

1-1 By: Hall S.J.R. No. 50
 1-2 (In the Senate - Filed February 14, 2023; February 14, 2023,
 1-3 read first time and referred to Committee on Administration;
 1-4 February 15, 2023, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 6,
 1-5 Nays 0; February 15, 2023, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

| | Yea | Nay | Absent | PNV |
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| 1-13 | X | | | |
| 1-14 | X | | | |

1-15 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION

1-16 proposing a constitutional amendment relating to appropriations
 1-17 for the preservation and perpetuation of certain items of
 1-18 historical value; allowing the legislature and state agencies to
 1-19 accept on behalf of the state gifts of items of historical value and
 1-20 contributions to purchase such items.

1-21 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-22 SECTION 1. Section 39, Article XVI, Texas Constitution, is
 1-23 amended to read as follows:

1-24 Sec. 39. The Legislature may, from time to time, make
 1-25 appropriations for preserving and perpetuating memorials of the
 1-26 history of Texas, by means of monuments, statues, paintings, films,
 1-27 videotapes, audiotapes, computer files or other electronic storage
 1-28 media, and documents of historical value. The Legislature or an
 1-29 agency of the state may accept on behalf of the state gifts of items
 1-30 of historical value and contributions to purchase items of
 1-31 historical value.

1-32 SECTION 2. This proposed constitutional amendment shall be
 1-33 submitted to the voters at an election to be held November 7, 2023.
 1-34 The ballot shall be printed to permit voting for or against the
 1-35 proposition: "The constitutional amendment allowing the
 1-36 legislature to make appropriations for preserving and perpetuating
 1-37 certain items of historical value and allowing the legislature and
 1-38 state agencies to accept on behalf of the state gifts of items of
 1-39 historical value and contributions to preserve and perpetuate such
 1-40 items."

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