by Representatives SCHAUFLE, FLORES

SUMMARY

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Modifies allocation of board members of successor authority after consolidation or merger of sanitary authorities, water authorities or joint water and sanitary authorities.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

1
2 Relating to allocation of new board members of authority following union of authorities; amending
3 ORS 198.912.

4 **Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:**

5 **SECTION 1.** ORS 198.912 is amended to read:

6 198.912. (1) Notwithstanding ORS 198.910, when, at an election on consolidation or merger, a
7 majority of the votes cast in each affected district is in favor of merger or consolidation or when
8 merger or consolidation of districts is approved by a final order of a local government boundary
9 commission, if two or more of the affected districts each have 20 percent or more of the electors
10 or owners of land within the successor or surviving district, then each such affected district shall
11 be represented on the board elected under ORS 198.910 as follows:

12 [(1)] (a) By one member when the percentage of electors or owners of land in the affected dis-
13 trict is at least 20 percent but less than 40 percent of the electors or owners of land within the
14 successor or surviving district.

15 [(2)] (b) By two members when the percentage of electors or owners of land in the affected
16 district is at least 40 percent but less than 60 percent of the electors or owners of land within the
17 successor or surviving district.

18 [(3)] (c) By the number of board members remaining after apportionment of board members un-
19 der [subsections (1) and (2) of this section] **paragraphs (a) and (b) of this subsection** when, among
20 all of the affected districts, the percentage of electors or owners of land in the affected district is
21 the highest percentage of electors or owners of land within the successor or surviving district.

22 **(2) Notwithstanding subsection (1)(a) to (c) of this section, each such affected district**
23 **that is a sanitary authority, water authority or joint water and sanitary authority organized**
24 **under ORS 450.600 to 450.989 shall be represented on the board elected under ORS 198.910 as**
25 **follows:**

26 (a) **By one member when the percentage of electors or owners of land in the affected**
27 **district is at least 20 percent but less than 40 percent of the electors or owners of land within**
28 **the successor or surviving district.**

29 (b) **By two members, or by three members for a seven-member board, when the per-**
30 **centage of electors or owners of land in the affected district is at least 40 percent but less**
31 **than 60 percent of the electors or owners of land within the successor or surviving district.**

NOTE: Matter in **boldfaced** type in an amended section is new; matter [*italic and bracketed*] is existing law to be omitted.
New sections are in **boldfaced** type.

1 **(c) By the number of board members remaining after apportionment of board members**
2 **under paragraphs (a) and (b) of this subsection when, among all of the affected districts, the**
3 **percentage of electors or owners of land in the affected district is the highest percentage of**
4 **electors or owners of land within the successor or surviving district.**

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