

HJR 4 -- Compensation for Elected Officials

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Upon voter approval, this proposed constitutional amendment prevents the proposed compensation schedule due from the Commission on Compensation for Elected Officials on December 1 every two years from including an increase in compensation for elected state officials or members of the General Assembly if in the previous fiscal year there is an increase in the seasonally adjusted unemployment percentage of the state civilian job force based on data reported by the United States Bureau of Labor Statistics, if the final state sales and use taxes collected are less than that collected the previous fiscal year, or if 75% or more of all state employees failed to receive a cost-of-living or a general pay increase that would be equal to or greater than the commission's proposed percentage increase in compensation for the elected officials or members of the General Assembly.