

Ellis County proposed changes related to slaughter house statutes:

Proposed changes to statute:

Change the Agriculture Code, Chapter 148, Section 148.001, subdivision (2) from:

(2) selling livestock, as a primary business, to be slaughtered by the purchaser on premises owned or operated by the seller, in a county with a population of one million or more.

**to:**

(2) selling livestock, as a primary business, to be slaughtered by the purchaser on premises owned or operated by the seller, in a county with a population of one million or more **or to an adjacent county and its adjacent counties.**

**Change the Local Government Code, Chapter 234, Section 234.032, subdivision (2) from:**

(2) is a county adjacent to a county described by Subdivision (1).

**to:**

2) is a county adjacent to a county described by Subdivision (1) **and its adjacent counties.**

**Change the Local Government Code, Chapter 234, Section 234.033 from:**

Sec. 234.033. LOCATION OF SLAUGHTERER. The commissioners court of the county may prohibit the operations of a slaughterer:

**to:**

Sec. 234.033. LOCATION OF SLAUGHTERER. The commissioners court of the county may prohibit the operations of a slaughterer **including any private access roads:**