

1-1 By: Wu, et al. (Senate Sponsor - Miles) H.B. No. 714
 1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House May 3, 2017;
 1-3 May 12, 2017, read first time and referred to Committee on
 1-4 Intergovernmental Relations; May 18, 2017, reported favorably by
 1-5 the following vote: Yeas 4, Nays 2; May 18, 2017, sent to
 1-6 printer.)

1-7 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-8 Lucio	X			
1-9 Bettencourt		X		
1-10 Campbell	X			
1-11 Garcia	X			
1-12 Huffines			X	
1-13 Menéndez	X			
1-14 Taylor of Collin		X		

1-16 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
 1-17 AN ACT

1-18 relating to the civil prosecution of offenses involving certain
 1-19 municipal parking ordinances; authorizing a civil fine.

1-20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-21 SECTION 1. Section 601.001, Local Government Code, is
 1-22 amended to read as follows:

1-23 Sec. 601.001. PARKING ON PRIVATE PROPERTY. (a) A
 1-24 municipality by ordinance may regulate the parking of motor
 1-25 vehicles on private property and may enforce the ordinance in the
 1-26 same manner that it enforces ordinances regulating parking in
 1-27 public no-parking zones, including the impoundment of offending
 1-28 vehicles.

1-29 (b) As provided by Chapter 682, Transportation Code, a
 1-30 municipality with a population of 1.9 million or more may:

1-31 (1) declare the violation of a municipal ordinance
 1-32 relating to the parking of an unattended motor vehicle in the front
 1-33 or side yard of a single-family residence in a residential area to
 1-34 be a civil offense; and

1-35 (2) by ordinance establish an administrative
 1-36 adjudication hearing procedure under which a civil fine may be
 1-37 imposed.

1-38 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2017.

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