1-1 By: Lucio III (Senate Sponsor - Lucio)   H.B. No. 2105
1-2   (In the Senate - Received from the House April 29, 2013;
1-3 April 29, 2013, read first time and referred to Committee on
1-4 Natural Resources; May 8, 2013, reported favorably by the
1-5 following vote: Yeas 10, Nays 0; May 8, 2013, sent to printer.)

1-6   COMMITTEE VOTE

		Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-8	Fraser	X			
1-9	Estes	X			
1-10	Deuell	X			
1-11	Duncan	X			
1-12	Ellis	X			
1-13	Eltife			X	
1-14	Hegar	X			
1-15	Hinojosa	X			
1-16	Nichols	X			
1-17	Seliger	X			
1-18	Uresti	X			

1-19   A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-20   AN ACT

1-21 relating to municipally owned utility systems; authorizing the
1-22 imposition of fees by a utility board of trustees.
1-23   BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
1-24   SECTION 1. Section 1502.002(a), Government Code, is amended
1-25 to read as follows:
1-26   (a) A municipality may acquire, purchase, construct,
1-27 improve, enlarge, equip, operate, or maintain any property,
1-28 including channels or bodies of water known as resacas, interests
1-29 in property, buildings, structures, activities, services,
1-30 operations, or other facilities, with respect to:
1-31   (1) a utility system;
1-32   (2) a park; or
1-33   (3) a swimming pool.
1-34   SECTION 2. Section 1502.057, Government Code, is amended by
1-35 adding Subsection (c) to read as follows:
1-36   (c) The board of trustees having management and control of a
1-37 utility system located in a county contiguous to the Gulf of Mexico
1-38 and bordering the United Mexican States may impose and collect the
1-39 charges authorized under this section for services provided by the
1-40 utility system.
1-41   SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
1-42 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
1-43 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
1-44 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
1-45 Act takes effect September 1, 2013.

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