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S.B. No. 1742

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to county approval for the locations at which a junkyard or
automotive wrecking and salvage yard may be operated.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. Section 396.041(c), Transportation Code, is
amended to read as follows:

(c) An ordinance may:

(1) impose a fee of \$25 for the issuance or renewal of
a license;

(2) impose a fee of not more than:

(A) \$150 for the issuance or renewal of a
license, if the ordinance is adopted by the commissioners court of a
county with a population of one million or more that contains two or
more municipalities, each of which has a population of 250,000 or
more; or

(B) \$500 for the issuance or renewal of a
license, if the ordinance is adopted by the commissioners court of a
county with a population of 3.3 million or more;

(3) condition the license on the operation of the
junkyard or automotive wrecking and salvage yard only at a location
approved by the commissioners court or a county employee designated
by the commissioners court; or

(4) establish grounds for suspending or revoking a
license if the junkyard or automotive wrecking and salvage yard is

1 not screened.

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