

By: King of Parker

H.B. No. 3945

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT  
2 relating to the annexation of certain territory by the Wise County  
3 Water Control and Improvement District No. 1.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

5 SECTION 1. DEFINITIONS. In this Act:

6 (1) "Board" means the district's board of directors.

7 (2) "District" means the Wise County Water Control and  
8 Improvement District No. 1.

9 SECTION 2. ANNEXATION OF TERRITORY IN WISE COUNTY. (a) The  
10 board may call an election in Wise County to authorize the  
11 district's annexation of all parts of Wise County not within the  
12 district's boundaries on the effective date of this Act.

13 (b) The board may order the annexation and an election to  
14 approve the annexation based on a resolution of the board with or  
15 without a petition requesting the annexation.

16 (c) Except as provided by Subsection (b) of this section,  
17 the annexation of territory and an election under this section must  
18 conform to the requirements of Section 49.302, Water Code,  
19 including any hearing and notice requirements.

20 (d) The ballot for an election under this section must be  
21 printed to provide for voting for or against:

22 (1) the annexation of the territory; and

23 (2) the assumption by the territory proposed to be  
24 annexed of its proportionate share of any outstanding debt of the

1 district.

2           SECTION 3. EFFECTIVE DATE.       This Act takes effect  
3 immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members  
4 elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas  
5 Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for  
6 immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2013.