

Regular Session, 2008
HOUSE BILL NO. 879

ACT No. 372

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHRODER

1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 13:2620, relative to justices of the peace; to provide for one justice of the
3 peace in Ward 3 of St. Tammany Parish; to provide for one justice of the peace
4 court; to abolish one office of justice of the peace; to continue the two offices of
5 constable; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 13:2620 is hereby enacted to read as follows:

8 §2620. Ward 3; Justice of the Peace Court; St. Tammany Parish

9 A. There shall be one justice of the peace elected in Ward 3 of St. Tammany
10 Parish.

11 B. The two offices of constable in Ward 3 of St. Tammany Parish are
12 continued.

13 C. The territorial limits of the Justice of the Peace Court in Ward 3 shall
14 include the following precincts in St. Tammany Parish: 202(2), 203(2), 206(3),
15 207(2), 301, 302(2), 303(3), 304(2), 305(2), 306, 307, 308(2), 309, 310, 311, A01(2),
16 A02(3), A04(2), C01, C02, C03, C04, C05, C06, C07, C08, C09, C10, C11, 312, and
17 313.

18 Section 2. The second office of justice of the peace that has a temporary appointment
19 to fill the vacancy in that office in Ward 3 of St. Tammany Parish shall be abolished
20 effective January 1, 2009. No election shall be held to fill the vacancy in the office of justice
21 of the peace for any term which begins on or after January 1, 2009.

22 Section 3. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not
23 signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature
24 by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If

1 vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become
2 effective on the day following such approval.

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____