HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

COMMITTEE: Homeland Security & Public Safety

TIME & DATE: 9:00 AM, Monday, August 8, 2022

PLACE: E1.030

CHAIR: Rep. James White

The Committee will meet jointly with the Select Committee on Youth Health & Safety, with invited testimony only, to consider the following joint charges on Mass Violence Prevention and Community Safety:

Charge #4: Examine the role of online communications in mass violence scenarios and identify technological resources and solutions for detecting, mitigating, and reporting threats.

Charge #5: Study the needs of the state related to mental health professionals, educators, school administrators, and related professionals overseeing youth mental health programs and the delivery of those mental health services.

Electronic public comments will be available for:

Social Media & Technology Mental Health

For those persons who will be testifying, information for in-person witness registration, can be found here: https://mytxlegis.capitol.texas.gov/HWRSPublic/About.aspx

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