By: Chisum, Keel H.B. No. 2097

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1	AN ACT
2	relating to the authority of a home-rule municipality to prohibit
3	public nuisances.
4	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
5	SECTION 1. Section 217.042(a), Local Government Code, is
6	amended to read as follows:
7	(a) The municipality may define and prohibit any nuisance:
8	(1) within the limits of the municipality; and
9	(2) within 5,000 feet outside the limits, excluding
10	any area that is within 50 feet of a public waterway.
11	SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2005.