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assume this is...is this county court, or district court, or either one, or how is it being done now?

SENATOR AGUILAR: District court.

SENATOR BEUTLER: District court? Okay. And you would...under this bill, would it be the prerogative of any district court to establish a drug program? Is that what...is that how it's thought of? There's other language in there that speaks to rules and regulations by the Supreme Court, but I'm assuming...well, maybe I shouldn't be assuming. In order to use the tools that are in this bill, is it your intent that the Supreme Court should make rules and regulations first, or could a local district court decide to go ahead and implement the tools in this bill absent rules and regulations from the Supreme Court?

SENATOR AGUILAR: Actually, Senator, that's what's happening now. We simply have the language in there so if down the road the Supreme Court chooses to make them all more like each other then they have that authority to do so.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Okay. But under...but what they're doing now, apparently, hopefully, is within the purvey (sic) of current statutes, right?

SENATOR AGUILAR: Yes, it is.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Okay. And the bill talks about the local governing board, the drug court program's local governing body, and then, at least in my quick perusal of the bill, it didn't say anything else anywhere in the bill about who that governing body is and what the authority of that governing body would be. Can you elucidate us on that a little bit more?

SENATOR AGUILAR: Well, if I understand it correctly, the governing board basically is made up of a variety of people--law enforcement, judicial, maybe the county attorney, the prosecuting attorney--and they are the ones that make the determination of whether...who are...who or who not is eligible to participate.