

1-1 By: Crossover (Senate Sponsor - Nelson) H.B. No. 4176
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House May 18, 2015;
1-3 May 18, 2015, read first time and referred to Committee on
1-4 Intergovernmental Relations; May 22, 2015, reported favorably by
1-5 the following vote: Yeas 6, Nays 0; May 22, 2015, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
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1-8	Lucio	X		
1-9	Bettencourt	X		
1-10	Campbell	X		
1-11	Garcia	X		
1-12	Menéndez	X		
1-13	Nichols	X		
1-14	Taylor of Galveston		X	

1-15 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-16 AN ACT

1-17 relating to the territory, board, and operation of the Lake Cities
1-18 Municipal Utility Authority.

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

1-20 SECTION 1. Section 3(a), Chapter 1137, Acts of the 76th
1-21 Legislature, Regular Session, 1999, is amended to read as follows:

1-22 (a) LCMUA consists of the territory, as specifically
1-23 described in the official records of LCMUA, that is contained in the
1-24 boundaries or extraterritorial jurisdiction of:

1-25 (1) the City of Lake Dallas;

1-26 (2) the Town [and that part of the City] of Shady
1-27 Shores; and

1-28 (3) the Town of Hickory Creek [specifically described
1-29 in the official records of LCMUA].

1-30 SECTION 2. Section 6, Chapter 1137, Acts of the 76th
1-31 Legislature, Regular Session, 1999, is amended by adding Subsection
1-32 (d-1) to read as follows:

1-33 (d-1) The director for:

1-34 (1) place 1 must reside in the City of Lake Dallas or
1-35 its extraterritorial jurisdiction;

1-36 (2) place 2 must reside within the boundaries of
1-37 LCMUA;

1-38 (3) place 3 must reside in the Town of Shady Shores or
1-39 its extraterritorial jurisdiction;

1-40 (4) place 4 must reside within the boundaries of
1-41 LCMUA; and

1-42 (5) place 5 must reside in the Town of Hickory Creek or
1-43 its extraterritorial jurisdiction.

1-44 SECTION 3. Section 7(a), Chapter 1137, Acts of the 76th
1-45 Legislature, Regular Session, 1999, is amended to read as follows:

1-46 (a) The board shall elect from its number a president and
1-47 vice president and any other officers the board considers necessary
1-48 or appropriate. Not more than two officers may reside in the same
1-49 municipality.

1-50 SECTION 4. Section 13(d), Chapter 1137, Acts of the 76th
1-51 Legislature, Regular Session, 1999, is amended to read as follows:

1-52 (d) LCMUA may apply as necessary for any permit, license, or
1-53 other authorization from the Texas ~~[Natural Resource Conservation]~~
1-54 Commission on Environmental Quality or any other regulatory body in
1-55 order to conduct any of its operations.

1-56 SECTION 5. Sections 16(c) and (l), Chapter 1137, Acts of the
1-57 76th Legislature, Regular Session, 1999, are amended to read as
1-58 follows:

1-59 (c) Bonds shall be issued in the name of Lake Cities
1-60 Municipal Utility Authority and ~~[r]~~ signed by the president or vice
1-61 president ~~[, and attested by the secretary]~~ and shall bear the seal,

2-1 or a facsimile seal, of LCMUA. The facsimile signature of the
2-2 president or vice president [~~secretary~~] or both may be printed or
2-3 lithographed on the bonds if authorized by the board, and the seal
2-4 of LCMUA may be impressed, printed, or lithographed on the bonds.

2-5 (1) Any provision in this Act to the contrary
2-6 notwithstanding, before issuing any construction bonds, LCMUA
2-7 shall submit plans, specifications, and other necessary
2-8 information and documents to the appropriate authorities and shall
2-9 obtain the necessary permits or other authorizations from the
2-10 appropriate regulatory bodies, including the Texas [~~Natural~~
2-11 ~~Resource Conservation~~] Commission on Environmental Quality.

2-12 SECTION 6. Section 7(d), Chapter 1137, Acts of the 76th
2-13 Legislature, Regular Session, 1999, is repealed.

2-14 SECTION 7. Section 6(d-1), Chapter 1137, Acts of the 76th
2-15 Legislature, Regular Session, 1999, as added by this Act, does not
2-16 affect the entitlement of a member serving on the board of directors
2-17 of the Lake Cities Municipal Utility Authority immediately before
2-18 the effective date of this Act to continue to carry out the board's
2-19 functions for the remainder of the member's term. The changes in
2-20 law apply only to a member elected on or after the effective date of
2-21 this Act. This Act does not prohibit a person who is a member of the
2-22 board on the effective date of this Act from being reelected to the
2-23 board if the person has the qualifications required for a member
2-24 under Section 6(d-1), Chapter 1137, Acts of the 76th Legislature,
2-25 Regular Session, 1999, as added by this Act.

2-26 SECTION 8. (a) The legal notice of the intention to
2-27 introduce this Act, setting forth the general substance of this
2-28 Act, has been published as provided by law, and the notice and a
2-29 copy of this Act have been furnished to all persons, agencies,
2-30 officials, or entities to which they are required to be furnished
2-31 under Section 59, Article XVI, Texas Constitution, and Chapter 313,
2-32 Government Code.

2-33 (b) The governor, one of the required recipients, has
2-34 submitted the notice and Act to the Texas Commission on
2-35 Environmental Quality.

2-36 (c) The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality has filed
2-37 its recommendations relating to this Act with the governor, the
2-38 lieutenant governor, and the speaker of the house of
2-39 representatives within the required time.

2-40 (d) All requirements of the constitution and laws of this
2-41 state and the rules and procedures of the legislature with respect
2-42 to the notice, introduction, and passage of this Act are fulfilled
2-43 and accomplished.

2-44 SECTION 9. This Act takes effect September 1, 2015.

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