By: Schofield H.J.R. No. 22

## A JOINT RESOLUTION

- 1 proposing a constitutional amendment requiring this state to
- 2 observe daylight saving time year-round.
- 3 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 4 SECTION 1. Article XVI, Texas Constitution, is amended by
- 5 adding Section 74 to read as follows:
- 6 Sec. 74. (a) This state shall observe daylight saving time
- 7 year-round throughout the state.
- 8 (b) This section applies to all portions of the state,
- 9 regardless of time zone.
- 10 (c) If a court finds this state is not authorized by federal
- 11 <u>law to implement this section, Subsections</u> (a) and (b) of this
- 12 section have full force and effect on the date the United States
- 13 Congress enacts legislation that becomes law that authorizes this
- 14 state to observe daylight saving time as prescribed by this
- 15 section.
- 16 SECTION 2. This proposed constitutional amendment shall be
- 17 submitted to the voters at an election to be held November 7, 2023.
- 18 The ballot shall be printed to permit voting for or against the
- 19 proposition: "The constitutional amendment requiring this state to
- 20 observe daylight saving time year-round."