

## House Concurrent Resolution No. 5008

By Committee on Water and Environment

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1 A PROPOSITION to amend article 11 of the constitution of the state of  
2 Kansas by adding a new section thereto, concerning the sales and  
3 compensating use tax and the state water plan fund, contributions.  
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5 *Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Kansas, two-thirds of the*  
6 *members elected (or appointed) and qualified to the House of*  
7 *Representatives and two-thirds of the members elected (or appointed)*  
8 *and qualified to the Senate concurring therein:*

9 Section 1. The following proposition to amend the constitution of  
10 the state of Kansas shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the state  
11 for their approval or rejection: Article 11 of the constitution of the state of  
12 Kansas is hereby amended by adding a new section to read as follows:

13 "**§ 14. Sales and compensating use tax; state water plan**  
14 **fund, contributions.** Commencing on July 1, 2019, and  
15 continuing on a quarterly basis, 0.1% of the sales and  
16 compensating use tax collected shall be remitted to the state  
17 treasurer and credited to the state water plan fund and such  
18 funds shall only be used for water-related purposes."

19 Sec. 2. The following statement shall be printed on the ballot with  
20 the amendment as a whole:

21 "*Explanatory statement.* The purpose of this amendment is to  
22 provide for adequate funding of the state water plan.

23 "A vote for this proposition would provide, commencing on  
24 July 1, 2019, that 0.1% of the moneys collected from the  
25 existing sales and compensating use tax be deposited in the  
26 state water plan fund to implement the long-term vision for  
27 the future of the water supply in Kansas.

28 "A vote against this proposition would make no changes in  
29 current law with no portion of the existing sales and  
30 compensating use tax specifically allocated to the state water  
31 plan fund."

32 Sec. 3. This resolution, if approved by two-thirds of the members  
33 elected (or appointed) and qualified to the House of Representatives, and  
34 two-thirds of the members elected (or appointed) and qualified to the  
35 Senate shall be entered on the journals, together with the yeas and nays.  
36 The secretary of state shall cause this resolution to be published as

1 provided by law and shall cause the proposed amendment to be submitted  
2 to the electors of the state at the general election in November in the year  
3 2018, unless a special election is called at a sooner date by concurrent  
4 resolution of the legislature, in which case it shall be submitted to the  
5 electors of the state at the special election.