

HB 1208 -- FOURTH CLASS CITIES

SPONSOR: Alferman

This bill specifies that in fourth class cities, the mayor must be counted for purposes of establishing a quorum in a meeting of the board of aldermen. If a quorum is present and one-half of the members elected or appointed to the board of aldermen vote in favor of the question, the vote must be deemed a tie. If the mayor votes in accordance with one-half of the members to break a tie, the resulting action must be deemed the action of a majority of the board of aldermen.

The bill also specifies that the mayor must exercise general supervision over all the officers and affairs of the city subject to the direction of the board of aldermen.