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By: Sims  
S.B. No. 1058

(Submitted to Senate - File date March 7, 1991; March 12, 1991, read first time and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources;  
April 4, 1991, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 6,  
Nays 0; April 4, 1991, sent to printer.)

Committee Vote

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* * * *

Austin, Texas  
April 4, 1991

Hon. Bob Bullock  
President of the Senate

Sir:

We, your Committee on Natural Resources to which was referred S.B. No. 1058, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

Sims, Chairman

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FAVORABLE
SENATE COMMITTEE REPORT ON

SB SCR SJR SR HB HCR HJR 1058

By Sims

(Author/Senate Sponsor)

4-1-91

(date of submission to Senate)

Lt. Governor Bob Bullock
President of the Senate

Sir:

We, your Committee on Natural Resources, to which was referred the attached measure, have on 4-3-91, had the same under consideration and I am instructed to report it back with the recommendation(s) that it:

☑ do pass and be printed

( ) do pass and be ordered not printed

☑ and is recommended for placement on the Local and Uncontested Bills Calendar.

A fiscal note was requested.

☑ yes ( ) no

A revised fiscal note was requested.

( ) yes ( ) no

An actuarial analysis was requested.

( ) yes ( ) no

Considered by subcommittee.

( ) yes ( ) no

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COMMITTEE ACTION

☑ S260 Considered in public hearing
☑ S270 Testimony taken

COMMITTEE CLERK

CHAIRMAN

Paper clip the original and one copy of this signed form to the original bill
Deliver one copy of this form to the Calendar Clerk, Room 218 Capitol
Deliver one copy of this form to the Legislative Reference Library, Room 207B Capitol
Retain one copy of this form for Committee files
REQUEST FOR LOCAL & UNCONTESTED CALENDAR PLACEMENT

Hon. Bill Haley, Chairman
Administration Committee

Sir:

Notice is hereby given that SB 1058, by: Sims
(Bill No.) was heard by the Committee on Natural Resources on 4-22-1991, (author)
and reported out with the recommendation that it be placed on the Local Uncontested Bills Calendar.

Clerk of the reporting committee

IMPORTANT: A COPY OF THIS FORM MUST BE ATTACHED TO A PRINTED COPY OF THE BILL OR RESOLUTION, WHICH ALONG WITH 14 ADDITIONAL COPIES OF THE BILL OR RESOLUTION SHOULD BE DELIVERED TO ROOM 419. DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING BILLS FOR THE LOCAL CALENDAR IS 5:00 P.M. FRIDAY.

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   Senate Chamber
   Austin, Texas

IN RE: Senate Bill No. 1058

By: Sims

FROM: Jim Oliver, Director

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Source: LBB Staff: JO, JWH, DF, DE
By: Sims
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COMMITTEE REPORT

The Honorable Gib Lewis
Speaker of the House of Representatives

April 22, 1991
(date)

Sir:

We, your COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES,

to whom was referred SB 1058

have had the same under consideration and beg to report

back with the recommendation that it

( X ) do pass, without amendment.
( ) do pass, with amendment(s).
( ) do pass and be not printed; a Complete Committee Substitute is recommended in lieu of the original measure.

A fiscal note was requested. ( X ) yes ( ) no  An author's fiscal statement was requested. ( X ) yes ( ) no

A criminal justice policy impact statement was requested. ( ) yes ( X ) no

An equalized educational funding impact statement was requested. ( ) yes ( X ) no

An actuarial analysis was requested. ( ) yes ( X ) no

A water development policy impact statement was requested. ( ) yes ( X ) no

A federal funds impact statement was requested. ( ) yes ( X ) no

( X ) The Committee recommends that this measure be sent to the Committee on Local and Consent Calendars.

This measure ( X ) proposes new law. ( ) amends existing law.

House Sponsor of Senate Measure Cate

The measure was reported from Committee by the following vote:

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CHAIRMAN

COMMITTEE COORDINATOR
SB 1058
By: Sims
H. Sponsor: Cate

BILL ANALYSIS

BACKGROUND

The people of Medina County formed the Medina County Underground Water Conservation District without authorization from the Texas Water Commission or the Legislature. All proper steps were taken except that the district was not officially formed through legislation or by the Texas Water Commission. This bill seeks to validate the Medina County Underground Water Conservation District.

PURPOSE OF THE BILL

As proposed, SB 1058 validates the Medina County Underground Water Conservation District.

SECTION BY SECTION ANALYSIS

SECTION 1. Defines "district."

SECTION 2. Validates district creation and all acts of the board of directors.

SECTION 3. Provides that this Act does not apply to pending litigation.

SECTION 4. Emergency clause. Effective date: upon passage.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY

It is the opinion of this committee that this bill does not delegate rulemaking authority to any state agency, officer, department, or institution.

SUMMARY OF COMMITTEE ACTION

HB 2370 was referred directly to subcommittee on March 26, 1991. Notice was posted in accordance with House Rules, and HB 2370 was heard in a public hearing of the subcommittee on April 16, 1991. Testimony was taken in support of the bill. A witness was present in favor, but did not testify on the bill. SB 1058 was laid out as the senate companion to HB 2370. The motion to report SB 1058 in lieu of HB 2370 favorably back to the full committee carried by a vote of 3 ayes, 0 nay, 0 PNV and 0 absent. The subcommittee report on SB 1058 was taken up at a public hearing of the full committee on April 22, 1991. No witnesses were present on the bill. The motion to report SB 1058 favorably back to the full House with the recommendation that it be place on the Local and Consent calendar carried by a vote of 6 ayes, 0 nay, 0 PNV and 3 absent.
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April 15, 1991

The Honorable Ron Lewis
Chairman
Natural Resources Committee
Reagan Building, Room 214

RE: Fiscal Note, Senate Bill No. 1058

Dear Chairman Lewis:

In response to your request for a Fiscal Note on Senate Bill No. 1058 (relating to validation of the creation of the Medina County Underground Water Conservation District), I have determined the following:

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3. Fiscal Year Projections:
   1991.....no cost is anticipated.
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Respectfully submitted,

[Signature]

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I hereby certify that S.B. No. 1058 passed the Senate on April 12, 1991, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Secretary of the Senate

I hereby certify that S.B. No. 1058 passed the House on May 14, 1991, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House

Approved:

Date

Governor
BILL ANALYSIS

Senate Research Center
S.B. 1058
By: Sims
Natural Resources
05-30-91
Enrolled

BACKGROUND

In 1988, Medina County broke away from being a part of the Edwards Underground Water District. It then attempted to establish an underground water district through the Medina County Commissioners Court by a countywide election. Medina County voters confirmed the creation of the district on November 7, 1989, by a vote of 1,898 for confirmation and 568 against.

However, the election was not officially recognized and, therefore, the district was not legally validated.

PURPOSE

As proposed, S.B. 1058 validates the creation and actions of the Medina County Underground Water Conservation District.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY

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TOM CATE
President of the Senate

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Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that S.B. No. 1058 passed the House on
May 14, 1991, by the following vote: Yeas____, Nays____.

Secretary of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

Approved:

Date

Governor
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3 -7 -91
MAR 12 1991
Filed with the Secretary of the Senate
Read and referred to Committee on
NATURAL RESOURCES
Reported favorably
Reported adversely, with favorable Committee Substitute; Committee Substitute read first time.
Ordered not printed

APR 12 1991
Laid before the Senate
Senate and Constitutional Rules to permit consideration suspended by:

unanimous consent

yeas, nays

APR 12 1991
Read second time, and ordered engrossed by:

unanimous consent

a viva voce vote

yeas, nays

APR 12 1991
Caption ordered amended to conform to the body of the bill.
Senate and Constitutional 3 Day Rule suspended by a vote of 31 yeas, 0 nays.

APR 12 1991
Read third time, and passed by:

yeas, nays

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

OTHER ACTION:

APR 12 1991
Engrossed
Sent to House

Engrossing Clerk

APR 15 1991
Read first time and referred to Committee on
NATURAL RESOURCES
Reported favorably amended, sent to Printer at 5:45p APR 26 1991
Printed and Distributed

APR 29 1991
Sent to Committee on Calendars

MAY 14 1991
Read Second time (amended): passed to third reading (unanimous)

MAY 14 1991
Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days suspended (failed to suspend) by a four-fifths vote of yeas, nays present not voting.

MAY 14 1991
Read third time (amended): finally passed (unanimous) by a Non-Record Vote

MAY 14 1991
Caption ordered amended to conform to body of bill.
Returned to Senate.

CHIEF CLERK OF THE HOUSE

MAY 14 1991
Returned from House without amendment.

MAY 14 1991
Returned from House with amendments.

Concurred in House amendments by a viva voce vote yeas, nays.
Refused to concur in House amendments and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee to adjust the differences.

Senate conferees instructed.

Senate conferees appointed: __________________________, Chairman; __________________________, and __________________________.

House granted Senate request. House conferees appointed: __________________________, Chairman.

Conference Committee Report read and filed with the Secretary of the Senate.

Conference Committee Report adopted on the part of the House by: __________________________

\{ a viva voce vote \\
\quad yea{s}, nay{s} \}

Conference Committee Report adopted on the part of the Senate by: __________________________

\{ a viva voce vote \\
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OTHER ACTION:

Recommitted to Conference Committee

Conferrees discharged.

Conference Committee Report failed of adoption by: __________________________

\{ a viva voce vote \\
\quad yea{s}, nay{s} \}