By: Villarreal 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 <u>(c) The legislature by general law may authorize Bexar</u>
- 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
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