

Amend CSHB 17 (house committee printing) on page 2 by striking lines 11-14 and substituting the following:

(d) This section does not limit the ability of a regulatory authority or political subdivision to:

(1) choose utility services for properties owned by the regulatory authority or political subdivision; or

(2) encourage, promote, or provide rebates for energy efficiency, energy storage, or renewable or clean energy through ordinances, resolutions, regulations, codes, orders, policies, or other measures if they do not directly or indirectly ban, restrict, or prohibit the connection or reconnection of a utility service or the construction, maintenance, or installation of residential, commercial, or other public or private infrastructure for a utility service based on the type or source of energy to be delivered to the end-use customer.