SECTION 2. Subchapter B, Chapter 45, Government Code, is amended by adding Section 45.243 to read as follows:

Sec. 45.243. LAVACA COUNTY. (a) In Lavaca County, the county attorney of Lavaca County shall perform the duties imposed on and have the powers conferred on district attorneys by general law.

(b) The county attorney of Lavaca County or the Commissioners Court of Lavaca County may accept gifts or grants from any individual, partnership, corporation, trust, foundation, association, or governmental entity for the purpose of financing or assisting the operation of the office of county attorney in Lavaca County. The county attorney shall account for and report to the commissioners court all gifts or grants accepted under this subsection.

SECTION 3. Section 46.002, Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 46.002. PROSECUTORS SUBJECT TO CHAPTER. This chapter applies to the state prosecuting attorney, all county prosecutors, and the following state prosecutors:

(1) the district attorneys for Kenedy and Kleberg Counties and for the 1st, 2nd, 8th, 9th, 12th, 18th, 21st, 23rd, 25th, 26th, 27th, 29th, 31st, 32nd, 33rd, 34th, 35th, 36th, 38th, 39th, 42nd, 43rd, 46th, 47th, 49th, 50th, 51st, 52nd, 53rd, 63rd, 64th, 66th, 69th, 70th, 76th, 81st, 83rd, 84th, 85th, 88th, 90th, 97th, 100th, 105th, 106th, 109th, 110th, 112th, 118th, 119th, 123rd, 142nd, 143rd, 145th, 156th, 159th, 173rd, 196th, 198th, 216th, 220th, 229th, 235th, 253rd, 258th, 259th, 266th, 268th, 271st, 286th, 329th, 344th, 349th, 355th, and 506th judicial districts;

(2) the criminal district attorneys for the counties of Anderson, Bastrop, Bexar, Bowie, Brazoria, Caldwell, Calhoun, Cass, Collin, Comal, Dallas, Deaf Smith, Denton, Eastland, Fannin, Galveston, Grayson, Gregg, Harrison, Hays, Hidalgo, Jasper, Jefferson, Kaufman, Lubbock, McLennan, Madison, Navarro, Newton, Panola, Polk, Randall, Rockwall, San Jacinto, Smith, Tarrant, Taylor, Tyler, Upshar, Van Zandt, Victoria, Walker, Waller, Wichita, Wood, and Yoakum; and

(3) the county attorneys performing the duties of district attorneys in the counties of Andrews, Callahan, Cameron, Castro, Colorado, Crosby, Ellis, Falls, Freestone, Lamar, Lamb, Lampasas, Lavaca, Lee, Limestone, Marion, Milam, Morris, Ochiltree, Orange, Rains, Red River, Robertson, Rusk, Swisher, Terry, Webb, and Willacy.

SECTION 4. This Act takes effect September 1, 2013.

Passed by the House on May 1, 2013: Yeas 145, Nays 0, 1 present, not voting; passed by the Senate on May 22, 2013: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Approved June 14, 2013.

Effective September 1, 2013.

CHAPTER 645

H.B. No. 738

AN ACT

relating to the review of the creation of certain proposed municipal utility districts by county commissioners courts.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. Section 54.0161, Water Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 54.0161. REVIEW OF CREATION BY COUNTY. (a) This section applies only to a proposed district all of which is to be located outside the corporate limits of a municipality.

(a-1) Promptly after a petition is filed with the commission to create a district to which this section applies, the commission shall notify the commissioners court of any county in which the proposed district is to be located.

(a-2) The [If all or part of a proposed district is to be located outside the extraterritorial jurisdiction of a city, the] commissioners court of a [the] county in which the district is to be
located may review the petition for creation and other evidence and information relating to
the proposed district that the commissioners consider necessary. Petitioners for the creation
of a district shall submit to the county commissioners court any relevant information
requested by the commissioners court.

(b) In the event the county commissioners court votes to submit information to the
commission or to make a recommendation regarding the creation of the proposed district,
the commissioners court shall submit to the commission, at least 10 days before the
date set for action on the petition, a written opinion stating:

(1) whether the commissioners court recommends the creation of the proposed district; and

(2) any findings, conclusions, and other information that the commissioners court
would assist the commission in making a final determination on the petition.

(c) In passing on a petition subject to this section, the commission shall consider the written opinion submitted by the county commissioners court.

SECTION 2. The changes in law made by this Act apply only to a petition for the
creation of a municipal utility district that is filed with the Texas Commission on Environmen-
tal Quality on or after the effective date of this Act. A petition pending before the Texas
Commission on Environmental Quality on the effective date of this Act is governed by the law
in effect at the time the petition was filed, and that law is continued in effect for that purpose.

SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2013.

Passed by the House on May 8, 2013: Yeas 147, Nays 0, 2 present, not voting; passed
by the Senate on May 22, 2013: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Approved June 14, 2013.

Effective September 1, 2013.

CHAPTER 646

H.B. No. 753

AN ACT

relating to certain information to be provided by school districts to parents concerning supplemental educational services and to Texas Education Agency approval and investigation of supplemental educational services providers.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. Chapter 26, Education Code, is amended by adding Section 26.0082 to read
as follows:

Sec. 26.0082. SUPPLEMENTAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICES. (a) In this section,
"rigorous research" means research that includes:

(1) a study design that employs either a randomized controlled trial or a quasi-
experimental design;

(2) an adequate measure of outcomes; and

(3) reliable and valid results.

(b) As part of the annual notice a school district provides to parents under 20 U.S.C.
Section 6316(c)(2)(A) concerning supplemental educational services, the district shall include
information provided to the district by the agency that:

(1) identifies characteristics of supplemental educational services that, based on rigor-
ous research, have been demonstrated to be more likely to foster improvement in student
academic performance, including information concerning the minimum number of hours
of tutoring necessary for improved performance; and