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H.J.R. No. 132

Substitute the following for H.J.R. No. 132:

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A JOINT RESOLUTION

1 proposing a constitutional amendment relating to the financing,  
2 including through tax increment financing, of the acquisition by  
3 municipalities and counties of buffer areas or open spaces adjacent  
4 to a military installation for certain purposes.

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

6 SECTION 1. Article III, Texas Constitution, is amended by  
7 adding Section 52k to read as follows:

8 Sec. 52k. The legislature by general law may authorize a  
9 municipality or county to issue bonds or notes to finance the  
10 acquisition of buffer areas or open spaces adjacent to a military  
11 installation for the prevention of encroachment or for the  
12 construction of roadways, utilities, or other infrastructure to  
13 protect or promote the mission of the military installation. The  
14 municipality or county may pledge increases in ad valorem tax  
15 revenues imposed in the area by the municipality, county, or other  
16 political subdivisions for repayment of the bonds or notes.

17 SECTION 2. This proposed constitutional amendment shall be  
18 submitted to the voters at an election to be held November 3, 2009.  
19 The ballot shall be printed to permit voting for or against the  
20 proposition: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the  
21 financing, including through tax increment financing, of the  
22 acquisition by municipalities and counties of buffer areas or open  
23 spaces adjacent to a military installation for the prevention of  
24 encroachment or for the construction of roadways, utilities, or

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1 other infrastructure to protect or promote the mission of the  
2 military installation."