

WITNESS LIST

State Affairs Committee

March 20, 2019 - 10:30 AM or upon final adjourn./recess or bill referral if permission granted

HB 28

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Fisher, Jon (Associated Builders and Contractors of Texas)  
Gonzalez, Ana (Workers Defense Action Fund)  
Kennedy, Jennie (Texas AFT)  
Lara, Rene (Texas AFL-CIO)  
Van Arsdale, Corbin (AGC-Texas Building Branch)  
Woomer, Eric (Texas Construction Association)

Against:

Cahn, Adam (Cahnman's Musings)  
Zito, Al (Self)

HB 46

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Griffith, Idona (Self)  
Zito, Al (Self)

HB 74

For:

Bulla, Cindi (Texas Realtors)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Andrade, Simon (Self; TSEU)  
Edwards, Carol (Self)  
Fickel, Ann (Texas Classroom Teachers Association)  
Fuchs, Samantha (Self)  
Fuentes, G. (Self)  
Gil, Gwen (Self)  
Griffith, Idona (Self)  
Guy, Linda (Self)  
Hall, Ash (Self)  
Kenefick, Kathryn (Self)  
Kennedy, Jennie (Texas AFT)  
Lara, Rene (Texas AFL-CIO)  
Parenteau, Julia (Texas Realtors)  
Reinhardt, Michelle (Self)  
Saslavsky, Elisa (Self)  
Sheldon, Tyler (Texas State Employees Union)  
Simon, Arthur (Self)

WITNESS LIST

For:

Spanko, Audrey (Self)  
Stratis (Self)  
Tatum, Alexis (Travis County Commissioners Court)  
Vunderink, Gregg (Self)  
Zito, Al (Self)

Against:

Cahn, Adam (Cahnman's Musings)

On:

Hearn, Skylor (DPS)

HB 243

For:

Keller, Kristine (Self; Operation Lactation)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Alexander, Troy (Texas Medical Association)  
Alvarado, Mellissa (Self)  
Fickel, Ann (Texas Classroom Teachers Association)  
Flores, Lisa (Self; Easter Seals Central Tx)  
Guy, Linda (Self)  
Kennedy, Jennie (Texas AFT)  
Spanko, Audrey (Self)  
Travis, Clayton (Texas Pediatric Society)  
Zito, Al (Self)

Against:

Hines, James (Texas Association of Business)

On:

Triplett, Jeremy (Department of state health services)

HB 318

On:

Kimbriel, Todd (Dept of Information Resources)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Baggett, Donnis (Self; Texas Press Association)  
Coleman, Michael (Public Citizen)  
Fowler, Perry (Self; Texas Water Infrastructure Network)  
Fuentes, G. (Self)  
Griffith, Idona (Self)  
Gutierrez, Anthony (Common Cause Texas)  
Guy, Linda (Self)  
Jones, Dave (Self; Clean Elections Texas)

WITNESS LIST

For:

Lavine, Dick (Center for Public Policy Priorities)  
Masey, Chris (Coalition of Texans with Disabilities)  
Patterson, Bill (Self; Texas Press Association)  
Reinhardt, Michelle (Self)  
Saslavsky, Elisa (Self)  
Schneider, Michael (Texas Association of Broadcasters)  
Scoggin, Bay (TexPIRG)  
Shannon, Kelley (Freedom of Information Foundation of Texas)  
Simon, Arthur (Self)  
Vunderink, Gregg (Self)  
Zito, Al (Self)

HB 541

For:

Keller, Kristine (Self; Operation Lactation)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Alexander, Troy (Texas Medical Association)  
Alvarado, Mellissa (Self)  
Flores, Lisa (Self; Easter Seals Central Tx)  
Griffith, Idona (Self)  
Guy, Linda (Self)  
Hall, Ash (Self)  
McGarry, Mignon (American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists)  
Reinhardt, Michelle (Self)  
Romero, Michelle (Texas Medical Association)  
Simon, Arthur (Self)  
Spanko, Audrey (Self)  
Zito, Al (Self)

On:

Triplett, Jeremy (Department of state health services)

HB 982

For:

Cook, Nathan (Rice University)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Tillman, Calvin (Self)

HB 1232

For:

Franklin, Allison (Self; Texas Criminal Justice Coalition)

WITNESS LIST

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Alexander, Troy (Texas Medical Association)  
Berry, Traci (Goodwill Central Texas)  
Doss, Sheri (Texas PTA)  
Freeman, Kathryn (Texas Baptists Christian Life Commission)  
Henning, Lori (Texas Association of Goodwills)  
Kunish, Eric (Self; National Alliance on Mental Illness Austin Affiliate Advocacy Chair)  
Nichols, Lee (TexProtects)  
Patterson, TJ (City of Fort Worth)  
Sughrue, Alissa (National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) Texas)  
Tillman, Calvin (Self)  
Travis, Clayton (Texas Pediatric Society)

On:

Lee, Tiffany (Office of the Attorney General)

HB 1297

For:

Coleman, Michael (Public Citizen Texas office)  
Jones, Dave (Self; Clean Elections Texas)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Griffith, Idona (Self)  
Gutierrez, Anthony (Common Cause Texas)  
Scoggin, Bay (TexPIRG)  
Tillman, Calvin (Self)

HB 1655

For:

Allen, Ray (Self; Public Data.com)  
Flack, Teri (Self; Texas state genealogical society)  
Foy, David (RELX)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Baggett, Donnis (Self; Texas Press Association)  
Bridges, John (Self; Austin American-Statesman, FOI Foundation, TPA)  
Campos, Lorena (City of Dallas)  
Coleman, Michael (Public Citizen)  
Erskine, Jack (R 1 polk)  
Gutierrez, Anthony (Common Cause Texas)  
Heckler, Jeff (PublicData.com)  
Hutchison, Chelsy (Experian)  
Ingersoll, Stephanie (Self)

WITNESS LIST

For:

Jones, Dave (Self; Clean Elections Texas)  
Patterson, Bill (Self; Texas Press Association)  
Schneider, Michael (Texas Association of Broadcasters)  
Shannon, Kelley (Freedom of Information Foundation of Texas)

On:

Gordon, Justin (OAG)

HB 1700

For:

Cobler, Chris (Self)  
Johnson, Rob (Clients of the firm (Foley Gardere))  
Prather, Laura (FOI Foundation of Texas, Texas Press Association)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Baggett, Donnis (Self; Texas Press Association)  
Bridges, John (Self; Austin American-Statesman, FOI Foundation, TPA)  
Cahn, Adam (Cahnman's Musings)  
Dahill, John (Texas Conference of Urban Counties)  
Ingersoll, Stephanie (Self)  
Patterson, Bill (Self; Texas Press Association)  
Schneider, Michael (Texas Association of Broadcasters)  
Shannon, Kelley (Freedom of Information Foundation of Texas)

Against:

Campbell, Grover (Texas Association of School Boards)  
Campos, Lorena (City of Dallas)

On:

Gordon, Justin (OAG)

HB 1785

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Coleman, Michael (Public Citizen)  
Gutierrez, Anthony (Common Cause Texas)  
Jones, Dave (Self; Clean Elections Texas)  
Parenteau, Julia (Texas Realtors)  
Scoggin, Bay (TexPIRG)  
Tatum, Alexis (Travis County Commissioners Court)  
Tillman, Calvin (Self)

WITNESS LIST

HB 1788

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Scoggin, Bay (TexPIRG)

On:

Lester, Molly (HHSC)

HB 1876

For:

Coleman, Michael (Public Citizen Texas office)  
Forbes, Tom (Professional Advocacy Association of Texas)  
Jones, Dave (Self; Clean Elections Texas)

On:

Espinosa (resource only), Nick (Texas Ethics Commission (resource only))

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Fowler, Perry (Self; Texas Water Infrastructure Network)  
Frandsen, Chris (League of Women Voters of Texas)  
Griffith, Idona (Self)  
Gutierrez, Anthony (Common Cause Texas)  
Schneider, Michael (Texas Association of Broadcasters)  
Scoggin, Bay (TexPIRG)  
Tillman, Calvin (Self)  
Zito, Al (Self)

On:

Haug, Jessie (Texas Ethics Commission (Resource only))

HB 1877

For:

Coleman, Michael (Public Citizen Texas office)  
Forbes, Tom (Professional Advocacy Association of Texas)  
Jones, Dave (Self; Clean Elections Texas)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Fowler, Perry (Self; Texas Water Infrastructure Network)  
Frandsen, Chris (League of Women Voters of Texas)  
Griffith, Idona (Self)  
Gutierrez, Anthony (Common Cause Texas)  
Schneider, Michael (Texas Association of Broadcasters)  
Scoggin, Bay (TexPIRG)  
Tillman, Calvin (Self)  
Zito, Al (Self)

WITNESS LIST

Against:

Campos, Lorena (City of Dallas)

On:

Espinosa (resource only), Nick (Texas Ethics Commission (resource only))

Haug, Jessie (Texas Ethics Commission (Resource only))

HB 1886

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Baggett, Donnis (Self; Texas Press Association)

Coleman, Michael (Public citizen)

Fuentes, G. (Self)

Griffith, Idona (Self)

Gutierrez, Anthony (Common Cause Texas)

Guy, Linda (Self)

Jones, Dave (Self; Clean Elections Texas)

Patterson, Bill (Self; Texas Press Association)

Reinhardt, Michelle (Self)

Saslavsky, Elisa (Self)

Schneider, Michael (Texas Association of Broadcasters)

Scoggin, Bay (TexPIRG)

Shannon, Kelley (Freedom of Information Foundation of Texas)

Vunderink, Gregg (Self)

On:

Espinosa (resource only), Nick (Texas Ethics Commission (resource only))

Haug, Jessie (Texas Ethics Commission (Resource only))

HB 2135

For:

Dodd, Fred (Self; CSA Construction Company, Inc.)

Fowler, Perry (Self; Texas Water Infrastructure Network)

Smith, Mark (Self; BAR Constructors)

Against:

Ocanas, Veronica (City of Austin)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Cubriel, Randy (Nucor)

Fagan, Jennifer (Texas Construction Association)

Fisher, Jon (Associated Builders and Contractors of Texas)

Van Arsdale, Corbin (AGC-Texas Building Branch)

Against:

Dahill, John (Texas Conference of Urban Counties)

Igo, Shanna (Texas Municipal League)

WITNESS LIST

Against:

Kelly, Bill (Mayor's Office, City of Houston)  
Parker, Blaire (San Antonio Water System)  
Smith, Jamaal (City of Houston, Office of the Mayor)

HB 2189

For:

Avila, Jaie (Self; Texas Association of Broadcasters)  
Bridges, John (Self; Austin American-Statesman, FOI Foundation, TPA)  
Hemphill, James (Self; Freedom of Information Foundation of Texas)  
Johnson, Rob (Clients of the firm (Foley Gardere))  
Patterson, Bill (Self; Texas Press Association)

Against:

Schieffer, Tracy (Self; AGC of Texas-Highway Heavy Branch)

On:

Huddleston, Gary (Irving-Las Colinas Chamber of Commerce)  
Joseph, Zenobia (Self)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Baggett, Donnis (Self; Texas Press Association)  
Cahn, Adam (Cahnman's Musings)  
Camacho, Priscilla (Dallas Regional Chamber)  
Coleman, Michael (Public Citizen)  
Fairbanks, Lauren (Texas Association of Manufacturers)  
Gutierrez, Anthony (Common Cause Texas)  
Ingersoll, Stephanie (Self)  
Jones, Dave (Self; Clean Elections Texas)  
Kowalski, Tom (Texas Healthcare & Bioscience Institute)  
Lavine, Dick (Center for Public Policy Priorities)  
Pearce, Amber (Pfizer)  
Schneider, Michael (Texas Association of Broadcasters)  
Schroeder, Tyler (The Boeing Company)  
Scoggin, Bay (TexPIRG)  
Shannon, Kelley (Freedom of Information Foundation of Texas)  
Simpson, Matt (ACLU of Texas)  
Vasey, Iain (Corpus christi regional edc)  
Zachary, Mance (Vistra Energy)

Against:

Albright, Steven (AGC of Texas- Highway Heavy Branch)  
Snowden, Tara (Zachry Corporation)

On:

Alexander, Troy (Texas Medical Association)  
Davies, Holli (North Texas Commission)  
Fowler, Perry (Self; Texas Water Infrastructure Network)

WITNESS LIST

On:

Gordon, Justin (OAG)  
Harris, Dana (Austin Chamber of Commerce)  
Meyer, Richard (Texas assn of nonprofit organizations)

HB 2191

For:

Hemphill, James (Self; Freedom of Information Foundation of Texas)  
Johnson, Rob (Clients of the firm (Foley Gardere))

On:

Joseph, Zenobia (Self)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Baggett, Donnis (Self; Texas Press Association)  
Bridges, John (Self; Austin American-Statesman, FOI Foundation, TPA)  
Cahn, Adam (Cahnman's Musings)  
Coleman, Michael (Public Citizen)  
Gutierrez, Anthony (Common Cause Texas)  
Ingersoll, Stephanie (Self)  
Jones, Dave (Self; Clean Elections Texas)  
Lavine, Dick (Center for Public Policy Priorities)  
Oney, Tom (Lower Colorado River Authority (LCRA))  
Patterson, Bill (Self; Texas Press Association)  
Schneider, Michael (Texas Association of Broadcasters)  
Scoggin, Bay (TexPIRG)  
Shannon, Kelley (Freedom of Information Foundation of Texas)  
Simpson, Matt (ACLU of Texas)

On:

Alexander, Troy (Texas Medical Association)  
Gordon, Justin (OAG)

HB 2192

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Cahn, Adam (Cahnman's Musings)  
Coleman, Michael (Public Citizen)  
Gutierrez, Anthony (Common Cause Texas)  
Jones, Dave (Self; Clean Elections Texas)  
Scoggin, Bay (TexPIRG)

On:

Gordon, Justin (OAG)

WITNESS LIST

HB 2439

For:

Bulla, Cindi (Texas Realtors)  
Chick, Craig (Safe Building Materials Association of Texas)  
Cofer, Mark (Self; LP Building Solutions)  
MacDonald, T. Justin (Self; Texas Association of Builders)  
Mezayek, Sam (Self)  
Munoz, Ned (Texas Association of Builders)  
Rodriguez, James (Fox Energy Specialists)  
Rohrbacher, Ron (Self; Texas Association of Builders)  
Summers, Trey (Self; Coastal Bend Home Builders Association)

Against:

Burghdoff, Dana (City of Fort Worth)  
Derr, Richard (City of Oak Ridge North)  
Gill, Cassandra (City of Dayton)  
Howard, Corbett (City of Celina)  
Nelson, Garrett (City of Lubbock)  
O'Neal, Steve (City of Lubbock)

On:

Choate, Michael (SPEER)  
Diamond, Marcie (City of Coppell)  
Pruitt, Jim (City of Rockwall Texas)  
Reed, Cyrus (Lone Star Chapter Sierra Club)  
Thompson, Evan (Preservation Texas)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Albeight, Andy (Self)  
Bakir, Adam (Self)  
Beevers, Kacie (Self)  
Berryman, Joel (Self)  
Bettis, William (Self; Greater Ft Worth Builders Association)  
Biggerstaff, Michael (Self; HBA of San Angelo)  
Bowerman, Doug (Self)  
Bowling, Randy (El Paso Association of Builders)  
Bryan, Jared (Self)  
Cardenas-Brown, Melissa (Self)  
Carlyle, Joe (Self; City of Troup)  
Carlyle, Joseph (Self; Carlyle Homes)  
Carothers, Jason (Self; Carothers Executive Homes)  
Chandler, Brad (Self)  
Chapman, Chris (Safe Building Materials Association of Texas)  
Christian, George (American Forest and Paper Association)  
Christopher, John (Self)  
Dishberger, Mike Dishberger (Self)

WITNESS LIST

For:

Dover, Alicia (Plumbing-Heating-Cooling Contractors Association of Texas)  
Drozd, Victor (Self; Texas assc. Builders)  
Evans, Donnie (Self)  
Fairbanks, Lauren (Texas Association of Manufacturers)  
Fisher, Jon (Associated Builders and Contractors of Texas)  
Ford, Kristin (Self)  
Gallagher, Tony (Self)  
Heinrich, Jennifer (Self)  
Hodges, Kenneth (Self)  
Howe, John (Self)  
Hunt, William (Self; Texas Association of Builders)  
Jackson, Tim (Self; Dallas Builders Association)  
Janczak, Martin (Self; TABA)  
Kercheval, Todd (Texas Affiliation of Affordable Housing Providers)  
Kiella, Brooke (Self)  
Kiella, John (Self)  
Kiella, Megan (Self)  
Kiella, Scott (Self)  
Lacy, Sarah (Texas Building Owners and Managers Association (Texas BOMA))  
Laminack, Heather (Self; Texas association of builders)  
Latson, Steve (Self)  
Lehde, David (Dallas Builders Association)  
Longacre, Rhett (Longacre construction)  
Lucko, Chuck (Self)  
Mack, Donny (Self; Mack Professionals, Inc)  
Markson, Daniel (Self)  
Martin, Brett (Self)  
McCarty, Austin (Texas Chemical Council)  
McCord, Mia (Texas Conservative Coalition)  
McGriff, Gregg (Self)  
McKinney, John (Self)  
Meroney, Mike (BASF Corporation)  
Meyer, Ernest (Self)  
Mintz, David (Texas Apartment Association)  
Morgan, Todd (International Paper Corp.)  
Oswald, Bill (Self; Koch Companies)  
Parenteau, Julia (Texas Realtors)  
Paschall, Greg (Self)  
Patterson, Weldon (Self; TABA)  
Pepper, Bradley (Greater Houston Builders Association)  
Pilkington, Michael (Self; Temple Area Builders Assoc.)  
Pinger, Sue ann (Self)  
Reber, Haylie (Self)  
Reed, Jimmy (Self)  
Schuler, Jon (Self)

WITNESS LIST

For:

Schwartz, Mitch (Self)  
Sickles, Matthew (Self)  
Spilman, Annie (NFIB)  
Sugrue, John (Self)  
Susac, Jeremy (Lennar)  
Swihart, Matt (Self)  
Taylor, James (Self)  
Townsen, Stewart (Self; West Texas Home Builders Association)  
Turner, Brad (Self)  
Waldron, Ryan (Self)  
Weaver, Terry (Self)  
Webb, Justin (Self)  
Womack, Daniel (Dow Chemical)  
Wood, Robert (Self; West Texas HBA. Texas assoc of builders)  
Wyrick, Brad (Self)  
Zabala, Vanessa (Self)  
Zapata, Mireya (Lumbermen's Association of Texas)

Against:

Bark, Jerry (City of Harker Heights)  
Campos, Lorena (City of Dallas)  
Embrey, Tammy (City of Corpus Christi)  
Embrey, Ty (City of Garland)  
Franco, Brie (City of Austin)  
Hale, Angela (City of McKinney)  
Hines, Russell (Self; City of Bedford)  
Igo, Shanna (Texas Municipal League)  
Ingersoll, Stephanie (Self)  
Ingersoll, Stephanie (Self)  
Kelly, Bill (Mayor's Office, City of Houston)  
Kennard, Karen (City of Missouri City, Texas)  
Kovacs, Michael (City of Fate)  
Ramirez, Rick (City of Sugar Land)  
Tillman, Calvin (Self)  
Weist, Jon (City of Irving)  
Winberry, Marcus (City of Conroe)  
Zito, Al (Self)

On:

Morgan, Richard (South-central Partnership for Energy Efficiency as a Resource)  
Sadler, Kelly (International Code Council)  
Wright, Christine (City of San Antonio)

WITNESS LIST

HB 2476

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Belcher, Nora (Texas e-Health Alliance)  
Masey, Chris (Coalition of Texans with Disabilities)  
Scoggin, Bay (TexPIRG)  
Shannon, Kelley (Freedom of Information Foundation of Texas)

On:

Kelso, Craig (Texas State Library and Archives Commission resource witness)

HB 2534

Against:

Forbes, Tom (Professional Advocacy association of texas)  
Ratliff, Thomas (Self)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Baggett, Donnis (Self; Texas Press Association)  
Cahn, Adam (Cahnman's Musings)  
Coleman, Michael (Public Citizen)  
Gutierrez, Anthony (Common Cause Texas)  
Hettinger, Ann (Self; Concerned Women For America of Texas)  
Patterson, Bill (Self; Texas Press Association)  
Scoggin, Bay (TexPIRG)

Against:

Simon, Arthur (Self)

HB 2868

For:

Vining, Donna (Self; Texas Association for Interior Design)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Badillo, Francisco (Self)  
Brown, Jay (Texas Association for Interior Design)  
LaBrant, Paul (Self; STG Design, Inc.)  
Perry, Chad (Self)  
Powell, Cody (Self)  
Roberts, Marilyn (Self; Texas Association for Interior Design)

HB 2969

For:

McCutcheon, Brad (Texas State Association of Firefighters)  
Wilkison, Charley (Combined Law Enforcement Associations of Texas, CLEAT)

WITNESS LIST

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Casaday, Kenneth (Self; Austin Police Association)  
Clark, Jared (Self; Collin County Deputies Association)  
Francis, Will (National Association of Social Workers - Texas Chapter)  
Kunish, Eric (Self; National Alliance on Mental Illness Austin Affiliate Advocacy Chair)  
Landry, Mitch (Texas municipal police association)  
Romo, Joel (Association of Texas EMS Professionals)  
Rumfield, Mike (Self; TMPA/America's Defenders Foundation)  
Sughrue, Alissa (National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) Texas)

Against:

Campos, Lorena (City of Dallas)

On:

Holzheuser, Craig (Texas EMS Alliance)