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H.B. No. 1103

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

2 relating to payment of a fee as a required condition of community  
3 supervision for certain criminal offenses involving animal  
4 cruelty.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

6 SECTION 1. Section 11, Article 42.12, Code of Criminal  
7 Procedure, is amended by adding Subsection (m) to read as follows:

8 (m)(1) If a judge grants community supervision to a person  
9 convicted of an offense under Section 42.09, 42.091, 42.092, or  
10 42.10, Penal Code, the judge shall require the person to pay \$100 to  
11 the animal shelter designated by the judge as the nearest animal  
12 shelter to the location where the offense occurred that:

13 (A) receives federal, state, county, or  
14 municipal funds; and

15 (B) serves the county in which the court is  
16 located.

17 (2) In this subsection, "animal shelter" has the  
18 meaning assigned by Section 823.001, Health and Safety Code.

19 SECTION 2. Subchapter B, Chapter 103, Government Code, is  
20 amended by adding Section 103.02101 to read as follows:

21 Sec. 103.02101. ADDITIONAL FEES IN CERTAIN CRIMINAL CASES:  
22 CODE OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE. A defendant who is granted community  
23 supervision following conviction of an offense under Section 42.09,  
24 42.091, 42.092, or 42.10, Penal Code, shall pay \$100 to an animal

1 shelter in accordance with the requirements imposed by the judge  
2 under Section 11(m), Article 42.12, Code of Criminal Procedure.

3 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2011.