

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**  
**Austin, Texas**

**FISCAL NOTE, 84TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION**

**May 21, 2015**

**TO:** Honorable Joe Straus, Speaker of the House, House of Representatives

**FROM:** Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE: HB1709** by Harless (Relating to the closing, abandoning, and vacating of a public road by a county; authorizing the imposition of a fee.), **As Passed 2nd House**

**No fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.**

The bill would permit a commissioners court to establish standard fees, to be paid by an owner of certain property, relating to the closing, abandonment or vacation of a public road. The bill would require a commissioners court to notify certain public utilities or common carriers of the proposal to close or vacate the public road.

**Local Government Impact**

No significant fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

**Source Agencies:**

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