Thence, 392.98 feet continuing along said easterly right-of-way line (width varies) and the arc of a tangent curve to the right having a radius of 1,082.00 feet, a central angle of 20° 48' 35", and a chord that bears North 15° 25' 10" West, 390.82 feet to a point for corner at the end of said curve on the aforementioned southerly right-of-way line of F.M. 2920, the beginning of a curve;

Thence, 560.99 feet along said southerly right-of-way line of F.M. 2920 and the arc of a non-tangent curve to the left having a radius of 3,879.77 feet, a central angle of 08° 17' 05", and a chord that bears South 88° 23' 15" East, 560.51 feet to a point for corner;

Thence, North 87° 28' 13" East, continuing along said southerly right-of-way line of F.M. 2920, 3,971.10 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING and containing 384.307 acres of land.

SECTION 3. (a) The legal notice of the intention to introduce this Act, setting forth the general substance of this Act, has been published as provided by law, and the notice and a copy of this Act have been furnished to all persons, agencies, officials, or entities to which they are required to be furnished under Section 59, Article XVI, Texas Constitution, and Chapter 313, Government Code.

(b) The governor, one of the required recipients, has submitted the notice and Act to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality.

(c) The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality has filed its recommendations relating to this Act with the governor, the lieutenant governor, and the speaker of the house of representatives within the required time.

(d) All requirements of the constitution and laws of this state and the rules and procedures of the legislature with respect to the notice, introduction, and passage of this Act are fulfilled and accomplished.

SECTION 4. (a) If this Act does not receive a two-thirds vote of all the members elected to each house, Subchapter C, Chapter 8451, Special District Local Laws Code, as added by Section 1 of this Act, is amended by adding Section 8451.106 to read as follows:

Sec. 8451.106. NO EMINENT DOMAIN POWER. The district may not exercise the power of eminent domain.

(b) This section is not intended to be an expression of a legislative interpretation of the requirements of Subsection (c), Section 17, Article I, Texas Constitution.

SECTION 5. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2013.

Passed the Senate on April 4, 2013: Yeas 31, Nays 0; passed the House on May 22, 2013: Yeas 147, Nays 1, two present not voting.

Approved June 14, 2013.

Effective June 14, 2013.

CHAPTER 1335

S.B. No. 757

AN ACT

relating to the powers and duties of the Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 257; providing authority to issue bonds.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. Subtitle F, Title 6, Special District Local Laws Code, is amended by adding Chapter 8435 to read as follows:

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CHAPTER 8435. HARRIS COUNTY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 257

SUBCHAPTER A. GENERAL PROVISIONS

Sec. 8435.001. DEFINITIONS. In this chapter, “district” means the Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 257.

Sec. 8435.002. FINDINGS OF PUBLIC PURPOSE AND BENEFIT. (a) The district is created to serve a public purpose and benefit.

(b) The district is created to accomplish the purposes of:

(1) a municipal utility district as provided by general law and Section 59, Article XVI, Texas Constitution; and

(2) Section 52, Article III, Texas Constitution, that relate to the construction, acquisition, improvement, operation, or maintenance of macadamized, graveled, or paved roads, or improvements, including storm drainage, in aid of those roads.

SUBCHAPTER B. POWERS AND DUTIES

Sec. 8435.051. AUTHORITY FOR ROAD PROJECTS. Under Section 52, Article III, Texas Constitution, the district may design, acquire, construct, finance, issue bonds for, improve, operate, maintain, and convey to this state, a county, or a municipality for operation and maintenance macadamized, graveled, or paved roads, or improvements, including storm drainage, in aid of those roads.

Sec. 8435.052. ROAD STANDARDS AND REQUIREMENTS. (a) A road project must meet all applicable construction standards, zoning and subdivision requirements, and regulations of each municipality in whose corporate limits or extraterritorial jurisdiction the road project is located.

(b) If a road project is not located in the corporate limits or extraterritorial jurisdiction of a municipality, the road project must meet all applicable construction standards, subdivision requirements, and regulations of each county in which the road project is located.

(c) If the state will maintain and operate the road, the Texas Transportation Commission must approve the plans and specifications of the road project.

SUBCHAPTER C. BONDS

Sec. 8435.101. BONDS FOR ROAD PROJECTS. At the time of issuance, the total principal amount of bonds or other obligations issued or incurred to finance road projects and payable from ad valorem taxes may not exceed one-fourth of the assessed value of the real property in the district.

SECTION 2. (a) The legal notice of the intention to introduce this Act, setting forth the general substance of this Act, has been published as provided by law, and the notice and a copy of this Act have been furnished to all persons, agencies, officials, or entities to which they are required to be furnished under Section 59, Article XVI, Texas Constitution, and Chapter 313, Government Code.

(b) The governor, one of the required recipients, has submitted the notice and Act to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality.

(c) The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality has filed its recommendations relating to this Act with the governor, the lieutenant governor, and the speaker of the house of representatives within the required time.

(d) All requirements of the constitution and laws of this state and the rules and procedures of the legislature with respect to the notice, introduction, and passage of this Act are fulfilled and accomplished.

SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2013.
CHAPTER 1336
S.B. No. 763

AN ACT relating to motorcycle training, the enforcement of certification standards for motorcycles, and the license requirements for a three-wheeled motorcycle; creating an offense.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. Subsection (a), Section 521.148, Transportation Code, is amended to read as follows:

(a) An applicant for an original Class M license or Class A, B, or C driver's license that includes an authorization to operate a motorcycle must furnish to the department evidence satisfactory to the department that the applicant has successfully completed a [basic] motorcycle operator training course approved by the department under Chapter 662. The department shall issue a Class M license that is restricted to the operation of a three-wheeled motorcycle if the motorcycle operator training course completed by the applicant is specific to the operation of a three-wheeled motorcycle.

SECTION 2. Subsection (b), Section 662.002, Transportation Code, is amended to read as follows:

(b) The program shall include curricula approved by the state agency administering the program [developed by the Motorcycle Safety Foundation].

SECTION 3. Section 662.006, Transportation Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 662.006. UNAUTHORIZED TRAINING PROHIBITED. (a) A person may not offer or conduct training in motorcycle operation for [a] consideration unless the person is licensed by or contracts with the designated state agency.

(b) A person who violates Subsection (a) commits an offense. An offense under this subsection is a Class B misdemeanor, except that the offense is a Class A misdemeanor if it is shown on the trial of the offense that the defendant has been previously convicted of an offense under this section.

SECTION 4. Subsection (b), Section 662.008, Transportation Code, is amended to read as follows:

(b) Following denial, suspension, or cancellation of [Before the designated state agency may deny, suspend, or cancel] the approval of a program sponsor or an instructor, notice and opportunity for a hearing must be given as provided by:

(1) Chapter 2001, Government Code; and
(2) Chapter 53, Occupations Code.

SECTION 5. Section 521.227, Transportation Code, is repealed.

SECTION 6. This Act takes effect September 1, 2013.

Passed the Senate on March 27, 2013: Yeas 30, Nays 0; the Senate concurred in House amendment on May 22, 2013: Yeas 31, Nays 0; passed the House, with amendment, on May 17, 2013: Yeas 132, Nays 2, two present not voting.

Approved June 14, 2013.

Effective September 1, 2013.