

2024 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 220

BY REPRESENTATIVES BAYHAM, BILLINGS, CHASSION, GADBERRY, AND
LARVADAIN

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 18:535(B), relative to notice of location of polling places; to
3 provide for publication of polling locations; to provide for the duties of the secretary
4 of state, registrar of voters, and clerk of court; to provide for the publication of
5 certain information online; and to provide for related matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 18:535(B) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

8 §535. Notice of location of precincts and polling places

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10 B. Before primary elections. The parish board of election supervisors shall
11 publish the location of the polling places in the parish at least once before each
12 primary election. The publication shall be in the official journal of the parish during
13 the third week before the primary election. The locations shall be published on the
14 website of the secretary of state, ~~and may be published on websites maintained by~~
15 ~~parish election officials, including the registrar of voters and clerk of court.~~ Each
16 The secretary of state's website shall also include instructions on how a voter may
17 subscribe to receive electronic notifications of polling place location changes. If a
18 parish registrar of voters or clerk of court maintains a website, he shall publish on

1 the website beginning thirty days prior to an election a publicly available list of the
2 locations of all polling places within the parish, arranged by precinct.

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____