

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**  
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**TO:** Honorable Frank Madla, Chair, Senate Committee on Intergovernmental Relations

**FROM:** John S. O'Brien, Deputy Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE: SB621** by Janek (Relating to the territory of certain 9-1-1 emergency communication districts.), **As Introduced**

**No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.**

The bill would affect the Greater Harris County 9-1-1 Emergency Network and the cities it serves in the unincorporated areas of Fort Bend County that are not partially located in Harris County.

**Local Government Impact**

The Greater Harris County (GHC) 9-1-1 Emergency Network reports that it provides 9-1-1 services to portion of Fort Bend County on a contract reimbursement basis through an interlocal agreement with the Houston-Galveston Area Council of Government. The GHC 9-1-1 Emergency Network indicates that implementing the provisions of the bill would result in the network recovering all costs through the receipt of the 9-1-1 service fee. In addition, the GHC network estimates it would experience a reduction in administrative overhead as a result of passage of the bill.

**Source Agencies:** 477 Commission on State Emergency Communications

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