HB 2114 -- BARTON COUNTY SALES TAX

SPONSOR: Kelley

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass" by the Standing Committee on Local Government by a vote of 7 to 4.

This bill authorizes, upon voter approval, Barton County to repeal a property tax and replace it with a sales tax of up to 1% for the funding of a hospital district.

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that the property tax does not generate enough revenue.

Testifying for the bill was Representative Kelley.

OPPONENTS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.