

1-1 By: Hinojosa, LaMantia S.B. No. 2057  
 1-2 (In the Senate - Filed March 9, 2023; March 21, 2023, read  
 1-3 first time and referred to Committee on Natural Resources &  
 1-4 Economic Development; April 17, 2023, reported adversely, with  
 1-5 favorable Committee Substitute by the following vote: Yeas 8,  
 1-6 Nays 0; April 17, 2023, sent to printer.)

1-7 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
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1-9	X			
1-10	X			
1-11	X			
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1-15	X			
1-16	X			
1-17	X			

1-18 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR S.B. No. 2057 By: Zaffirini

1-19 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
 1-20 AN ACT

1-21 relating to the operation and management of the Iwo Jima monument  
 1-22 and museum by the Texas Historical Commission.

1-23 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-24 SECTION 1. Chapter 442, Government Code, is amended by  
 1-25 adding Subchapter B-2 to read as follows:

1-26 SUBCHAPTER B-2. IWO JIMA MONUMENT AND MUSEUM

1-27 Sec. 442.065. DEFINITION. In this subchapter, "monument  
 1-28 and museum" means the Iwo Jima monument and museum at the Marine  
 1-29 Military Academy in Harlingen, Texas.

1-30 Sec. 442.066. IWO JIMA MONUMENT AND MUSEUM; FUND. (a) To  
 1-31 the extent authorized by law, the commission may enter into a  
 1-32 contract with the nonprofit entity that owns the monument and  
 1-33 museum to transfer to the commission the operation and management  
 1-34 of the monument and museum.

1-35 (b) The contract authorized by this section must include  
 1-36 provisions for:

1-37 (1) expanding, renovating, managing, maintaining,  
 1-38 operating, or providing financial support for the monument and  
 1-39 museum, including administration, construction and operation of a  
 1-40 visitor center, and related activities;

1-41 (2) preserving military documents, relics, and other  
 1-42 items of historical interest;

1-43 (3) employing a museum director and other employees  
 1-44 the commission considers necessary to fulfill its duties and  
 1-45 responsibilities under the contract;

1-46 (4) accepting donations of money, property, and  
 1-47 historical relics; and

1-48 (5) acquiring property and historical relics with  
 1-49 funds available for that purpose.

1-50 (c) The Iwo Jima monument and museum fund is created as a  
 1-51 fund outside the state treasury. The commission shall administer  
 1-52 the fund but may contract with the nonprofit entity that owns the  
 1-53 monument and museum for administration of the fund. The fund  
 1-54 consists of:

1-55 (1) admissions revenue from the operation of the  
 1-56 monument and museum;

1-57 (2) sales revenue from the operation of the monument  
 1-58 and museum gift shop; and

1-59 (3) donations made to the commission for the monument  
 1-60 and museum.

2-1 (d) Money in the Iwo Jima monument and museum fund may be  
2-2 spent without legislative appropriation and only to administer,  
2-3 operate, preserve, repair, expand, or otherwise maintain the  
2-4 monument and museum.

2-5 (e) Interest and income from the assets of the Iwo Jima  
2-6 monument and museum fund shall be credited to and deposited in the  
2-7 fund.

2-8 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives  
2-9 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as  
2-10 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this  
2-11 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this  
2-12 Act takes effect September 1, 2023.

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