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SYNOPSIS:

Under existing law, county and municipality library boards are appointed by the respective governing body of the county or municipality.

This bill would provide that library board members shall serve at the pleasure of their respective appointing authorities.

This bill would also make nonsubstantive, technical revisions to update the existing code language to current style.

A BILL
TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

Relating to libraries; to amend Section 11-90-2, Code of Alabama 1975; to further provide for the appointment of county and municipal library boards; and to make nonsubstantive, technical revisions to update the existing code language to current style.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

Section 1. Section 11-90-2, Code of Alabama 1975, is amended to read as follows:

"§11-90-2



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29 (a) ~~The government and supervision of such~~ All
30 libraries ~~shall be vested in~~ created pursuant to this chapter
31 shall be supervised by a library board consisting of five
32 members ~~who shall be appointed by the county commission or the~~
33 ~~governing body of the municipality.~~

34 (b) Each library board member shall be appointed by the
35 governing body of the county or municipality that established
36 the library.

37 (c) Each library board member shall be appointed to a
38 four-year term and shall serve at the pleasure of their
39 respective appointing authority and may be removed at any time
40 by a majority vote of the appointing authority ~~The terms of~~
41 ~~membership on the library board, as first appointed, for one~~
42 ~~member shall be for one year, for the second member shall be~~
43 ~~for two years, for the third member shall be for three years,~~
44 ~~and for the remaining two members the terms shall be for four~~
45 ~~years. After the first term, all appointments shall be for~~
46 ~~four years.~~

47 (d) ~~The county commission or~~ respective governing body
48 shall fill all vacancies including expired and unexpired
49 terms.

50 (e) Members of the library board shall serve without
51 compensation."

52 Section 2. This act shall become effective on October
53 1, 2024.