Amend CSSB 1693 (house committee printing) as follows:

- (1) In Section 1 of the bill, in added Section 672.051, Business & Commerce Code (page 3, between lines 19 and 20), insert the following:
 - (b) The contiguous area may not include any territory in:
 - (1) a county that is not a participating entity; or
- (2) the corporate boundaries or extraterritorial jurisdiction of a municipality that is not a participating entity.
- (2) In Section 1 of the bill, in added Section 672.051, Business & Commerce Code (page 3, line 20), strike "(b)" and substitute "(c)".
- (3) In Section 1 of the bill, in added Section 672.052, Business & Commerce Code (page 3, line 26), strike "create" and substitute "participate in the creation of".
- (4) In Section 1 of the bill, strike added Section 672.053, Business & Commerce Code (page 4, lines 5-16), and substitute:
- Sec. 672.053. PROPOSAL TO CREATE. An authority is proposed to be created when each participating entity by order, ordinance, or resolution proposes the authority's creation.
- (5) In Section 1 of the bill, in added Section 672.054(a), Business & Commerce Code (page 4, line 20), strike " $\underline{672.053}$ " and substitute " $\underline{672.053}$ ".
- (6) In Section 1 of the bill, strike added Section 672.055, Business & Commerce Code (page 5, lines 13-23), and substitute:
- Sec. 672.055. CREATION BY ORDER, ORDINANCE, OR RESOLUTION; GOVERNING AGREEMENT. (a) After all hearings, the governing bodies of the participating entities may by concurrent order, ordinance, or resolution and execution of an agreement under this section create an authority.
- (b) The participating entities must execute an agreement to create and govern the authority. The agreement must:
- (1) specify the number of authority directors and who appoints the directors;
 - (2) describe the authority's boundaries;
- (3) name the authority the "(insert name) Inland Port Authority";
 - (4) be approved as part of the concurrent order,

ordinance, or resolution; and

- (5) specify the authority's powers under this chapter.
- (c) The specified powers may limit but may not expand the powers granted by this chapter.
- (7) In Section 1 of the bill, in added Section 672.101(a)(5), Business & Commerce Code (page 6, line 12), strike " $\underline{672.053}$ " and substitute " $\underline{672.055}$ ".
- (8) In Section 1 of the bill, in added Section 672.104(a), Business & Commerce Code (page 6, line 27), strike " $\underline{672.053}$ " and substitute " $\underline{672.055}$ ".
- (9) In Section 1 of the bill, in added Section 672.165(a), Business & Commerce Code (page 15, line 17), strike " $\underline{672.053}$ " and substitute "672.055".