

**Sixty-ninth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota**  
**In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 7, 2025**

HOUSE BILL NO. 1162

(Representatives Schauer, Jonas, Koppelman, McLeod, Pyle, Stemen, Swiontek, Warrey)  
(Senators Lee, Sorvaag, Clemens)

AN ACT to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 61-39-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the board of directors of the Lake Agassiz water authority.

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

**SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Subsection 1 of section 61-39-03 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

1. The authority must be governed by a board of directors selected as follows:
  - a. One member from a city with a population greater than forty thousand located east of state highway 1 and north of state highway 200.
  - b. ~~One member~~Two members from ~~a city~~differing cities with a population greater than forty thousand located east of state highway 1 and south of state highway 200.
  - c. One member from a city with a population of five thousand but not more than forty thousand located east of state highway 1.
  - d. One member from a city with a population of less than five thousand located east of state highway 1.
  - e. Two members from water districts located east of state highway 1 and north of state highway 200.
  - f. Two members from water districts located east of state highway 1 and south of state highway 200.
  - g. One member from water districts located east of state highway 1.
  - h. One member from a Minnesota city with a population of more than thirty thousand and which is located within five miles [8.05 kilometers] of this state.
  - i. One member from water districts located west of state highway 1.
  - j. One member from a city west of state highway 1.

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Speaker of the House

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President of the Senate

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Chief Clerk of the House

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Secretary of the Senate

This certifies that the within bill originated in the House of Representatives of the Sixty-ninth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as House Bill No. 1162.

House Vote:      Yeas 90              Nays 0              Absent 4

Senate Vote:      Yeas 45              Nays 1              Absent 1

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Chief Clerk of the House

Received by the Governor at \_\_\_\_\_ M. on \_\_\_\_\_, 2025.

Approved at \_\_\_\_\_ M. on \_\_\_\_\_, 2025.

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Governor

Filed in this office this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2025,

at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock \_\_\_\_\_ M.

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Secretary of State