By: Keffer H.B. No. 2148

Substitute the following for H.B. No. 2148:

By: Oliveira C.S.H.B. No. 2148

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

- 1 AN ACT
- 2 relating to voting methods in a property owners' association
- 3 election or vote.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 5 SECTION 1. Section 209.00592, Property Code, is amended by
- 6 adding Subsection (a-1) to read as follows:
- 7 (a-1) Notwithstanding Subsection (a), and except as
- 8 provided by this subsection, a property owners' association is not
- 9 required to provide an owner with a voting method that is not
- 10 required by a dedicatory instrument. The association must allow an
- 11 owner to vote by absentee ballot or by proxy in any vote or election
- 12 in which a vote may be cast or given in person.
- 13 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2015.