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H.J.R. No. 93

A JOINT RESOLUTION

1 proposing a constitutional amendment authorizing Bexar County to  
2 issue bonds or notes to finance the acquisition of real property and  
3 the construction of a building or facility on the property for use  
4 by an institution of higher education and to pledge for repayment of  
5 those bonds or notes increases in revenues from ad valorem taxes  
6 imposed by the county and other political subdivisions on property  
7 located in a designated area of the county.

8 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

9 SECTION 1. Section 1-g, Article VIII, Texas Constitution,  
10 is amended by adding Subsection (c) to read as follows:

11 (c) The legislature by general law may authorize Bexar  
12 County to issue bonds or notes to finance the acquisition of real  
13 property and construction of a building or facility on the property  
14 for use by an institution of higher education selected by the county  
15 and to pledge for repayment of those bonds or notes increases in  
16 revenues from ad valorem taxes imposed by the county and other  
17 political subdivisions on property in an area of the county  
18 designated by the county that includes the real property on which  
19 the building or facility is proposed to be located or is located.

20 SECTION 2. This proposed constitutional amendment shall be  
21 submitted to the voters at an election to be held November 3, 2009.  
22 The ballot shall be printed to permit voting for or against the  
23 proposition: "The constitutional amendment authorizing Bexar  
24 County to issue bonds or notes to finance the acquisition of real

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2 property for use by an institution of higher education and to pledge  
3 for repayment of those bonds or notes increases in revenues from ad  
4 valorem taxes imposed by the county and other political  
5 subdivisions on property located in a designated area of the  
6 county."