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A JOINT RESOLUTION

1 proposing a constitutional amendment authorizing school districts

2 to create school security districts and impose ad valorem taxes for

3 crime prevention measures; authorizing a tax.

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

5   SECTION 1. Section 3, Article VII, Texas Constitution, is

6 amended by adding Subsection (f) to read as follows:

7   (f) The Legislature may permit a school district to create

8 a school security district and impose a school security ad valorem

9 tax for the purpose of providing crime prevention measures,

10 provided that the school district is required to obtain voter

11 approval of the creation of the school security district and the

12 imposition of a school security ad valorem tax.   A school security

13 district may be governed in the manner provided by general law.

14   SECTION 2. This proposed constitutional amendment shall be

15 submitted to the voters at an election to be held November 5, 2013.

16 The ballot shall be printed to permit voting for or against the

17 proposition: "The constitutional amendment authorizing school

18 districts to form school security districts and impose ad valorem

19 taxes for crime prevention measures."