By:  Flynn (Senate Sponsor - Hughes) H.B. No. 2634

(In the Senate - Received from the House April 15, 2019; April 17, 2019, read first time and referred to Committee on Intergovernmental Relations; May 9, 2019, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 7, Nays 0; May 9, 2019, sent to printer.)

COMMITTEE VOTE

                    Yea Nay Absent  PNV

Lucio                X

Schwertner           X

Alvarado             X

Campbell             X

Fallon               X

Menéndez             X

Nichols              X

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to municipal boundaries used to determine a cemetery location.

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

SECTION 1.  Section 711.008(e), Health and Safety Code, is amended to read as follows:

(e)  For the purpose of determining where a cemetery may be located under Subsection (a), the boundary of an area annexed by a municipality is not considered to be a boundary of the municipality if:

(1)  no more than 10 percent of the boundary of the annexed area is composed of a part of the boundary of the annexing municipality as it existed immediately before the annexation; or

(2)  the annexed area cannot be developed as residential or commercial property and is primarily used for flood control.

SECTION 2.  This Act takes effect September 1, 2019.

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