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Fannin HB No. 271

Abstract: Prohibits municipalities and parishes from imposing a fee for inspections not performed by the municipality or parish.

Present law authorizes municipalities and parishes to establish agreements with other governmental entities of the state or certified third-party providers to issue permits and enforce the state uniform construction code.

Proposed law retains present law.

Present law provides that the maximum fees applicable to the issuance of permits and the enforcement of the code shall be established by the governing body of the municipality or parish.

Proposed law retains present law.

Proposed law prohibits municipalities and parishes who establish agreements with other governmental entities of the state or certified third-party providers to enforce the state uniform construction code from imposing a fee for inspections not performed by the municipality or parish if a fee for the inspection was collected by the governmental entity or third-party provider that actually performed the inspection.

(Adds R.S. 40:1730.24(C))