



FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Donna Howard

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Amend C.S.H.B 1 as follows:

On page VI-18, amend Rider 7 as follows:

Appropriation: Air Quality Planning. Amounts appropriated above include \$5,000,500 for the biennium out of the Clean Air Account No. 151 in Strategy A.1.1, Air Quality Assessment and Planning, is \$5,000,500 for the biennium beginning on September 1, 2015 for air quality planning activities to reduce ozone in areas not designated as nonattainment areas during the 2016-17 biennium and as approved by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ). These areas may include Waco, El Paso, Beaumont, Austin, Corpus Christi, Granbury, Longview-Tyler-Marshall, San Antonio, and Victoria. These activities may be carried out through interlocal agreements or contracts and may include: identifying, inventorying, and monitoring of pollution levels; modeling pollution levels; and the identification, quantification, implementation of appropriate locally enforceable pollution reduction controls; and the submission of work plans to be submitted to the TCEQ. The TCEQ shall allocate these funds to each area, with those areas with a higher population and receiving funding for a greater length of time receiving a higher priority. Grant recipients shall ~~in such a way as to~~ channel the funds to those projects most useful for the State Implementation Plan (SIP).