

HB 3143 -- SENIOR SERVICES PROGRAM SALES TAX

SPONSOR: Parker

This bill allows the governing body of any county to impose a 0.25% sales tax for the purpose of funding senior services.

The tax authorized by this bill must be approved by voters of the county in order to be collected.

The bill allows the governing body of any county that has authorized the tax, and whose voters have approved the tax, to repeal the tax, subject to voter approval. The bill creates a petition process for the repeal of the tax as well.

Each county imposing the tax authorized by this bill must establish a senior services tax commission to administer the tax revenue dedicated to providing senior services. The commission will consist of seven members appointed by the county commission, which will determine the qualifications, terms of office, compensation, powers, duties, restrictions, procedures, and all other necessary functions of the senior services tax commission.