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STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
124TH LEGISLATURE  
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 920, L.D. 1317, Bill, "An Act To Amend the Charter of the Addison Point Water District"

Amend the bill by inserting after the title and before the enacting clause the following:

**Emergency preamble.** Whereas, acts and resolves of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

**Whereas,** it is imperative that the election of the board of trustees of the Addison Point Water District be clarified prior to the next annual meeting of the district; and

**Whereas,** in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,'

Amend the bill in section 1 in section 7 by striking out all of the first paragraph (page 1, lines 3 to 10 in L.D.) and inserting the following:

**Sec. 7. Board of trustees; election; terms of trustees; vacancies; officers.**  
All the affairs of the district are managed by a board of 5 trustees. Trustees are elected at the annual meeting of the district. Notwithstanding the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 35-A, section 6410, subsection 1, when the term of office of a trustee expires, the trustee's successor is elected at large by a plurality vote of the voters of the district at the annual meeting to serve for a term of 3 years. A vacancy is filled in the same manner for the unexpired term by a special election called by the trustees. Notice of annual meetings and special elections to elect trustees must be published not less than 2 weeks before the meeting or election.'

Amend the bill by striking out all of section 3 and inserting the following:

**Sec. 3. P&SL 1953, c. 73, §12** is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**





# 124th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1317

LR 1554(02)

**An Act To Amend the Charter of the Addison Point Water District**

**Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A"**

**Committee: Utilities and Energy**

**Fiscal Note Required: Yes**

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## Fiscal Note

Minor cost increase - Other Special Revenue Funds

### Fiscal Detail and Notes

The additional costs to the Public Utilities Commission associated with amending the Addison Point Water District's charter can be absorbed within existing budgeted resources.