

# SENATE BILL NO. 148

102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR MOSLEY.

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KRISTINA MARTIN, Secretary

## AN ACT

To repeal section 235.140, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to the election of board members for street light maintenance districts.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Section 235.140, RSMo, is repealed and one new  
2 section enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as section 235.140,  
3 to read as follows:

235.140. 1. At the general **municipal** election in the  
2 year after the first full calendar year after the  
3 organization of any district, and **biennially** at **[the]**  
4 general **[election]municipal elections** thereafter, there  
5 shall be elected by the voters of the district one member of  
6 the board to serve for a term of six years. Nominations  
7 **[may]shall** be filed with the **[secretary of the**  
8 **board]election authority for the jurisdiction in which the**  
9 **district is located.**

10 2. The candidates for board member shall be elected on  
11 a separate nonpartisan ballot. The candidate receiving the  
12 most votes shall be elected. Any new member of the board  
13 shall qualify in the same manner as members of the first  
14 board qualify.

15 3. **At the first general municipal election to occur**  
16 **after August 28, 2023, the elections for the seats of any**  
17 **board members elected to a six-year term in 2018 or who have**  
18 **been appointed to unexpired terms of members elected to a**

**EXPLANATION-Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in this bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.**

19 six-year term in 2018, shall be held. At the third general  
20 municipal election to occur after August 28, 2023, the  
21 elections for the seats of any board members elected to a  
22 six-year term in 2020 or who have been appointed to  
23 unexpired terms of members elected to a six-year term in  
24 2020, shall be held. At the fifth general municipal  
25 election to occur after August 28, 2023, the elections for  
26 the seats of any board members elected to a six-year term in  
27 2022 or who have been appointed to unexpired terms of  
28 members elected to a six-year term in 2022 shall be held.

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