

1-1 By: Coleman (Senate Sponsor - Deuell) H.B. No. 2315
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House April 26, 2011;
1-3 April 29, 2011, read first time and referred to Committee on
1-4 Intergovernmental Relations; May 21, 2011, reported favorably by
1-5 the following vote: Yeas 3, Nays 0; May 21, 2011, sent to printer.)

1-6 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-7 AN ACT

1-8 relating to a county's general revenue levy for indigent health
1-9 care.

1-10 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-11 SECTION 1. Section 61.002(5), Health and Safety Code, is
1-12 amended to read as follows:

1-13 (5) "General revenue levy" means:

1-14 (A) the property taxes imposed by a county that
1-15 are not dedicated to:

1-16 (i) the construction and maintenance of
1-17 farm-to-market roads under Article VIII, Section 1-a, Texas
1-18 Constitution;

1-19 (ii) ~~[or to]~~ flood control under Article
1-20 VIII, Section 1-a, ~~[of the]~~ Texas Constitution;

1-21 (iii) ~~[or that are not dedicated to]~~ the
1-22 further maintenance of the public roads under Article VIII, Section
1-23 9, ~~[of the]~~ Texas Constitution; or

1-24 (iv) the payment of principal or interest
1-25 on county debt; and

1-26 (B) the sales and use tax revenue to be received
1-27 by the county during the calendar year in which the state fiscal
1-28 year begins under Chapter 323, Tax Code, as determined under
1-29 Section 26.041(d), Tax Code.

1-30 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
1-31 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
1-32 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
1-33 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
1-34 Act takes effect September 1, 2011.

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