

WITNESS LIST

Agriculture & Rural Affairs

March 7, 2011 1:30 PM - or upon adjournment

SB 199

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Dimitry, Lauren Policy Coordinator (Texans Care for Children), Austin, TX
Gamez, Erin Elizabeth Authorized Representative (Texas Alliance of Boys and Girls Clubs), Dripping Springs, TX
Guffey, Jessica Co-Director, Grow Local (Sustainable Food Center), Austin, TX
Moorhead, Bee Executive Director (Texas Impact), Austin, TX
Olson, Ann Public Policy Specialist (Texas Baptist Christian Life Commission), Austin, TX
Reaves, Jim Director, Legislative and Regulatory Affairs (Texas Nursery & Landscape Association), Austin, TX
Sabo, Jason Senior Vice President (United Ways of Texas), Austin, TX
Turner, Bob Rancher, Consultant (Texas Poultry Federation), Voss, TX

On:

Wright Steele, Catherine Governmental Affairs Director (Texas Department of Agriculture), Austin, TX

SB 248

FOR:

Boerner, Ben President (Texas Grain and Feed Association), Fort Worth, TX
Caldwell, George Associate Director, Commodities (Texas Farm Bureau), Waco, TX
Gibson, David Executive Vice President (Corn Producers Association of Texas), Lubbock, TX
Hodges, Ken Associate Legislative Director (Texas Farm Bureau), Austin, TX
Vaughn, Dee Farmer, Board Member (Corn Producers Association of Texas), Dumas, TX
Wetzel, Bruce Producer, Board Member (Corn Producers Association), Sherman, TX

ON:

Deberry, Drew Deputy Commissioner (Texas Department of Agriculture), Austin, TX

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Cleveland, Wayne Executive Director (Texas Grain Sorghum Association), Salado, TX
Engelke, Tommy Executive Vice President (Texas Agricultural Cooperative Council), Austin, TX

SB 387

FOR:

Curtis, Steven President (AME Austin Seafood Products, Inc.), Austin, TX
Woody, Tracy General Manager (Jeri's Seafood Inc.), Anahual, TX

ON:

Wiles, Kirk Manager (Department of State Health Services), Austin, TX

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For:

Hodges, Ken Associative Legislative Director (Texas Farm Bureau), Austin, TX

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SB 390

FOR:

Adkins, Carl (Texas Bass Federation Nation), San Marcos, TX
Bender, Steven Regional Representative (National Wildlife Federation), Austin, TX
Parten, Ed Executive Director (Texas Black Bass Unlimited), Houston, TX
Uiland, Jr., Joseph A. (G.R.T.U.N.), Garden Ridge, TX

ON:

Smith, Carter Executive Director (Texas Parks and Wildlife), Austin, TX

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Bevill, Vernon President (Texas Wildlife and Fisheries Management Council), Mountain City, TX
Brown, Kirby Vice President of Public Policy (Texas Wildlife Association), San Antonio, TX
Kramer, Ken Director (Lone Star Chapter, Sierra Club), Austin, TX
Park, Joey (Coastal Conservation Association of Texas), Austin, TX
Weinberg, David Executive Director (Texas League of Conservative Voters), Austin, TX

SB 478

FOR:

Baggett, Donnis (Texas Bison Association, Lucky B Bison), Waco, TX
Hodges, Ken Associate Legislative Director (Texas Farm Bureau), Austin, TX

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Brown, Kirby Vice President of Public Policy (Texas Wildlife Association), San Antonio, TX

SB 479

FOR:

Calame, Cullen (Denton Creek Farms), Decatur, TX

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Hodges, Ken Associate Legislative Director (Texas Farm Bureau), Austin, TX
Skaggs, Jason Executive Director of Government and Public Affairs (Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association), Austin, TX

SB 766

FOR:

Cotton, Charles (Self), Friendswood, TX
Tripp, Alice Lobbyist (Texas State Rifle Association), Paige, TX
Walker, Dan (Texas State Rifle Association), Leander, TX
Williams, Ralph Owner (Ralph's Range), Tom Bean, TX

AGAINST:

Crawford, Lauren Legal Counsel (Texas Municipal League), Austin, TX

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Simmons, Gary (Self), Lago Vista, TX

ON:

Small, Ed Attorney (Self), Austin, TX

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For:

Turner, Bob Rancher, Consultant (Texas Poultry Federation, Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association), Voss, TX

Williams, Marrion (Self), Tom Bean, TX