

House Bill 1311
Senate Amendments
Section-by-Section Analysis

HOUSE VERSION

SECTION 1. Subchapter D, Chapter 43, Local Government Code, is amended by adding Section 43.083 to read as follows:

Sec. 43.083. CERTAIN MUNICIPALITIES TO DISANNEX LAND OWNED BY NAVIGATION DISTRICT. (a) A municipality with a population of less than 30,000 that borders the Gulf of Mexico and that, before the effective date of this Act and without the consent of the district, annexed land owned by a navigation district operating under Section 59, Article XVI, Texas Constitution, shall, not later than January 1, 2008, disannex the land unless the district notifies the municipality in writing that the district elects that the land not be disannexed.

(b) This section expires January 1, 2010.

SECTION 2. Effective date.

SENATE VERSION

SECTION 1. Subchapter D, Chapter 43, Local Government Code, is amended by adding Section 43.083 to read as follows:

Sec. 43.083. CERTAIN MUNICIPALITIES TO DISANNEX LAND OWNED BY NAVIGATION DISTRICT. (a) A municipality with a population of less than 30,000, that is in a county that borders the Gulf of Mexico and that is adjacent to a county with a population of one million or more, and that, before the effective date of this Act and without the consent of the district, annexed land owned by a navigation district operating under Section 59, Article XVI, Texas Constitution, shall, not later than January 1, 2008, disannex the land unless the district notifies the municipality in writing that the district elects that the land not be disannexed.

(b) A municipality that disannexes land under Subsection (a) and that, on the effective date of this section, provides utility services to customers on that land shall continue to provide the services at the same rate until the first anniversary of the effective date of this section.

(c) This section expires January 1, 2010.

Same as House version.

CONFERENCE