

WITNESS LIST

Judiciary & Civil Jurisprudence Committee

April 15, 2019 - 8:00 AM

HB 765

For:

Harvey, Jay (Self; Texas trial lawyers association)
Wendell, Ware (Texas Watch)

Against:

Hamm, William (Berkeley Research Group)
Jackson, Brian (Texas Alliance for Patient Access (TAPA))

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Griffith, Idona (Self)
Hall, Ash (Self)
MacDougal, Vanessa (Self)
Simon, Arthur (Self)
Suh, Jinny (Self)

Against:

Capelo, Jaime (Texas Society of Anesthesiologists)
Christian, George (Texas Civil Justice League)
Finch, Dan (Texas Medical Association)
Haddad, Roberto (Doctors Hospital at Renaissance (DHR Health))
Kibbe, Scot (Texas Health Care Association)
Linial, George (LeadingAge Texas)
Lopez, Cesar (Texas Hospital Association)
Parsley, Lee (Texans for Lawsuit Reform)
Schiebel, Craig (Self)
Shannon, Fred (Texas Medical Liability Trust)
Sutton, Jill (Texas Osteopathic Medical Association)

HB 847

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Herman, Guy (Self; Probate Court of Travis County)
Parsley, Lee (Texans for Lawsuit Reform)

Against:

Schiebel, Craig (Self)

On:

Slayton, David (Office of Court Administration, Texas Judicial Council)

HB 1124

For:

Chepkaukas, Daniel (Patient Choice Coalition of Texas)

WITNESS LIST

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Capelo, Jaime (Texas Society of Anesthesiologists)
Finch, Dan (Texas Medical Association)
Frazier, Kyle (Patient choice coalition of texas)
Kuykendall (pronounced: KER-KIN-DOLL), Deanna L. (Texas Brain Injury Providers Alliance)
Wendell, Ware (Texas Watch)
Woomer, Eric (Texas Ambulatory Surgery Center Society)

Against:

Baxter, Jason (Texas Association of Health Plans)

On:

Danzeiser, Doug (Texas department Of insurance)

HB 1126

For:

Briscoe, Rick (Self; Open Carry Texas)
Malone, Rachel (Self; Gun Owners of America)
Schiebel, Craig (Self)
Swirsky, Alexie (Self)
Tripp, Alice (Self; Texas .State Rifle Assoc)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Grisham, CJ (Self; Open Carry Texas)
Hodges, Bradley (Self)
Murphy, Joseph (Self)
Nelms, Deborah (Self)
Nelms, Deborah (Self)
York, Ruth (Self)

Against:

Bennett, Joey (Moms Demand Action for Gun Sense in America)
Bixby, Pamela (Self; League of Women Voters Texas)
Carlson, Rollyn (Self)
Golden, Nicole (Self; Moms Demand Action)
Greene, Melanie (Self; Moms Demand Action for Gun Sense in America)
Griffith, Idona (Self)
Hall, Ash (Self)
MacDougal, Vanessa (Self)
Simon, Arthur (Self)
Suh, Jinny (Self)

WITNESS LIST

HB 1222

Registering, but not testifying:

On:

Slayton, David (Office of Court Administration, Texas Judicial Council)

HB 1285

For:

McAllister, Trish (Self; Texas Access to Justice Commission)

Weatherly, Gracw (Self; TEX-ABOTA)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Allison, Jim (County Judges and Commissioners Association of Texas)

Bresnen, Amy (Texas Family Law Foundation)

Herman, Guy (Self; Probate Court of Travis County)

Tatum, Alexis (Travis County Commissioners Court)

HB 1931

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Bertrand, Aimee (Harris County Commissioners Court)

Choate, Elizabeth (Texas Veterinary Medical Association (TVMA))

Kelly, Bill (Mayor's Office, City of Houston)

Smith, Jamaal (City of Houston, Office of the Mayor)

HB 2316

Registering, but not testifying:

On:

Kepple, Robert (Texas District and County Attorneys Association)

HB 2547

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Christian, George (Texas Civil Justice League)

Parsley, Lee (Texans for Lawsuit Reform)

HB 2583

Registering, but not testifying:

On:

Dudish, Kim (SOAH)

Dudish, Kim (State Office of Administrative Hearings)

WITNESS LIST

HB 2762

Against:

Hopper, Craig (Self)

Registering, but not testifying:

Against:

Hunt, Lauren (Self)

Shannon, Melissa (Bexar County Commissioners Court)

HB 2803

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Bernstein, Kelsey (Texas Association of Counties)

Hammond, Terry (Self; Texas Guardianship Association)

Herman, Guy (Self; Probate Court of Travis County)

Hopper, Craig (Self)

Hunt, Lauren (Self)

On:

Slayton, David (Office of Court Administration, Texas Judicial Council)

HB 3061

For:

Richards, Joanne (Common Ground for Texans)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Abraham, Salem (Self)

Beck, David (Self; Citizens for Judicial in Texas)

Bixby, Pamela (Self; League of Women Voters Texas)

Bresnen, Amy (Texas Family Law Foundation)

Briscoe, Rick (Self)

Christian, George (Texas Civil Justice League)

Duncan, Robert (Self; Citizens For Judicial Excellence in Texas)

Fainter Jr, John W (Texas Civil Justice League)

Finch, Dan (Texas Medical Association)

Gammage, Sam (Texas Chemical Council)

Gutierrez, Anthony (Common Cause Texas)

Jamison, Martha (Self; Citizens for judicial excellence for texas)

Jefferson, Wallace (Self; Citizens for Judicial Excellence)

Loftis, Lee (Independent Insurance Agents of Texas)

Lunceford, Erin (Self)

Madere, Pam (Texas association of defense council)

Marshall, Karen (Self)

Moore, Julie (Occidental Petroleum)

Oliveira, David (Self; Citizens for judicial excellence)

WITNESS LIST

For:

Phillips, Tom (Self; Citizens for Judicial Excellence in Texas)
Robinson, Rebecca (Texas Restaurant Association)
Weatherly, Gracw (Self; TEX-ABOTA)
White, Andrea (Self; Citizens for Judicial Excellence)

On:

Adams, Will (Texas Trial Lawyers Association)

HB 3081

For:

Raleeh, Paul (Self; Justice of the Peace and Constable Assoc.)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Chu, Nicholas (Self; Justice of the Peace and Constables Association)
Hoy, Sandy (Texas Apartment Association)
Ruckel, Chuck (Self)

Against:

Simon, Arthur (Self)

HB 3186

For:

Jackson, Brian (Texas Alliance for Patient Access (TAPA))

Against:

Harvey, Jay (Self; Texas trial lawyers association)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Christian, George (Texas Civil Justice League)
Finch, Dan (Texas Medical Association)
Lopez, Cesar (Texas Hospital Association)
Parsley, Lee (Texans for Lawsuit Reform)
Shannon, Fred (Texas Medical Liability Trust)

Against:

Capelo, Jaime (Texas Society of Anesthesiologists)

HB 3267

Against:

Herman, Guy (Self; Probate Court of Travis County)
Hopper, Craig (Self)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Allison, Jim (County Judges and Commissioners Association of Texas)

WITNESS LIST

Against:

Hunt, Lauren (Self)

HB 3305

On:

Slayton, David (Office of Court Administration, Texas Judicial Council)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Christian, George (Texas Civil Justice League)
Chu, Nicholas (Self; Justice of the Peace and Constables Association)
Parsley, Lee (Texans for Lawsuit Reform)
Raleeh, Paul (Self)
Ruckel, Chuck (Self)
Tatum, Alexis (Travis County Commissioners Court)

HB 3449

For:

Weatherly, Gracw (Self; TEX-ABOTA)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Christian, George (Texas Civil Justice League)
Lara, Rene (Texas AFL-CIO)
Parsley, Lee (Texans for Lawsuit Reform)
Tatum, Alexis (Travis County Commissioners Court)
Wendell, Ware (Texas Watch)

HB 3751

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Cuellar, Guadalupe (City of El Paso)
Wynn, Monty (Texas Municipal League)

On:

Vassar, Ryan (Office of the Attorney General)

HB 3771

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Huthsteiner, Rachel (Independent Insurance Group)
Martin, Paul (National Association of Mutual Insurance Companies)

On:

Hunt, Jeff (Texas Department of Insurance)

WITNESS LIST

HB 3807

For:

Brinkley, Jason (Cooke County)
Warren, John (Cooke County District Attorney)
Zielinski, Edmund (Cooke county attorney)

Against:

Klement, John (County commissioner)
Klement, Leon (Cooke county)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Weatherly, Grace (Self)

HB 3848

For:

Howard, Kristina (LegalZoom.com, Inc.)

Against:

Hopper, Craig (Self)
Hopper, Craig (Self)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Schiebel, Craig (Self)

Against:

Hunt, Lauren (Self)

HB 3891

For:

Oliver, Scott (San Antonio Water System)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Kelly, Bill (Mayor's Office, City of Houston)
Smith, Jamaal (City of Houston, Office of the Mayor)

HB 3981

For:

Macomb, Chris (Waste Management of Texas Inc.)
Minick, Stephen (Republic Services)

Against:

Odam, John (Harris county)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Albright, Steven (AGC of Texas- Highway Heavy Branch)

WITNESS LIST

For:

Gammage, Sam (Texas Chemical Council)
Hines, James (Texas Association of Business)
Muñoz, Ned (Texas Association of Builders)
Vickery, Mark (Texas Association of Manufacturers)
Womack, Daniel (Dow)

Against:

Bertrand, Aimee (Harris County Commissioners Court)
Dahill, John (Texas Conference of Urban Counties)
Embrey, Tammy (City of Corpus Christi)
Heckard, Brittany (Harris County Commissioner Precinct 1, Rodney Ellis)
Kelly, Bill (Mayor's Office, City of Houston)
Merritt, Garry (Texas Association of Counties)
Reed, Cyrus (Lone star chapter sierra club)
Short, Jim (Self; County judge Hidalgo, harris county texas)
Smith, Jamaal (City of Houston, Office of the Mayor)
Sparks, Clifford (City of Dallas)
Tatum, Alexis (Travis County Commissioners Court)
Wendell, Ware (Texas Watch)
Wynn, Monty (Texas Municipal League)

On:

Hubenak, Priscilla (OAG)

HB 4015

For:

Mintz, David (Texas Apartment Association)

Against:

Monts, Britton (Self)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Christian, George (Texas Civil Justice League)
Parsley, Lee (Texans for Lawsuit Reform)

Against:

Walker, Nate (Texas Housers)
Weber, Martin (Self)

HB 4023

For:

Gutierrez, Bobby (Self; Travis County AND, Justice of the Peace and Constables Association of Texas)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Chu, Nicholas (Self; Justice of the Peace and Constables Association)

WITNESS LIST

For:

Dahill, John (Texas Conference of Urban Counties)
Johnson, Noel (TMPA)
Raleeh, Paul (Self)
Ruckel, Chuck (Self)
Tatum, Alexis (Travis County Commissioners Court)

HB 4085

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Shipman, Sherry (Denton County 16th Judicial District and Local Administrative Judge)
Weatherly, Grace (Self)

HB 4122

For:

Robinson, Carroll (Self; Robinson Law Group)

Against:

Heasley, John (Texas Bankers Association)
Yashewski, Suzanne (Texas Credit Union Association)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Warner, Michael (Robinson Law Group)

Against:

Fleming, John (Texas Mortgage Bankers Association)

HB 4123

For:

Robinson, Carroll (Self; Robinson Law Group)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Warner, Michael (Robinson Law Group)

HB 4223

For:

Bradwell, Simon (Self)
Eiland, Craig (Self)
Loyd, Shannon (The Loyd Law Firm, PLLC)
Wendell, Ware (Texas Watch)

Against:

Grossman, Esther (Self; Homeowners of America Insurance Company)
Stephens, John (Texas Farm Bureau Insurance Companies)
Thompson, Jay (Afact)
Thompson, Rhonda (Self)

WITNESS LIST

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Burniston, Mary (TexPIRG)
Fisher, Jon (Associated Builders and Contractors of Texas)

Against:

Floyd, Beaman (Texas Coalition for Affordable Insurance Solutions)
Martin, Paul (National Association of Mutual Insurance Companies)
Old, James (Self; US Lloyds Insurance Company)
Parsley, Lee (Texans for Lawsuit Reform)
Woods, Joe (American Property Casualty Insurance Association)

HB 4271

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Parenteau, Julia (Texas Realtors)
Schiebel, Craig (Self)
Simon, Arthur (Self)

HB 4441

For:

Franklin, Allison (Texas Criminal Justice Coalition)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Gerrick, Emily (Texas Fair Defense Project)
Herman, Guy (Self; Probate Court of Travis County)
Hudson, Nick (American Civil Liberties Union of Texas)

HB 4476

For:

Gidseg, Joey (Self; Texas Democrats with Disabilities)
Wendell, Ware (Texas Watch)
Woodley, John (Self; Advocate for Disability Access)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Benestante, Jacquie (Autism Society of Texas)
BLACK, Beverley (Texas Advocats)
Botello, Chris (Self; Texas Advocates)
Bradway, Kathy (Texas Advocats)
Dooley, Michelle (Community Now!)
Elizabeth, Mary (Self)
Francis, Will (National Association of Social Workers - Texas Chapter)
Kuykendall (pronounced: KER-KIN-DOLL), Deanna L. (Texas Brain Injury Providers)

WITNESS LIST

For:

Alliance)
Litzinger, Linda (Self; Texas Parent to Parent)
Masey, Chris (Coalition of Texans with Disabilities)
Register, Bryan (Self)
Schiebel, Craig (Self)
Swallow, David (Self; Texas Advocats)

Against:

Parsley, Lee (Texans for Lawsuit Reform)

HB 4504

For:

Abraham, Salem (Self)
Beck, David (Self; Citizens for Judicial in Texas)
Duncan, Robert (Self; Citizens For Judicial Excellence in Texas)
Jamison, Martha (Self; Citizens for judicial excellence for texas)
Jefferson, Wallace (Self; Citizens for Judicial Excellence)
Phillips, Tom (Self; Citizens for Judicial Excellence in Texas)

Against:

Adams, Will (Texas Trial Lawyers Association)
Leal, Gloria (Self; Mexican American Bar Assn of TEXAS)
Moye, Eric V. (Self)
Weatherly, Gracw (Self; TEX-ABOTA)

On:

Hecht, Nathan (Supreme Court if Texas)
Oliveira, David (Self; Citizens for judicial excellence)
White, Andrea (Self; Citizens for Judicial Excellence)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Anderson, Lisa (Shell)
Christian, George (Texas Civil Justice League)
Fainter Jr, John W (Texas Civil Justice League)
Fisher, Jon (Associated Builders and Contractors of Texas)
Gammage, Sam (Texas Chemical Council)
Hines, James (Texas Association of Business)
Joyce, Shana (Texas Oil and Gas Association)
Kaufman, Lisa (Texas Civil Justice League)
Kearns, Dennis (Self)
Lary, Trey (Allen Boone Humphries Robinson LLP)
Loftis, Lee (Independent Insurance Agents of Texas)
Lunceford, Erin (Self)
Madere, Pam (Texas association of defense council)
Moore, Julie (Occidental Petroleum)
Omey, Samantha (ExxonMobil)

WITNESS LIST

For:

Parsley, Lee (Texans for Lawsuit Reform)
Pearce, Amber (Pfizer)
Robinson, Rebecca (Texas Restaurant Association)
Woods, Joe (American Property Casualty Insurance Association)

Against:

Brinkley, Jason (Self)
Jenkins, Clay (Self; Dallas County Commissioners Court)
Reed, Charles (Dallas County Commissioners Court)
Tatum, Alexis (Travis County Commissioners Court)
Wendell, Ware (Texas Watch)

HB 4715

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Barton, Clay (Kerr county Sheriff)
Hierholzer, Rusty (Kerr County Sheriff)

HCR 78

Registering, but not testifying:

On:

Buche, Steve (Health & Human Services Commission)
Ray, Karen (Health & Human Services Commission)

HCR 119

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Kuykendall (pronounced: KUR-KIN-DOLL), Deanna L. (Texas Municipal Courts Association)

On:

Lochridge, Hope (Self; Texas Municipal Courts Education Center)

HJR 63

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Christian, George (Texas Civil Justice League)
Parsley, Lee (Texans for Lawsuit Reform)

Against:

Schiebel, Craig (Self)

WITNESS LIST

HJR 71

Registering, but not testifying:

Against:

Tatum, Alexis (Travis County Commissioners Court)

HJR 148

For:

Beck, David (Self; Citizens for Judicial in Texas)
Duncan, Robert (Self; Citizens For Judicial Excellence in Texas)
Jefferson, Wallace (Self; Citizens for Judicial Excellence)

Against:

Adams, Will (Texas Trial Lawyers Association)
Weatherly, Gracw (Self; TEX-ABOTA)

On:

Hecht, Nathan (Supreme court of TX)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Abraham, Salem (Self)
Christian, George (Texas Civil Justice League)
Fisher, Jon (Associated Builders and Contractors of Texas)
Gammage, Sam (Texas Chemical Council)
Hines, James (Texas Association of Business)
Jamison, Martha (Self; Citizens for judicial excellence for texas)
Joyce, Shana (Texas Oil and Gas Association)
Kaufman, Lisa (Texas Civil Justice League)
Kearns, Dennis (Self)
Lary, Trey (Allen Boone Humphries Robinson LLP)
Lunceford, Erin (Self)
Moore, Julie (Occidental Petroleum)
Oliveira, David (Self; Citizens for judicial excellence)
Omey, Samantha (ExxonMobil)
Parsley, Lee (Texans for Lawsuit Reform)
Pearce, Amber (Pfizer)
Phillips, Tom (Self; Citizens for Judicial Excellence in Texas)
Woods, Joe (American Property Casualty Insurance Association)

Against:

Brinkley, Jason (Self)
Jenkins, Clay (Self; Dallas County Commissioners Court)
Leal, Gloria (Self; Mexican Am Bar ASSN OF texas)
Reed, Charles (Dallas County Commissioners Court)
Tatum, Alexis (Travis County Commissioners Court)
Wendell, Ware (Texas Watch)