By: Meyer H.B. No. 3971

Substitute the following for H.B. No. 3971:

By: Murphy C.S.H.B. No. 3971

## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

- 2 relating to the appraisal for ad valorem tax purposes of
- 3 residential real property located in a designated historic
- 4 district.
- 5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 6 SECTION 1. Section 23.013, Tax Code, is amended by adding
- 7 Subsection (e) to read as follows:
- 8 (e) In this subsection, "designated historic district"
- 9 means an area that is zoned or otherwise designated as a historic
- 10 district under municipal, state, or federal law. In determining
- 11 the market value of residential real property located in a
- 12 <u>designated historic district</u>, the chief appraiser shall consider
- 13 the effect on the property's value of any restriction placed by the
- 14 historic district on the property owner's ability to alter,
- 15 improve, or repair the property.
- 16 SECTION 2. This Act applies to the appraisal for ad valorem
- 17 tax purposes of residential real property only for a tax year
- 18 beginning on or after the effective date of this Act.
- 19 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect January 1, 2022.