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| BILL ANALYSIS |

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| C.S.H.B. 2445 |
| By: Parker |
| Urban Affairs |
| Committee Report (Substituted) |

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| **BACKGROUND AND PURPOSE**  There have been calls to allow a municipality to expand the boundaries of an existing crime control and prevention district within the municipality's extraterritorial jurisdiction. C.S.H.B. 2445 seeks to address this issue by authorizing a municipality that created a crime control and prevention district to add all or part of the territory in the municipality's extraterritorial jurisdiction to the district. |
| **CRIMINAL JUSTICE IMPACT**  It is the committee's opinion that this bill does not expressly create a criminal offense, increase the punishment for an existing criminal offense or category of offenses, or change the eligibility of a person for community supervision, parole, or mandatory supervision. |
| **RULEMAKING AUTHORITY**  It is the committee's opinion that this bill does not expressly grant any additional rulemaking authority to a state officer, department, agency, or institution. |
| **ANALYSIS**  C.S.H.B. 2445 amends the Local Government Code to authorize a municipality that created a crime control and prevention district to add all or part of the territory in the municipality's extraterritorial jurisdiction to the district and to authorize the district to impose a tax in that territory but only if the addition of the territory and the imposition of the tax are approved by a majority of the qualified voters of the territory to be added voting at an election held for that purpose. |
| **EFFECTIVE DATE**  September 1, 2019. |
| **COMPARISON OF ORIGINAL AND SUBSTITUTE**  C.S.H.B. 2445 differs from the original in minor or nonsubstantive ways by clarifying the type of district affected by the bill. |
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