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H.B. No. 1181

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT  
2 relating to the authority of certain counties to authorize the  
3 operation of a golf cart or off-highway vehicle on certain roads.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 551.404(c), Transportation Code, is  
6 amended to read as follows:

7 (c) Subsection (b) applies only to a county that:

8 (1) borders or contains a portion of the Red River; or

9 (2) [~~borders or contains a portion of the Guadalupe~~  
10 ~~River and contains a part of a barrier island that~~] borders the Gulf

11 of Mexico and has a population of less than 500,000 [~~, or~~

12 [~~(3) is adjacent to a county described by Subdivision~~  
13 ~~(2) and:~~

14 [~~(A) has a population of less than 37,000, and~~

15 [~~(B) contains a part of a barrier island or~~  
16 ~~peninsula that borders the Gulf of Mexico]~~.

17 SECTION 2. Section 551A.053(c), Transportation Code, is  
18 amended to read as follows:

19 (c) Subsection (b) applies only to a county that:

20 (1) borders or contains a portion of the Red River; or

21 (2) [~~borders or contains a portion of the Guadalupe~~  
22 ~~River and contains a part of a barrier island that~~] borders the Gulf

23 of Mexico and has a population of less than 500,000 [~~, or~~

24 [~~(3) is adjacent to a county described by Subdivision~~

1 ~~(2) and:~~

2 ~~[(A) has a population of less than 37,000; and~~

3 ~~[(B) contains a part of a barrier island or~~

4 ~~peninsula that borders the Gulf of Mexico].~~

5 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives  
6 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as  
7 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this  
8 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this  
9 Act takes effect September 1, 2021.