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HOUSE BILL No. 2019

(By Mr. Norton)

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Passed March 11, 1982

In Effect From Passage

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H. B. 2019

(By MR. WOOTON)

[Passed March 11, 1982; in effect from passage.]

AN ACT to establish the Raleigh County recreation authority, to provide such authority with power to operate, to provide for appointment and compensation of members of the authority.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

RALEIGH COUNTY RECREATION AUTHORITY.

§1. Raleigh County recreation authority created; functions.

1 There is hereby created a Raleigh County recreation
2 authority. The function of the authority shall be to establish,
3 operate and manage recreational facilities for the benefit of
4 the citizens of Raleigh County.

§2. Members; appointment, powers and duties generally; officers; bylaws, rules and regulations; compensation.

1 The authority shall consist of five members to be ap-
2 pointed by the Raleigh County commission. Such members
3 shall be appointed and such authority shall commence opera-
4 tion on or before the first day of July, one thousand nine
5 hundred eighty-two. No more than three members shall be
6 from the same political party. One member shall be appointed
7 for a term of five years, one member for a term of four years,
8 one member for a term of three years, one member for a
9 term of two years and one member for a term of one year.
10 The initial terms of office shall commence on the first day

11 of July, one thousand nine hundred eighty-two. Each suc-
12 cessor member shall be appointed for a term of five years,
13 except that any person appointed to fill a vacancy occurring
14 before the expiration of the term shall serve only for the
15 unexpired portion thereof. Any member of the authority
16 shall be eligible for reappointment and the county com-
17 mission may remove any member for cause. There shall be
18 an annual meeting of the authority on the second Monday in
19 July in each year and a monthly meeting on the day in each
20 month which the authority may designate in its bylaws. A
21 special meeting may be called by the president, the secretary
22 or any two members of the authority and shall be held only
23 after all of the members are given notice thereof in writing.
24 At all meetings three members shall constitute a quorum
25 and at each annual meeting of the authority it shall elect
26 a president, a vice president, a secretary and a treasurer.
27 The authority shall adopt such bylaws, rules and regula-
28 tions as are necessary for its own guidance. The authority
29 shall have all the powers necessary, convenient and ad-
30 visable to effectuate the purposes of this act.

31 Each member of the authority shall be compensated monthly
32 by the county in an amount to be fixed by the county com-
33 mission.

§3. A body corporate.

1 The authority hereby created shall be a corporation. As
2 such it may contract and be contracted with, sue and be
3 sued, plead and be impleaded, and shall have and use a com-
4 mon seal.

§4. Lake Stephens excepted.

1 The recreation authority hereby created shall not be respon-
2 sible for recreational facilities located or situate on or near
3 Lake Stephens or under the control or jurisdiction of the
4 Lake Stephens recreation commission.

§5. Support, maintenance and operation.


1 The county commission of Raleigh County shall provide
2 for the support, maintenance and operation of the recrea-

3 tional facilities under the jurisdiction of the authority hereby
4 created.

§6. Severability.

1 If any provision hereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall
2 not affect other provisions hereof which can be given effect
3 without the invalid provision, and to this end the provisions of
4 this act are declared to be severable.


The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.




Chairman Senate Committee



Chairman House Committee

Originating in the House.

Takes effect from passage.


Clerk of the Senate


Clerk of the House of Delegates

President of the Senate


Speaker House of Delegates

The within is approved this the 29
day of March, 1982.


Governor

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