HB 1361 -- Joint Municipal Utility Commission Act

Sponsor: Hobbs

This bill allows the governing body of each contracting municipality in a joint municipal utility commission to vote on whether or not the commission should issue bonds to finance various activities related to the production, distribution, and utilization of water. Current law requires that the issuance of bonds for these purposes be put to a vote of the people, not just the governing body.

The bill requires the approval of three-fourths of all governing bodies of the contracting municipalities before the bonds can be issued.