

\*\* REVISION \*\*

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

COMMITTEE: Elections

TIME & DATE: 10:30 AM or upon final adjourn./recess or bill referral if  
permission granted  
Thursday, April 27, 2023

PLACE: E2.016

CHAIR: Rep. Reggie Smith

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**\*\* Public testimony will be limited to two (2) minutes. The order in which bills are heard is at the discretion of the chair. \*\***

SB 747 Hughes  
Relating to the withdrawal of a candidate in a runoff primary election.

SB 221 Bettencourt  
Relating to requirements for certain petitions requesting an election and ballot propositions.

SB 825 Bettencourt  
Relating to the deadline for submitting certain recount petitions.

SB 1750 Bettencourt Posting Rule Suspended  
Relating to abolishing the county elections administrator position in certain counties.

SB 994 Schwertner | et al.  
Relating to the declaration of a candidate's ineligibility on the basis of failure to pay a filing fee or submit a petition in lieu of a filing fee.

SB 1661 Hughes  
Relating to a ballot scan system used in a central counting station.

HB 4782 Smith  
Relating to electioneering conducted near a polling place.

For those persons who will be testifying, information for in-person witness registration, can be found here:

<https://mytxlegis.capitol.texas.gov/HWRSPublic/About.aspx>

A live video broadcast of this hearing will be available here:

<https://house.texas.gov/video-audio/>

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Bills added after last posting:  
SB 1750

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   of this notice.

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