

WITNESS LIST

Intergovernmental Relations

February 27, 2013 1:30 PM - or upon adjournment

Invited Testimony

ON:

Maler, Gary Director (Mays Business School Real Estate Center), College Station, TX

SB 109

FOR:

Irvine, Tim Executive Director (Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs),  
Austin, TX

Registering, but not testifying:

FOR:

Brown, Jim T. (Texas Affiliation of Affordable Housing Providers), Austin, TX  
Gardner, Melissa Policy Intern (Texans Care for Children), Austin, TX  
Rickers, Emily (Alliance for Texas Families), Austin, TX  
Talerico, Jeanne Executive Director (TX Association of Local Housing Finance Agencies),  
Austin, TX

ON:

Trejo, Naomi Administrator (Texas Department of Housing & Community Affairs),  
Austin, TX

SB 159

FOR:

Bass, C. Douglas (Dallas County), Dallas, TX  
Pardue, Craig (Dallas County), Dallas, TX

Registering, but not testifying:

FOR:

Allison, Jim (County Judges & Commissioners Assn of Tx), Austin, TX  
Lee, Donald Executive Director (Texas Conference of Urban Counties), Austin, TX  
Mendez, Mark (Tarrant County Commissioners Court), Ft. Worth, TX  
Mitchell, Seth Assistant to the County Manager (Bexar County Commissions Court), San  
Antonio, TX  
Sugg, Paul (Texas Association of Counties), Austin, TX

SB 170

FOR:

Allison, Jim (County Judges & Commissioners Assn of Tx), Austin, TX  
Bresnen, Steve (El Paso County), Austin, TX  
Floyd, Beaman (Texas Coalition for Affordable Insurance Solutions), Austin, TX  
Lee, Donald (Texas Conference of Urban Counties), Austin, TX  
Munoz, Ned (Texas Association of Builders), Austin, TX

AGAINST:

Peacock, Bill (Texas Public Policy Foundation), Austin, TX

Registering, but not testifying:

FOR:

Mendez, Mark (Tarrant County), Ft. Worth, TX

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Mitchell, Seth Assistant to the County Manager (Bexar County Commissions Court), San Antonio, TX  
Power, David Deputy Director (Public Citizen), Austin, TX  
Rickers, Emily (Alliance for Texas Families), Austin, TX  
Sugg, Paul (Texas Association of Counties), Austin, TX  
Talerico, Jeanne (TX Association of Local Housing Finance Agencies), Austin, TX

SB 193

FOR:

Robinson, Jim Chief Appraiser, Harris CAD (Texas Assn of Appraisal Districts), Houston, TX

Registering, but not testifying:

FOR:

Brown, Jim Executive Director (Texas Affiliation of Affordable Housing and Community Affairs), Austin, TX  
Mintz, David Vice President of Government Affairs (Texas Apartment Association), Austin, TX  
Talerico, Jeanne Executive Director (TX Association of Local Housing Finance Agencies), Austin, TX

ON:

Bast, Cynthia (Locke Lord LLP), Austin, TX  
Irvine, Tim Executive Director (Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs), Austin, TX

SB 194

Registering, but not testifying:

FOR:

Allison, Jim (County Judges & Commissioners Assn of Tx), Austin, TX  
Lee, Donald (Texas Conference of Urban Counties), Austin, TX  
Munoz, Ned (Texas Association of Builders), Austin, TX  
Sugg, Paul (Texas Association of Counties), Austin, TX

SB 265

FOR:

Kester, David Director of Human Resources and Risk Management (Harris County), Houston, TX

Registering, but not testifying:

FOR:

Allison, Jim (County Judges & Commissioners Assn of Tx), Austin, TX  
Bresnen, Steve (El Paso County), Austin, TX  
Lee, Don (Texas Conference of Urban Counties), Austin, TX  
Mitchell, Seth Assistant to the County Manager (Bexar County Commissions Court), San Antonio, TX  
Nichols, Kelly Insurance Manager (Harris County), Houston, TX  
Pardue, Craig (Dallas County), Dallas, TX

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Pasley, Aubrey Management Analyst (Harris County), Houston, TX

SB 273

Registering, but not testifying:

FOR:

Lary, Trey Attorney (Victorian Gardens, Ltd.), Houston, TX

Ring, Justin (EHRA, Inc.), Houston, TX

Trapolino, Jennie (Victorian Gardens, Ltd.), Houston, TX

SB 351

Registering, but not testifying:

FOR:

Dynum, Russell (KB Home), Houston, TX

ON:

Kugle, Julianne B. (KB Home), Houston, TX

SB 359

FOR:

Johnson, Cheryl RTA, Galveston County Tax Assessor Collector (also providing written testimony) (Galveston County Tax Office), Galveston, TX

Registering, but not testifying:

FOR:

Crider, Rachael (Galveston County Tax Office), Galveston, TX

Strauser, Bob (Texas Association of Property Tax Professionals), Austin, TX

Swift, Sheryl (Galveston County Tax Office), Galveston, TX

SB 382

FOR:

Grafton, Diana (Dallas County), Dallas, TX

Pardue, Craig (Dallas County), Dallas, TX

Registering, but not testifying:

FOR:

Allison, Jim (County Judges & Commissioners Assn of Tx), Austin, TX

Johnson, Cheryl RTA, Galveston County Tax Assessor Collector (Galveston County Tax Office), Galveston, TX

Lee, Donald Executive Director (Texas Conference of Urban Counties), Austin, TX

Mendez, Mark (Tarrant County Commissioners Court), Ft. Worth, TX

Sugg, Paul (Texas Association of Counties), Austin, TX

Swift, Sheryl (Galveston County Tax Office), Galveston, TX

SB 385

FOR:

Cauduro, Paul (also providing written testimony) (Texas Combined Heat & Power Initiative), Buda, TX

Heydinger, Charlene (also providing written testimony) (Keeping PACE in Texas), Austin, TX

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Minick, Stephen (also providing written testimony) (Texas Association of Business),  
Austin, TX

Morriss, James (Thompson & Knight, LLP), Austin, TX

Winland, Christopher (Good Company Associates), Austin, TX

Zubicek, Vince (Schneider Electric), TX

Registering, but not testifying:

FOR:

Blevins, Chad (The Butler Firm), Austin, TX

Calcote, ML (Real Estate Council of San Antonio), Austin, TX

Casto, Larry Legislative Director (City of Dallas), Dallas, TX

Hess, Myron (National Wildlife Federation), Austin, TX

Igo, Shanna Deputy Executive Director (Texas Municipal League), Austin, TX

Laborde, Blanca (The Real Estate Council, The Real Estate Councils of Texas), Austin, TX

Lee, Donald (Texas Conference of Urban Counties), Austin, TX

Lieberknecht, Chloe Director of Government Relations (The Nature Conservancy), Austin,  
TX

Metzger, Luke (Environment Texas), Austin, TX

Miller, Robert (Texas Building Owners and Managers Association), Austin, TX

Power, David Deputy Director (Public Citizen), Austin, TX

Ross, Susan (Texas Renewable Energy Industries Association), Austin, TX

Seidlits, Curtis (City of El Paso), Austin, TX

Sugg, Paul (Texas Association of Counties), Austin, TX

Tierney Alofsin, Patricia Director of Government Relations for Austin Energy (City of  
Austin), Austin, TX

Weinberg, David Executive Director (Texas League of Conservation Voters), Austin, TX

Zerrenner, Kate (Environmental Defense Fund), Austin, TX

ON:

Averitt, Kip (Texas Clean Energy Coalition), Austin, TX

Brown, Sabrina (Dow Chemical), Austin, TX

Scurlock, Steve (Independent Bankers Association of Texas), Austin, TX

SB 476

FOR:

Johnson, Cheryl RTA, Galveston County Tax Assessor Collector (Galveston County Tax  
Office), Galveston, TX

Nelson, Jack (Propel Financial Services), San Antonio, TX

Rickers, Emily (Alliance for Texas Families), Austin, TX

Registering, but not testifying:

FOR:

Crider, Rachael (Galveston County Tax Office), Galveston, TX

Embrey, Celeste (Texas Bankers Association), Austin, TX

Fleming, John (Texas Mortgage Bankers), Austin, TX

Gaines, Erin (Alliance for Texas Families), Austin, TX

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Gonzalez, Daniel (Texas Association of Realtors), Austin, TX

Henneberger, John (Texas Low Income Housing Information Service), Austin, TX

Scurlock, Steve (Independent Bankers Association of Texas), Austin, TX

Swift, Sheryl (Galveston County Tax Office), Galveston, TX