

1-1 By: Johnson, West S.B. No. 1494
1-2 (In the Senate - Filed February 20, 2025; March 6, 2025,
1-3 read first time and referred to Committee on State Affairs;
1-4 March 31, 2025, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 10,
1-5 Nays 0; March 31, 2025, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

1-7	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-8	X			
1-9	X			
1-10	X			
1-11	X			
1-12	X			
1-13	X			
1-14	X			
1-15	X			
1-16	X			
1-17			X	
1-18	X			

1-19 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-20 AN ACT

1-21 relating to the authority of certain political subdivisions to
1-22 change the date of their general elections.

1-23 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-24 SECTION 1. Section 41.0052(a), Election Code, is amended to
1-25 read as follows:

1-26 (a) The governing body of a political subdivision, other
1-27 than a county or municipal utility district, that holds its general
1-28 election for officers on a date other than the November uniform
1-29 election date may, not later than December 31, 2026 [~~2016~~], change
1-30 the date on which it holds its general election for officers to the
1-31 November uniform election date.

1-32 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
1-33 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
1-34 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
1-35 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
1-36 Act takes effect September 1, 2025.

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