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## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

- 2 relating to territory of county assistance districts.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- SECTION 1. Section 387.003, Local Government Code, is 4
- amended by amending Subsection (a) and adding Subsection (k) to
- read as follows: 6
- 7 (a) The commissioners court of the county may call an
- election on the question of creating a county assistance district
- under this chapter. More than one county assistance district may be
- created in a county. A district may consist of noncontiguous 10
- 11 tracts.
- 12 (k) A district annexing territory under this section may
- annex territory that is not adjacent or contiguous to the district. 13
- 14 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2017.