

HOUSE BILL NO. HB0019

Cultural trust fund board-membership.

Sponsored by: Joint Travel, Recreation, Wildlife and
Cultural Resources Interim Committee

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to the Wyoming cultural trust fund board;
2 expanding membership on the board; providing for ex officio
3 membership on the board; providing for terms; providing an
4 appropriation; and providing for an effective date.

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6 *Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

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8 **Section 1.** W.S. 9-2-2305(a)(intro), (i), (ii)(intro)

9 and (b) is amended to read:

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11 **9-2-2305. Wyoming cultural trust fund board;**
12 **creation; members.**

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14 (a) There is created the Wyoming cultural trust fund
15 board. The board shall consist of ~~five (5)~~ eight (8)
16 members, as follows:

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(i) The administrator of the division of cultural resources or his designee who shall serve as an ex officio member of the board, without a vote; and

(ii) ~~Four (4)~~ Seven (7) persons appointed by the governor and confirmed by the senate ~~from the following nominees:~~ who are residents of Wyoming. Board membership shall reflect a broad spectrum of experiences, including, but not limited to, the arts, history, archaeology, humanities and cultural and heritage tourism.

(b) Except for the ~~initial board~~ board members initially appointed on March 1, 2013, each appointed member of the board shall serve for a term of three (3) years. Of the ~~initial appointees, one (1) member shall be appointed for one (1) year, two (2) members shall be appointed for two (2) years and two (2) members~~ three (3) appointees initially appointed on March 1, 2013, one (1) member shall be appointed for one (1) year, one (1) member shall be appointed for two (2) years and one (1) member shall be appointed for three (3) years. Thereafter each board member shall serve for a term of three (3) years. The governor may remove any member as provided in W.S. 9-1-202.

1 A vacancy on the board shall be filled for the balance of
2 the unexpired term. The board shall select one (1) of its
3 members to serve as chairman.

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5 **Section 2.** W.S. 9-2-2305(a)(ii)(A) and (B) is
6 repealed.

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8 **Section 3.** There is appropriated twelve thousand
9 dollars (\$12,000.00) from the general fund to the Wyoming
10 cultural trust fund board. This appropriation shall be for
11 the period beginning with the effective date of this act
12 and ending June 30, 2014. This appropriation shall only be
13 expended for the purpose of staffing the cultural trust
14 fund board. Notwithstanding any other provision of law,
15 this appropriation shall not be transferred or expended for
16 any other purpose and any unexpended, unobligated funds
17 remaining from this appropriation shall revert as provided
18 by law on June 30, 2014.

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20 **Section 4.** This act is effective March 1, 2013.

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