FIRST REGULAR SESSION

[TRULY AGREED TO AND FINALLY PASSED]

HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NOS. 23 & 3

103RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

1465H.02T 2025

JOINT RESOLUTION

Submitting to the qualified voters of Missouri an amendment repealing Section 18(b) of Article VI of the Constitution of Missouri, and adopting one new section in lieu thereof relating to assessors.

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring therein:

That at the next general election to be held in the state of Missouri, on Tuesday next following the first Monday in November, 2026, or at a special election to be called by the governor for that purpose, there is hereby submitted to the qualified voters of this state, for adoption or rejection, the following amendment to Article VI of the Constitution of the state of Missouri:

Section A. Section 18(b), Article VI, Constitution of Missouri, is repealed and one new section adopted in lieu thereof, to be known as Section 18(b), to read as follows:

Section 18(b). The charter shall provide for its amendment**[**~~,~~**];** for the form of the county government**[**~~,~~**]; for** the number, kinds, manner of selection, terms of office**,** and salaries of the county officers**[**~~,~~**];** and for the exercise of all powers and duties of counties and county officers prescribed by the constitution and laws of the state**[**~~,~~**].** However, such charter shall**[**~~, except for the charter of any county with a charter form of government and with more than six hundred thousand but fewer than seven hundred thousand inhabitants,~~**]** require the assessor of the county to be an elected officer **and to comply with all training provisions required by general law**.

This is Jackson County that is lined out

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EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets **[**~~thus~~**]** in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.