

Amend CSSB 103 (house committee printing) as follows:

(1) On page 25, lines 17 and 18, strike "61.0386, 61.0451, 61.0452, 61.0461, 61.061, 61.062, and 61.0651" and substitute "and 61.0386".

(2) On page 30, between lines 9 and 10, insert the following:

SECTION _____. Section 61.0423, Human Resources Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 61.0423. PUBLIC HEARINGS. (a) The board shall develop and implement policies that provide the public with a reasonable opportunity to appear before the board and to speak on any issue under the jurisdiction of the commission.

(b) The board shall ensure that the location of public hearings held in accordance with this section is rotated between municipalities in which a commission facility is located or that are in proximity to a commission facility.

SECTION _____. Subchapter C, Chapter 61, Human Resources Code, is amended by adding Sections 61.0451, 61.0452, 61.0461, 61.061, 61.062, and 61.0651 to read as follows:

(3) On page 54, line 2, between "governor," and "and", insert "the state auditor,".

(4) Add the following appropriately numbered SECTIONS to the bill and renumber subsequent SECTIONS accordingly:

SECTION _____. Chapter 54, Family Code, is amended by adding Section 54.0401 to read as follows:

Sec. 54.0401. COMMUNITY-BASED PROGRAMS. (a) This section applies only to a county that has a population of at least 335,000.

(b) A juvenile court of a county to which this section applies may require a child who is found to have engaged in delinquent conduct that violates a penal law of the grade of misdemeanor and for whom the requirements of Subsection (c) are met to participate in a community-based program administered by the county's juvenile board.

(c) A juvenile court of a county to which this section applies may make a disposition under Subsection (b) for delinquent conduct that violates a penal law of the grade of misdemeanor:

(1) if:

(A) the child has been adjudicated as having engaged in delinquent conduct violating a penal law of the grade of misdemeanor on at least two previous occasions;

(B) of the previous adjudications, the conduct that was the basis for one of the adjudications occurred after the date of another previous adjudication; and

(C) the conduct that is the basis of the current adjudication occurred after the date of at least two previous adjudications; or

(2) if:

(A) the child has been adjudicated as having engaged in delinquent conduct violating a penal law of the grade of felony on at least one previous occasion; and

(B) the conduct that is the basis of the current adjudication occurred after the date of that previous adjudication.

(d) The Texas Juvenile Probation Commission shall establish guidelines for the implementation of community-based programs described by this section. The juvenile board of each county to which this section applies shall implement a community-based program that complies with those guidelines.

(e) The Texas Juvenile Probation Commission shall provide grants to selected juvenile boards to assist with the implementation of a system of community-based programs under this section.

(f) Not later than January 1, 2009, the Texas Juvenile Probation Commission shall prepare and deliver to the governor, the lieutenant governor, and each member of the legislature a report describing the implementation and effectiveness of the community-based programs described by this section. The report must include information relating to the cost of requiring a child to participate in a community-based program.

SECTION _____. (a) Not later than November 1, 2007, the Texas Juvenile Probation Commission shall issue guidelines for the creation of community-based programs required by Section 54.0401, Family Code, as added by this Act.

(b) Not later than January 1, 2008, the juvenile board of a county to which Section 54.0401, Family code, as added by this Act,

applies shall implement a community-based program that complies with the guidelines established by the Texas Juvenile Probation Commission.