

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
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**HOUSE BILL 184**  
**Senate Finance Committee Substitute Adopted 5/23/17**

Short Title: Certain Towns/Sewer Fee Collections. (Local)

Sponsors:

Referred to:

February 27, 2017

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
2 AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWNS OF BOLTON, FAIRMONT, LA GRANGE,  
3 PEMBROKE, PROCTORVILLE, ROWLAND, AND ST. PAULS TO BILL AND  
4 COLLECT FEES FOR SEWER SERVICES AS PROPERTY TAXES.

5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

6 **SECTION 1.** G.S. 160A-314 reads as rewritten:

7 "**§ 160A-314. Authority to fix and enforce rates.**

8 ...

9 (a1) ...

10 (4) A city may adopt an ordinance providing that any fee imposed under this  
11 subsection may be billed with property taxes, may be payable in the same  
12 manner as property taxes, and, in the case of nonpayment, may be collected  
13 in any manner by which delinquent personal or real property taxes can be  
14 collected. If an ordinance states that delinquent fees can be collected in the  
15 same manner as delinquent real property taxes, the fees are a lien on the real  
16 property described on the bill that includes the fee.

17 This subdivision applies only to the Cities of Creedmoor, Durham and  
18 Winston-Salem, the Towns of Bolton, Butner, Fairmont, Garner,  
19 Kernersville, Knightdale, La Grange, Morrisville, Pembroke, Proctorville,  
20 Rowland, St. Pauls, Stem, Wendell, and Zebulon, and the Village of  
21 Clemmons.

22 ...."

23 **SECTION 2.** This act is effective when it becomes law.

