

Amendment to HB 75

1 Amend the title of the bill by replacing it with the following:

2
3 AN ACT relative to the election of Strafford county commissioners.
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5 Amend the bill by replacing all after the enacting clause with the following:
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7 1 Strafford County; Elected for 2-Year Term; County Commissioner Districts. Amend RSA
8 653:1, VI(c) to read as follows:

9 (c) Strafford county-~~[3 county commissioners by all the voters of the county]~~ **one county**
10 **commissioner by the voters in each county commissioner district;**

11 2 Strafford County; County Commissioner Districts. Amend the introductory paragraph of RSA
12 662:4 to read as follows:

13 662:4 County Commissioner Districts. ~~[Except for Strafford county where 3 county~~
14 ~~commissioners shall be elected at large,]~~ For the purposes of choosing county commissioners, the
15 counties shall be divided into districts as follows:

16 3 Strafford County; County Commissioner Districts. Amend RSA 662:4, IX to read as follows:

17 IX. ***Strafford: District 1, the towns of Farmington, Middleton, Milton, New Durham,***
18 ***wards 1, 5, and 6, of the city of Rochester, and wards 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 of the city of***
19 ***Somersworth; District 2, wards 1, 2, 3, and 4 of the city of Dover, and the towns of Durham,***
20 ***Lee, and Rollinsford; District 3, Barrington, wards 5 and 6 of the city of Dover, Madbury,***
21 ***wards 2, 3, and 4 of the city of Rochester, and the town of Strafford.***

22 X. Sullivan: District 1, the town of Cornish and the city of Claremont; District 2, the towns
23 of Croydon, Grantham, Newport, Plainfield, and Springfield; District 3, the towns of Acworth,
24 Charlestown, Goshen, Langdon, Lempster, Sunapee, Unity, and Washington.

25 4 Effective Date. This act shall take effect for the 2024 general election cycle.

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AMENDED ANALYSIS

This bill changes how county commissioners are elected in Strafford county and sets the county commissioner districts in Strafford county.