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# Boards and Commissions Voting

## Private Acts of 1981 Chapter 19

**SECTION 1.** Notwithstanding any provision of the law to the contrary, any person who is elected by the people to serve on any county board, commission or other entity shall be entitled to vote on any business which is put to a vote by such board, commission or entity if such person is elected or appointed to chair such board, commission or entity.

**SECTION 2.** This act shall have no effect unless it is approved by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the county legislative body of Marion County. Its approval or nonapproval shall be proclaimed by the presiding officer of the county legislative body and certified by him to the Secretary of State.

**SECTION 3.** For the purpose of approving or rejecting the provisions of this act, it shall be effective upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. For all other purposes, it shall become effective upon being approved as provided in Section 2.

Passed: February 25, 1981.

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