

2021 SENATE AGRICULTURE

SB 2120

2021 SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE MINUTES

Agriculture Committee Fort Union Room, State Capitol

SB 2120
1/15/2021

A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 61-16-07 of the NDCC, relating to the number of board members for water resource districts encompassing one county.

Chair Luick called the committee to order at 9:00 AM. Roll call was taken. All Committee members were present. Chair Luick, V.Chair. Myrdal, Senators: Klein, Lemm, O. Larsen, Hogan.

Discussion Topics:

- Concerning the number of board members for water resource districts.

9:04 AM Vice Chair Myrdal introduced the Bill.

9:04 AM Chair Luick commented having 7 members is appropriate.

Additional written testimony: None

9:07 AM Chair Luick Closed the hearing.

9:08 AM Senator Klein MOVED DO PASS. 2nd by **Senator Lemm**. A roll call vote was taken.

Senators	Vote
Senator Larry Luick	Y
Senator Janne Myrdal	Y
Senator Kathy Hogan	Y
Senator Jerry Klein	Y
Senator Oley Larsen	Y
Senator Randy D. Lemm	Y

9:08:10 AM Roll call vote 6-0-0

Vice Chair Myrdal will carry the Bill.

9:10 AM Chair Luick closed the hearing.

Alice Delzer, Committee Clerk

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2120: Agriculture Committee (Sen. Luick, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2120 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

2021 HOUSE POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS

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2021 HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE MINUTES

Political Subdivisions Committee Room JW327B, State Capitol

SB 2120
3/5/2021

Relating to the number of board members for water resource districts encompassing one county

Chairman Dockter: (9:30). Opened the hearing.

Representatives	
Representative Jason Dockter	P
Representative Brandy Pyle	P
Representative Mary Adams	P
Representative Claire Cory	P
Representative Sebastian Ertelt	P
Representative Clayton Fegley	P
Representative Patrick Hatlestad	P
Representative Mary Johnson	A
Representative Lawrence R. Klemin	P
Representative Donald Longmuir	P
Representative Dave Nehring	P
Representative Marvin E. Nelson	P
Representative Nathan Toman	A

Discussion Topics:

- Appointment of board members

Sen. Myrdal: Introduced the bill.

Rep. Longmuir: Will work with Sen. Myrdal on an amendment.

Chairman Dockter: (9:35). Closed the hearing.

Carmen Hickle, Committee Clerk

2021 HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE MINUTES

Political Subdivisions Committee Room JW327B, State Capitol

SB 2120
3/11/2021

Relating to the number of board members for water resource districts encompassing one county

Chairman Dockter: (2:18). Opened for committee work.

Representatives	
Representative Jason Dockter	P
Representative Brandy Pyle	P
Representative Mary Adams	P
Representative Claire Cory	P
Representative Sebastian Ertelt	P
Representative Clayton Fegley	P
Representative Patrick Hatlestad	P
Representative Mary Johnson	P
Representative Lawrence R. Klemin	P
Representative Donald Longmuir	P
Representative Dave Nehring	A
Representative Marvin E. Nelson	P
Representative Nathan Toman	P

Discussion Topics:

- Amendment
- Committee work

Rep. Longmuir: Introduced amendment 21.0424.01001. Testimony #8788. Moved the amendment.

Rep. Johnson: Second the motion.

Voice vote carried.

Rep. Longmuir: Made a do not pass as amended motion.

Rep. Johnson: Second the motion.

Representatives	Vote
Representative Jason Dockter	Y
Representative Brandy Pyle	Y
Representative Mary Adams	Y

Representative Claire Cory	Y
Representative Sebastian Ertelt	Y
Representative Clayton Fegley	Y
Representative Patrick Hatlestad	Y
Representative Mary Johnson	Y
Representative Lawrence R. Klemin	Y
Representative Donald Longmuir	Y
Representative Dave Nehring	A
Representative Marvin E. Nelson	Y
Representative Nathan Toman	Y

12-0-1 carried.

Rep. Longmuir: Will carry the bill.

Chairman Dockter:(2:26). Closed the hearing.

Carmen Hickle, Committee Clerk

March 8, 2021

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PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 2120

- Page 1, line 2, remove "encompassing one county"
- Page 1, line 12, after the period insert "A water resource board for a district including two or more counties must have seven managers appointed by the boards of county commissioners of the respective counties in the district pursuant to this section."
- Page 1, line 13, overstrike "five managers, three appointed by the board of county commissioners of" and insert immediately thereafter "four managers from"
- Page 1, line 14, overstrike "two appointed by the board of"
- Page 1, line 15, overstrike "county commissioners of" and insert immediately thereafter "three managers from"
- Page 1, line 16, overstrike "five managers, one appointed by the board of county"
- Page 1, line 17, overstrike "commissioners"
- Page 1, line 17, after "having" insert "three managers from the county"
- Page 1, line 17, overstrike "lowest" and insert immediately thereafter "largest"
- Page 1, line 18, overstrike "appointed by the board of county commissioners of" and insert immediately thereafter "managers from"
- Page 1, line 19, overstrike "or six"
- Page 1, line 19, overstrike "two"
- Page 1, line 20, overstrike "members" and insert immediately thereafter "three managers"
- Page 1, line 21, after the comma insert "two managers from the county with the second largest aggregate taxable valuation of property in the district,"
- Page 1, line 21, overstrike "or seven"
- Page 1, line 22, after "of" insert "two managers from each of the two counties with the two largest aggregate taxable valuations of property in the district, and"
- Page 1, line 22, overstrike "county" and insert immediately thereafter "of the other counties"
- Page 1, line 23, overstrike "Appointments to the water resource board"
- Page 1, line 23, remove "must"
- Page 1, line 23, overstrike "be made by the boards of county"
- Page 1, line 24, overstrike "commissioners of the respective counties" and insert immediately thereafter "If a district includes six counties, the water resource board must consist of two managers from the county with the largest aggregate taxable valuation of property in the district, and one member from each of the other counties. If a district includes seven counties, the water resource board must consist of one manager from each county"

Renumber accordingly

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REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2120: Political Subdivisions Committee (Rep. Dockter, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO NOT PASS** (12 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2120 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

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Prepared by the Legislative Council staff for
Senator Myrdal

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