

AN ACT

relating to the regulation of stormwater management by certain counties.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. Section 423.001, Local Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 423.001. COUNTY OR DISTRICT SUBJECT TO CHAPTER. This chapter applies only to:

(1) a county with a population of 2.8 million or more; ~~or~~

(2) a district or authority created under Section 59, Article XVI, Texas Constitution, that:

(A) has boundaries coterminous with a county described by Subdivision (1); and

(B) is authorized to provide stormwater drainage and flood control facilities; or

(3) a county with a population of more than 1.3 million for which the primary source of drinking water is an underground aquifer.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2003.

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President of the Senate

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 2031 was passed by the House on April 25, 2003, by the following vote: Yeas 146, Nays 0, 2 present, not voting.

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Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 2031 was passed by the Senate on May 13, 2003, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

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Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_

Date

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Governor