

BILL ANALYSIS

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DIGEST AND PURPOSE

Current Texas law provides for the creation of conservation and reclamation districts which are authorized to incur indebtedness to provide permanent improvements and to levy taxes for the maintenance and operation of such improvements. H.B. 3612 creates a conservation and reclamation district to be known as the Garfield Municipal Utility District No. 1, which is located within Bastrop County and is subject to both approval of the City of Bastrop and a confirmation election.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY

This bill does not expressly grant any additional rulemaking authority to a state officer, institution, or agency.

SECTION BY SECTION ANALYSIS

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SECTION 16. EFFECTIVE DATE. Effective date: upon passage or September 1, 2003.