

## **CONSTITUTIONAL AMEDMENT ON LOUISIANA'S DECEMBER 5 BALLOT**

## PROPOSED AMENDMENT

**Ballot Language:** "Do you support an amendment to allow the governor to appoint a person who resides out-of-state to serve as an at-large member of a public postsecondary education board of supervisors?"

Act 10 (SB 44, 2020 Second Extraordinary Session by Senator Fields) – **the proposed constitutional amendment** would allow the governor to appoint non-Louisiana residents to a maximum of two at-large positions on each of the state's four higher education management boards – the LSU Board of Supervisors, the University of Louisiana System Board of Supervisors, the Southern University System Board of Supervisors, and the Louisiana Community and Technical College System Board of Supervisors. The boards would not change their existing composition, and each Congressional District would still have two representatives, along with at least one at-large seat reserved for a Louisiana resident. This amendment will allow our higher-ed institutions to attract prestigious alumni and other accomplished individuals that may reside out-of-state to serve and bring their perspectives.

LABI supports this CA.