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## SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION

2 proposing a constitutional amendment relating to private road work 3 by certain counties.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
SECTION 1. Section 52f, Article III, Texas Constitution, is
amended to read as follows:

Sec. 52f. A county with a population of <u>7,500</u> [<del>5,000</del>] or less, according to the most recent federal census, may construct and maintain private roads if it imposes a reasonable charge for the work. The Legislature by general law may limit this authority. Revenue received from private road work may be used only for the construction, including right-of-way acquisition, or maintenance of public roads.

SECTION 2. This proposed constitutional amendment shall be submitted to the voters at an election to be held November 3, 2015. The ballot shall be printed to permit voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment to authorize counties with a population of 7,500 or less to perform private road construction and maintenance."

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