

WITNESS LIST

Education

April 16, 2015 9:00 AM

SB 1012

FOR:

Acevedo, Fidel District XII Director (LULAC District XII), Austin, TX
JONES, ADAM (TEXANS FOR EDUCATION REFORM), AUSTIN, TX
Linn, Julie President (Texans for Education Reform), Austin, TX
Morath, Mike Dallas ISD Board of Trustee Member (Self), Dallas, TX

AGAINST:

Beneski, Amy Associate Executive Director (Texas Association of School Administrators),
Austin, TX
Campbell, Grover Assoc Exec Dir for Gov Relations (Tx Assoc of School Boards), Austin,
TX
Exter, Monty Lobbyist (The Association of Texas Professional Educators), Austin, TX
Hollingsworth, Jr., Lonnie Director of Governmental Relations/Legal Services (also
providing written testimony) (Texas Classroom Teachers Association), Austin, TX
Quinzi, Patty Legislative Counsel (also providing written testimony) (Tx-American
Federation of Teachers), Austin, TX

ON:

Anthony, David CEO (also providing written testimony) (Raise Your Hand Texas),
Austin, TX

Registering, but not testifying:

FOR:

Boswell, Courtney Executive Director (Texas Institute for Education Reform), Austin, TX
Brooks, Jeffrey Policy Analyst (Texas Conservative Coalition), Austin, TX
Dunn, David Exec Director (TCSA), Austin, TX
Salinas, Nelson Govt. Affairs Manager (Texas Assoc. of Business), Austin, TX
Venable, Peggy policy director (Americans for Prosperity-Texas), Austin, TX
Yancy Diane L. Norman, Justin Executive Director (Texas Business Leadership Council),
Austin, TX

AGAINST:

Banks, Yannis (Texas NAACP), Austin, TX
Bazaldua, Laura V. teacher (Self), Edinburg, TX
Csaplar, Zoltan National Representative (Texas AFT), Mission, TX
Garces Jr., Manuel Teacher (Self), Elsa, TX
Grey, John Government Relations Specialist (Texas State Teachers Association), Austin,
TX
Nichols, Colby General Counsel (Texas Rural Education Association), Austin, TX
Solis, Alexia Anne Representative (Texas AFT), Palmview, TX

Providing written testimony:

FOR:

Holiday, Andres Director of External Affairs (South San Antonio Chamber of Commerce),
San Antonio, TX

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AGAINST:

Haenisch, Barry Executive Director (Texas Association of Community Schools), Austin, TX

SB 1309

ON:

Rozell, Zach DIRECTOR (ITEACH TEXAS), DENTON, TX

Registering, but not testifying:

FOR:

Cardenas, Melva V. Executive Director (Texas Association of School Personnel Administrators), Austin, TX

ON:

Meroney, Shannon Counsel (Coalition of Effective Educator Preparation (CEEP)), Austin, TX

SB 1723

FOR:

Taylor, Paul Director (Texas Association of School Boards Risk Management), Austin, TX

Registering, but not testifying:

FOR:

Beneski, Amy Associate Executive Director (Texas Association of School Administrators), Austin, TX

Haenisch, Barry Executive Director (Texas Association of Community Schools), Austin, TX

Nichols, Colby General Counsel (Texas Rural Education Association), Austin, TX

SB 1900

FOR:

Boswell, Courtney Executive Director (Texas Institute for Education Reform), Austin, TX
Denison, Christine Campus Director (Principal) (also providing written testimony) (Uplift Education), Dallas, TX

Dunn, David Executive Director (Texas Charter Schools Association), Austin, TX

FEINBERG, MIKE CO-FOUNDER (KIPP Public Schools), HOUSTON, TX

Fernandez, Adriana Parent. (KIPP.), Houston, TX

Gore, Rex Rex Gore Citizen (Idea public school, regl board) (Self), Austin, TX

Horne, Michael Principal (KIPP Dallas-Fort Worth), Dallas, TX

Jiles, Jodie (Self/KIPP Public Schools), Austin, TX

Linn, Julie President (Texans for Education Reform), Austin, TX

MANN, DAWN BOARD CHAIR, PARENT - (UPLIFT EDUCATION), DALLAS, TX

Morris, Lalla V. Director of Finance & Operations (Families Empowered), Pearland, TX

Ramirez, Vanessa Program Manager, KIPP Alumna (KIPP Houston Public Schools), Houston, TX

Sosa, Miriam INTERN-PUBLIC RELATIONS (FAMILIES EMPOWERED), Houston, TX

Zimmermann, Kathleen Executive Director (NYOS Charter School), Austin, TX

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AGAINST:

Freeman, Ray Deputy Executive Director (The Equity Center), Austin, TX

ON:

Dawn-Fisher, Lisa Chief School Finance Officer (Texas Education Agency), Austin, TX

Ritter, Gary W. Professor (Univ. of AR), Fayetteville, AR

Registering, but not testifying:

FOR:

Glenn, Eric Consultant (Texas Charter School Association), Austin, TX

Gomez, Addie Director of Government Affairs (Texans for Quality Public Charter Schools), Austin, TX

Gonzalez, George Chairman-UPrep KPO (UPrep KIPP Public Charter School), San Antonio, TX

Leal-Hallam, Barbara Parent (KIPP Academy), SA, TX

Martinez, Rebecca YES prep alum (YES Prep Public Schools), Houston, TX

Salinas, Nelson Govt. Affairs Manager (Texas Assoc. of Business), Austin, TX

Schaefer, Virginia Director of Public Policy (Dallas Regional Chamber), Dallas, TX

AGAINST:

ANDERSON, DAVID CONSULTANT TO FAST GROWTH SCHOOL COALITION (FAST GROWTH SCHOOL COALITION), AUSTIN, TX

Beneski, Amy Associate Executive Director (Texas Association of School Administrators), Austin, TX

Campbell, Grover Assoc Exec Dir for Gov Relations (Tx Assoc of School Boards), Austin, TX

FLORES, REBECCA Associate (Texas School Alliance), Austin, TX

Grey, John Government Relations Specialist (Texas State Teachers Association), Austin, TX

Haenisch, Barry Executive Director (Texas Association of Community Schools), Austin, TX

Moreno, Celina Legislative Staff Attorney (MALDEF), San Antonio, TX

Moulton, Kelli Superintendent (Hereford ISD; self), Hereford, TX

Nichols, Colby General Counsel (Texas Rural Education Association), Austin, TX

Quinzi, Patty Legislative Counsel (Tx-American Federation of Teachers), Austin, TX

Providing written testimony:

FOR:

LOPEZ, AL EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR EGBI; IDEA PUBLIC SCHOOLS BOARD MEM. (SELF; IDEA PUBLIC SCHOOLS), AUSTIN, TX

Norman on behalf of Justin Yancy, TBLC, Diane L. Exec. Director (Texas Business Leadership Council), Austin, TX

Payan, Jessica parent/ Parent Organization Secretary (Self/KIPP San Antonio), San Antonio, TX