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Under general law in chapter 375A, a county may make the offices of recorder and auditor-treasurer appointive if approved by a referendum. This bill would allow Marshall County to make these offices appointed positions, subject to an 80 percent vote of the county board and reverse referendum. It also provides for each current officeholder to complete the term to which the officer was elected before an office is made appointive. The bill, if enacted, is effective upon local approval.