

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

COMMITTEE: Homeland Security & Public Safety

TIME & DATE: 10:30 AM or upon final adjourn./recess or bill referral if
permission granted
Thursday, March 25, 2021

PLACE: E2.030

CHAIR: Rep. James White

The Committee will meet to hear the following bills, **in no particular order**, and with a two-minute time limit:

HB 54 Talarico | et al.
Relating to prohibiting law enforcement departments from contracting with television crews to create reality shows.

HB 88 Thompson, Senfronia | et al.
Relating to interactions between law enforcement and individuals detained or arrested on suspicion of the commission of criminal offenses, witnesses to the commission of those offenses, and other members of the public, to peace officer liability for those interactions, and to the confinement, conviction, or release of detained or arrested individuals.

HB 127 Ortega
Relating to the unlawful carrying of certain firearms; creating a criminal offense.

HB 323 King, Phil
Relating to a law enforcement agency accreditation grant program.

HB 788 Geren
Relating to the eligibility of emergency service dispatchers to participate in a public safety employees treatment court program.

HB 830 Thompson, Senfronia | et al.
Relating to law enforcement policies regarding the issuance of citations for misdemeanors punishable by fine only and to a limitation on the authority to arrest a person for certain fine-only misdemeanors.

HB 918 Leman | et al.
Relating to a license to carry a handgun for certain young adults who are protected under certain court orders related to family violence.

HB 1039 Goodwin
Relating to the duties of the Department of Public Safety, peace officers, officers of the court, and licensed firearms dealers with respect to the possession or use of a suspended, revoked, or expired license to carry a handgun; creating a criminal offense.

HB 1069 Harris | et al.
Relating to the carrying of a handgun by certain first responders.

HB 1094 Oliverson | et al.
Relating to authorizing certain persons to carry a handgun without a license.

HB 1238 Biedermann | et al.
Relating to provisions governing the carrying of a firearm by a person who is not otherwise prohibited by state or federal law from possessing the firearm and to other provisions related to the carrying, possessing, transporting, or storing of a firearm.

HB 1396 White
Relating to law enforcement agencies and policies and procedures affecting peace officers.

HB 1758 Krause
Relating to the operation and use of an unmanned aircraft; creating a criminal offense.

HB 1911 White | et al.
Relating to provisions governing the carrying of a handgun by certain unlicensed persons and to other provisions related to the carrying, possessing, transporting, or storing of a firearm; providing criminal penalties.

HB 1927 Schaefer
Relating to the carrying of a firearm by a person 21 years of age or older and who is not otherwise prohibited from possessing the firearm and to criminal offenses otherwise related to the carrying of a firearm; creating criminal offenses.

HB 2343 Geren
Relating to the purchase of food and beverages by the Department of Public Safety for certain persons.

HB 2462 Neave | et al.
Relating to a forensic medical examination occurring with respect to a sexual assault reported to a law enforcement agency.

HB 2555 Neave | et al.
Relating to evidence included in the statewide electronic tracking system for evidence of a sexual assault or other sex offense and to a report on the status of evidence in that system.

HB 2675 Guillen
Relating to a license to carry a handgun for a person who is at increased risk of becoming a victim of violence.

HB 2677 Bonnen
Relating to the name of the statewide alert system for certain missing adults.

HB 2733 Tinderholt
Relating to defendants restricted to the operation of a vehicle equipped with an ignition interlock device or required to submit to alcohol monitoring and establishing a central database of those defendants.

HB 2900 Hefner | et al.
Relating to provisions governing the carrying of a firearm by a person who is not otherwise prohibited by state or federal law from possessing the firearm and to other provisions related to the carrying, possessing, transporting, or storing of a firearm; making conforming changes.

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<https://house.texas.gov/committees/public-access-house-committee-meetings/>

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