

WITNESS LIST

Judiciary & Civil Jurisprudence Committee

April 6, 2021 - 8:00 AM

HB 653

Against:

Hopper, Craig (Self)

Hunt, Lauren (Self)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Meade, Alex (Self; Texas Regional Bank)

Scurlock, Stephen (Independent Bankers Association of Texas)

Against:

Herman, Guy (Self; Travis County Probate Court)

HB 1447

For:

Shannon, Melissa (Bexar County Commissioners Court)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Herman, Guy (Self; Travis County Probate Court)

Hunt, Lauren (Self)

Narvaez, Tamara (Harris County Commissioners Court)

Wheeler, Julie (Travis County Commissioners Court)

Against:

Hopper, Craig (Self)

HB 1617

For:

Blanchard, Adam (Self; Double Diamond Transport, Inc.)

Brenner, David (Texas Assoc. of Defense Counsel)

Bretches, Geoffrey (Self)

Burrus, David (Self; Lorange Thompson)

Christian, George (Texas Civil Justice League)

Hughes, Rob (Texas Forestry Association)

Mills, Derek (Self)

Mondics, John (Self; Mondics Insurance Group)

Parsley, Lee (Texans for Lawsuit Reform)

Against:

Aboka, Alexander (Self)

Adams, Will (Texas Trial Lawyers Association)

Bruggeman, Adam (Self; Texas Orthopaedic Association)

Chin, Jonathan (Self)

Chun, Christopher (Self; Physicians for Free Market Healthcare)

Cummings, Cornell (Self)

WITNESS LIST

Against:

Dillin, Linden (Self)  
Hayden, Shawn (Self; Physicians for free market healthcare)  
Hergert, Tyce (Self; Texas Chiropractic Association)  
Kukkar, Nitin (Self)  
Lawson, Dr William (Self; Texas chiropractic association)  
Leonard, Michael (Self; Texas Association of Neurological Surgeons)  
Li, Sam (Self)  
Marks, Robert (Self)  
Martinez, Daniel (Self)  
Mcelroy, Alfred (Self)  
Miranda, Hector (Self)  
Pallares, Victor (Self)  
Parker, Chrysanthe (Self)  
Patel, Shivani (Self)  
Patel, Survam (Self)  
Payrovan, Arash (Self)  
Reece, Brian (Self)  
Rosenstein, Jacob (Self)  
Smith, Aaron (Self)  
Turner, Robert (Self; Advanced Diagnostics Healthcare System)  
Wasserman, Jeff (Self)  
Wendell, Ware (Texas Watch)  
Williams, Aldon (Aldon B Williams MD PA Advance spinal Pain Management)

On:

Lopez, Cesar (Texas Hospital Association)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Albright, Steven (Associated General Contractors of Texas- Highway Heavy Utility and Industrial Branch)  
Borgelt, Roger (Self; CALA)  
Borskey, Mark (Texas Recreational Vehicle Association)  
Burgin, Matt (Texas Food & Fuel Association)  
Burklund, Adam (Sentry Insurance)  
Burklund, Adam (National Waste and Recycling Association)  
Davis, Joy (Texas Farm Bureau)  
Engelke, Tommy (Texas Agricultural Cooperative Council)  
Esparza, John (Texas Trucking Association)  
Fagan, Jennifer (Texas Construction Association)  
Herring, Megan (Texas Association of Business)  
Hubert, Martin (Sysco Corporation)  
Hubert, Martin (Texas Poultry Federation)  
Kearns, Dennis (Texas Railroad Association)  
Loftis, Lee (Independent Insurance Agents of Texas)

WITNESS LIST

For:

Meyers, Lucas (The Travelers Companies, Inc. and Subsidiaries)  
Morris, Joe (Texas Forestry Association)  
Noonan, Chris (Texas Chemical Council)  
Oberbeck, Tulsi (Texas Oil and Gas Association)  
Omey, Samantha (ExxonMobil)  
Patterson, TJ (City of Fort Worth)  
Schnautz, Jon (National Association of Mutual Insurance Companies (NAMIC))  
Shannon, Fred (Texas Association of Manufacturers)  
Simmons, Carrie (Liberty Mutual)  
Sims, Taylor (United Parcel Service)  
Skrobarczyk, Ryan (Texas Nursery & Landscape Association)  
Snowden, Tara (Zachry Corporation)  
Spilman, Tom (Wholesale Beer Distributors of Texas)  
Strama, Keith (ExxoMobil)  
Thompson, Jay (Afact)  
Tredway, CJ (Independent Electrical Contractors of Texas)  
Tredway, CJ (Texas Towing & Storage Association)  
Trevino, Fernando (Lyft, Inc)  
Van Arsdale, Corbin (AGC-Texas Building Branch)  
Whitehurst, Darren (Texas Automobile Dealers Association)  
Williams, Mark (Texans for Lawsuit Reform)  
Williams, Thomas (Self; Texans for Lawsuit Reform)  
Womack, Daniel (Dow, Inc.)  
Woods, Joe (American Property and Casualty Insurance Association)  
Woomer, Eric (Precast Concrete Manufacturers Association of Texas, Texas Crane Owners Association)  
Zapata, Mireya (Lumbermen's Association of Texas)

Against:

Eiland, Craig (Self; Texas trial lawyers assn)  
Jahadi, Mo (Self; Texas Chiropractic Association)  
Perdue, Jim (Self; Texas Trial Lawyers Association)  
Wright, Eric (Texas Ambulatory Surgery Center Society)

On:

Finch, Dan (Texas Medical Association)  
Jackson, Brian (Texas Alliance for Patient Access)

HB 1794

For:

Kita, Matthew (Self)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Gonzalez, Daniel (Texas Realtors)  
Parenteau, Julia (Texas Realtors)

WITNESS LIST

For:

Perdue, Jim (Self; Texas Trial Lawyers Association)  
Wendell, Ware (Texas Watch)

Against:

Hill, Jarrett (Texas Farm Bureau Insurance Companies)  
Opiela, Eric (Self; South Texans' Property Rights Association)  
Stone, Harold (Texas Farm Bureau)  
Thompson, Jay (Afact)  
Woods, Joe (American Property and Casualty Insurance Association)

HB 1875

For:

Ale, John (Self)  
Benoit, Brent (Self)  
Harrell, David (Self; Texas Business Law Foundation)  
Podvin Jr, F John (Self; Chair, Texas Business Law Foundation)  
Tankersley, Michael (Self; Texas Business Law Foundation)  
Young, Evan (Self; Texas Business Law Foundation)

Against:

Heimlich, Ed (Informed Citizens)  
Perdue, Jim (Self; Texas Trial Lawyers Association)  
Richards, Dan (Self; ABOTA)  
Weatherly, Grace (Self; Tex-ABOTA)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Christian, George (Texas Civil Justice League)  
Damen, Jason (Energy Transfer)  
Embrey, Celeste (Texas Bankers Association)  
Fleming, John (Texas Mortgage Bankers. Association)  
Herring, Megan (Texas Association of Business)  
Kuhl, John (TBLF)  
Mains, Chuck (Yexas Business Law Foundation)  
Noonan, Chris (Texas Chemical Council)  
Omey, Samantha (ExxonMobil)  
Parsley, Lee (Texans for Lawsuit Reform)  
Phillips, Thomas (Self)  
Scurlock, Stephen (Independent Bankers Association of Texas)

Against:

Wendell, Ware (Texas Watch)

HB 1930

For:

Reichman, Jeff (January Advisors)

WITNESS LIST

On:

Slayton, David (Office of Court Administration)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

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

Miller, Jeff (Disability Rights Texas)

Shannon, Melissa (Bexar County Commissioners Court)

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

HB 2086

For:

Herbert, Timothy (Self)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Albright, Steven (Associated General Contractors of Texas- Highway Heavy Utility and Industrial Branch)

Parsley, Lee (Texans for Lawsuit Reform)

HB 2144

For:

Lin, Elbert (U.S. Chamber Institute for Legal Reform)

Against:

Fombonne, Jonathan (Harris County Attorney's Office)

McGeary, Judith (Self; Farm and Ranch Freedom Alliance)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Borgelt, Roger (Self; CALA)

Golemon, Kinnan (Shell Oil company)

Herring, Megan (Texas Association of Business)

Opiela, Eric (Self; South Texans' Property Rights Association)

Parsley, Lee (Texans for Lawsuit Reform)

Roberts, Cary (US Chamber Institute for Legal Reform)

Against:

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

Haynes, Adam (Conference of Urban Counties)

Narvaez, Thamara (Harris County Commissioners Court)

Perdue, Jim (Self; Texas Trial Lawyers Association)

Reed, Charles (Dallas County Commissioners Court)

Reed, Cyrus (Lone Star Chapter, Sierra Club)

Shannon, Melissa (Bexar County Commissioners Court)

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

Sparks, Clifford (City of Dallas)

WITNESS LIST

Against:

Watts, Mikal (Self)  
Wheeler, Julie (Travis County Commissioners Court)  
Wright, Christine (City of San Antonio)

On:

Parkinson, Thomas (Self)

HB 2912

For:

Blint, Jay (Self)

Against:

Ray, Weston (Self; TCAA)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Chu, Nicholas (Justices of the Peace and Constables Association)  
Kahne, David (Self)  
Kozanecki, Nancy (Self; HOA Reform Coalition of Texas)

Against:

Autin, Kevin (Self; Crystal Falls Homeowners Association)  
Krueger, John (Associa)

HB 2919

Against:

Baddour, Ann (Texas Appleseed)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Parsley, Lee (Texans for Lawsuit Reform)

HB 2923

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Shannon, Melissa (Bexar County Commissioners Court)

Against:

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

HB 3063

For:

Cook, Emily (Self; Texas Right to Life)  
Gidseg, Joey (Self; Texas Democrats with Disabilities Coalition)  
Hickson, Melissa (Self)  
Lynn, Gary (Self; Gary J Lynn Foundation)

WITNESS LIST

For:

Ogbogu, Kingsley (Self)

Against:

Borel, Dennis (Coalition of Texans with Disabilities)  
Hammond, Terry (Self; Texas Guardianship Association)  
Hill, Brian (Self)  
Hopper, Craig (Self)  
Miller, Jeff (Disability Rights Texas)  
Walker, Clifford (Self)

On:

Lopez, Cesar (Texas Hospital Association (and Texas Medical Association for HB 3063))

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Miller-Fellows, Sarah (Girls Empowerment Network)  
Seago, John (Self; Texas Right to Life)

Against:

Atwood, Missy (Self)  
Herman, Guy (Self; Travis County Probate Court)  
Hunt, Lauren (Self)  
Pojman, Ph.D., Joe (Texas Alliance for Lifr)

On:

Brush, Ramona (Self; Texas Guardianship Association member)  
Finch, Dan (Texas Medical Association)  
Gerken, Lauren (Texas council for developmental disabilities)

HB 3126

For:

King, Ben (Self)

Against:

Hunt, Lauren (Self)  
Miller, Jeff (Disability Rights Texas)  
Walker, Clifford (Self)

On:

Hill, Brian (Self)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Finch, Dan (Texas Medical Association)  
Haney, Casey (Texas Nurse Practitioners)

Against:

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

WITNESS LIST

HB 3150

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Gonzalez, Daniel (Texas Realtors)  
Parenteau, Julia (Texas Realtors)  
Parkinson, Thomas (Self)  
Parsley, Lee (Texans for Lawsuit Reform)  
Patterson, TJ (City of Fort Worth)  
Snowden, Tara (Zachry Corporation)

Against:

Smith, Jamaal (City of Houston, Office of the Mayor Sylvester Turner)  
Woods, Joe (American Property and Casualty Insurance Association)

HB 3334

For:

Driver, Devin (Texas Criminal Justice Coalition)

On:

Slayton, David (Office of Court Administration)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Craig, George (Houston Police Department)  
Erickson Collins, Christel (Self; Austin Justice Coalition)  
Luna, Margarita (Self; Statewide Leadership Council)  
Mitchell, Kathy (Self; Just Liberty)  
Osborn, Hope (Texas 2036)  
Parkinson, Thomas (Self)  
Reaves, Rebecca (Self)  
Williams, M Paige (Dallas Criminal District Attorney John Creuzot)

Against:

Roberts, Cary (County and District Clerks' Association of Texas)

On:

Barbee, Andrew (TDCJ)

HB 3338

For:

Miklos, Robert (City of Mesquite)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Carranza, Susana (Self)  
Craig, George (Houston Police Department)  
Griffith, Iona (Self)  
MacDougal, Vanessa (Self)



WITNESS LIST

For:

Parkinson, Thomas (Self)  
Patterson, TJ (City of Fort Worth)  
Vunderink, Gregg (Self)  
Williams, M Paige (Dallas Criminal District Attorney John Creuzot)

HB 3365

Against:

Rivela, Serina (University Health)  
Roth, Steven (Parkland Health & Hospital System)

On:

Singer, Paul (Office of the Attorney General)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Luna, Margarita (Self; Statewide Leadership Council)  
Perdue, Jim (Self; Texas Trial Lawyers Association)  
Smith, Jamaal (City of Houston, Office of the Mayor Sylvester Turner)  
Wendell, Ware (Texas Watch)

Against:

Allison, Jim (County Judges and Commissioners Association of Texas)  
Haynes, Adam (Conference of Urban Counties)  
Wheeler, Julie (Travis County Commissioners Court)

On:

Watts, Mikal (Self)

HB 3595

For:

Aschmann, Adam (Greater Houston Builders Association and Tilson Homes and Self)  
Bowling, Randy (Self; El Paso Association of Builders)  
Norman, Scott (Texas Association of Builders)  
Rudnicki, James (Self)

Against:

Eiland, Craig (Self; Texas trial lawyers assn)  
Fahy, Brandon (Self)  
Fulcher, Lisa (Self)  
Kaye, Gina (Self)  
McReynolds, John (Self)  
Metcalf, Sally (Self; TTLA)  
Uribe, Monica (Self)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Crone, Phil (Dallas Builders Association)  
Kirkpatrick, Shawn (Self; KB Home)

WITNESS LIST

For:

McCord, John (NFIB)  
Woods, Joe (American Property and Casualty Insurance Association)

Against:

Heyer, Connie (Texas community association advocates)  
Wendell, Ware (Texas Watch)

HB 3774

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Bresnen, Amy (Texas Family Law Foundation)  
Bresnen, Steve (TEXAS COURT REPORTERS ASSOCIATION)  
Williams, M Paige (Dallas Criminal District Attorney John Creuzot)

On:

Slayton, David (Office of Court Administration)

HB 3822

For:

Moran, Nathaniel (Smith County)  
Putman, Jacob (Self; Smith County Criminal District Attorney's Office)

HB 3984

For:

Perdue, Jim (Self; Texas Trial Lawyers Association)

Against:

Jackson, Brian (Texas Alliance for Patient Access)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Wendell, Ware (Texas Watch)

Against:

Woods, Joe (American Property and Casualty Insurance Association)

HB 4172

For:

Breemer, J David (Pacific Legal Foundation)  
Robb, Marie (City of Galveston District Six and Self)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Bakko, Sally (City of Galveston)

On:

Land, David (Texas General Land Office)

WITNESS LIST

HB 4218

For:

Marble, Reagan (Self)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Modglin, Jason (Texas Alliance of Energy Producers)

Moore, Julie (Occidental Petroleum)

HB 4344

Registering, but not testifying:

On:

Habersham, Jacqueline (State Commission on Judicial Conduct)

HB 4422

For:

Bratton, Nathan (Webb County)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

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

Medford, Leroy (Webb county)

Narvaez, Thamara (Harris County Commissioners Court)

Wheeler, Julie (Travis County Commissioners Court)