
HOUSE BILL No. 1050

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 36-7-4.

Synopsis: Indianapolis metropolitan development commission. Eliminates two members of the Indianapolis metropolitan development commission, including a member appointed by the mayor and a member who represents township legislative bodies. Repeals a provision requiring Indianapolis to create an advisory committee of citizens interested in problems of planning and zoning when a comprehensive plan for a township is prepared or revised. Repeals a provision allowing a township in Marion County to require that a plan commission hold a public hearing within the township before an amendment to a zoning map may be made.

Effective: July 1, 2004.

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January 13, 2004, read first time and referred to Committee on Local Government.

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PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning local government.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. IC 36-7-4-207 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
 2 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2004]: Sec. 207. (a) ADVISORY.
 3 In a city having a park board and a city civil engineer, the city plan
 4 commission consists of nine (9) members, as follows:
 5 (1) One (1) member appointed by the city legislative body from
 6 its membership.
 7 (2) One (1) member appointed by the park board from its
 8 membership.
 9 (3) One (1) member or designated representative appointed by the
 10 city works board.
 11 (4) The city civil engineer or a qualified assistant appointed by the
 12 city civil engineer.
 13 (5) Five (5) citizen members, of whom no more than three (3)
 14 may be of the same political party, appointed by the city
 15 executive.
 16 (b) ADVISORY. If a city lacks either a park board or a city civil
 17 engineer, or both, subsection (a) does not apply. In such a city or in any



1 town, the municipal plan commission consists of seven (7) members,
2 as follows:

3 (1) The municipal legislative body shall appoint three (3) persons,
4 who must be elected or appointed municipal officials or
5 employees in the municipal government, as members.

6 (2) The municipal executive shall appoint four (4) citizen
7 members, of whom no more than two (2) may be of the same
8 political party.

9 (c) AREA. To provide equitable representation of rural and urban
10 populations, representation on the area plan commission is determined
11 as follows:

12 (1) Seven (7) representatives from each city having a population
13 of more than one hundred five thousand (105,000).

14 (2) Six (6) representatives from each city having a population of
15 not less than seventy thousand (70,000) nor more than one
16 hundred five thousand (105,000).

17 (3) Five (5) representatives from each city having a population of
18 not less than thirty-five thousand (35,000) but less than seventy
19 thousand (70,000).

20 (4) Four (4) representatives from each city having a population of
21 not less than twenty thousand (20,000) but less than thirty-five
22 thousand (35,000).

23 (5) Three (3) representatives from each city having a population
24 of not less than ten thousand (10,000) but less than twenty
25 thousand (20,000).

26 (6) Two (2) representatives from each city having a population of
27 less than ten thousand (10,000).

28 (7) One (1) representative from each town having a population of
29 more than two thousand one hundred (2,100), and one (1)
30 representative from each town having a population of two
31 thousand one hundred (2,100) or less that had a representative
32 before January 1, 1979.

33 (8) Such representatives from towns having a population of not
34 more than two thousand one hundred (2,100) as are provided for
35 in section 210 of this chapter.

36 (9) Six (6) county representatives if the total number of municipal
37 representatives in the county is an odd number, or five (5) county
38 representatives if the total number of municipal representatives is
39 an even number.

40 (d) METRO. The metropolitan development commission consists
41 of ~~eleven (11)~~ **nine (9)** citizen members, as follows:

42 (1) ~~Five (5)~~ **Four (4)** members, of whom no more than ~~three (3)~~

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1 **two (2)** may be of the same political party, appointed by the
 2 executive of the consolidated city.
 3 (2) Three (3) members, of whom no more than two (2) may be of
 4 the same political party, appointed by the legislative body of the
 5 consolidated city.
 6 (3) Two (2) members, who must be of different political parties,
 7 appointed by the board of commissioners of the county.
 8 ~~(4) One (1) member who represents the township legislative~~
 9 ~~bodies. The procedure for the township legislative bodies for~~
 10 ~~appointing the member shall be established by an ordinance~~
 11 ~~adopted by the legislative body of the consolidated city.~~
 12 SECTION 2. THE FOLLOWING ARE REPEALED [EFFECTIVE
 13 JULY 1, 2004]: IC 36-7-4-504.5; IC 36-7-4-608.5.

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