

House Bill 2346
Senate Amendments
Section-by-Section Analysis

HOUSE VERSION

SECTION 1. Section 2308.354, Occupations Code, is amended by adding Subsection (c) to read as follows:

(c) In addition to the authority granted under Subsection (a) and to aid in the enforcement of an ordinance regulating the parking of vehicles, a municipality with a population of 1.9 million or more may authorize a designated employee to request the removal of a vehicle parked illegally in an area designated as a tow-away zone in a residential area where on-street parking is regulated by the ordinance.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2009.

SENATE VERSION

SECTION 1. Section 2308.354, Occupations Code, is amended by adding Subsections (c) and (d) to read as follows:

(c) In addition to the authority granted under Subsection (a) and to aid in the enforcement of an ordinance regulating the parking of vehicles, a municipality with a population of 1.9 million or more may authorize a designated employee to request the removal of a vehicle parked illegally in an area designated as a tow-away zone in a residential area where on-street parking is regulated by the ordinance.

(d) Subsections (a) and (c) do not apply to a vehicle owned by an electric, gas, water, or telecommunications utility while the vehicle is parked for the purpose of conducting work on a facility of the utility that is located below, above, or adjacent to the street.

Same as House version.

CONFERENCE