

1-1 By: Lozano, Guillen (Senate Sponsor - Zaffirini) H.B. No. 3802
 1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House May 17, 2021;
 1-3 May 17, 2021, read first time and referred to Committee on Water,
 1-4 Agriculture & Rural Affairs; May 21, 2021, reported favorably by
 1-5 the following vote: Yeas 8, Nays 0; May 21, 2021, sent to
 1-6 printer.)

1-7 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
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1-18 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
 1-19 AN ACT

1-20 relating to requirements for public drinking water supply systems
 1-21 and certain rates and fees charged by water supply corporations.

1-22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-23 SECTION 1. Section 341.0315, Health and Safety Code, is
 1-24 amended by amending Subsection (c) and adding Subsections (c-1) and
 1-25 (c-2) to read as follows:

1-26 (c) Each public drinking water supply system shall provide
 1-27 an adequate and safe drinking water supply. The supply must:

1-28 (1) meet the requirements of Section 341.031 and
 1-29 commission rules; and

1-30 (2) provide a quantity of water or capacity of water
 1-31 sufficient to serve the number of connections served by the public
 1-32 drinking water supply system.

1-33 (c-1) In determining the number of connections served by a
 1-34 public drinking water supply system that provides service through
 1-35 meters, the commission by rule shall establish connection
 1-36 equivalency values for each meter size used to serve a recreational
 1-37 vehicle park, as that term is defined by Section 13.087, Water Code.

1-38 (c-2) The connection equivalency values required by
 1-39 Subsection (c-1) must:

1-40 (1) establish a standard-size residential meter as one
 1-41 connection; and

1-42 (2) determine the equivalent number of connections for
 1-43 larger or smaller meters as multiples of a standard-size
 1-44 residential meter, based on accepted industry standards.

1-45 SECTION 2. Section 49.2122(a-1), Water Code, is amended to
 1-46 read as follows:

1-47 (a-1) Notwithstanding Subsection (a), a district or water
 1-48 supply corporation that provides nonsubmetered master metered
 1-49 utility service, as defined by Section 13.087(a)(1), to a
 1-50 recreational vehicle park, as defined by Section 13.087(a)(3):

1-51 (1) shall determine the rates for that service on the
 1-52 same basis the district or water supply corporation uses to
 1-53 determine the rates for other commercial businesses that serve
 1-54 transient customers and receive nonsubmetered master metered
 1-55 utility service from the district or water supply corporation; and

1-56 (2) may not charge a person who owns or operates a
 1-57 recreational vehicle park that receives nonsubmetered master
 1-58 metered utility service from the district or water supply
 1-59 corporation an administrative fee for the services provided.

1-60 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2021.

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