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Submitted to the Committee on State Affairs

For HB 4903

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Hearing Date: April 26, 2023 8:00 AM

Lisa Covington Self

San antonio, TX

Strongly support

Deana Johnston self Dallas, TX

Please support this bill. I think it is a great step toward privacy in banking.

Travis Mcqueen Self Small Business owner lake jackson, TX

I am for HB 4903

As Texnas we all love our state very much. We all love our culture, our rich heritage, and our way of life. While we cherish these things we are dealing with a failing US Dollar that isn't matter of if but when it collapse. With our independence mindset that we have and with our own Gold Depository here in Texas. It makes since that we have a digital back Gold currency.So we can help secure our economic independence from a failing federal government. We need this more than ever to protect our 9th largest economy in the world. The younger generation depends on you to do the right thing and that is to please vote yes on HB4903. God Bles you and God Bless Texas

Susanne Rothschild Self/Management Consultant Houston, TX

i strongly support HB4903 by Dorazio. A Texas gold-backed digital currency would combine the safety of owning gold with the transactional ease of digital currency, creating an option for people to transact business in sound money, set the stage to create a viable alternative to a central bank digital currency (CBDC). This would provide immeasurable opportunities for Texas and its people in terms of economic development, financial autonomy, and the preservation of liberty. I would like the Texas House to vote and pass this Bill.

Margaret Alderson Myself, retired Springtown, TX

I think this is a marvelous way to protect our money. We are all for it and Texas will be the forerunner!

Susan Hamilton Self Pittsburg, TX

I wish to speak in favor of a digital currency backed by gold, as a Texas option, which is separate from the Central Bank Digital Currency that is being touted by the Federal Government via EO 49067. That currency will tie people to the ESG - which Ken Paxton has already been successful in kicking Blackrock out of our state due to the ESG investments. This stands in opposition to the US Constitution, which states that we use gold and silver. I do understand that previous administrations removed us from the gold standard, and I very much support getting back to the gold standard, and getting back to State's rights having sovereignty over the federal government. The approved method of using the CBDC is to insert a chip into our hand. We will lose all anonymity if this happens. It is not only a flagrant violation of the Constitution, but a violation of our human rights. The Texas Constitution currently states: The Constitution of the Republic of Texas gave Congress the "power to coin money, regulate the value thereof and of foreign coins" and provided that "nothing but gold and silver coins shall be made a lawful tender." Congress provided that the standard value of gold and silver coins should be the same as in the United States, but no coins were ever minted by, or for, the republic. This bill, if passed, would give our state the power to coin money, using Article I, Section 10, the Supreme Court case called Briscoe versus Bank of Kentucky. The Supreme Court said it was legal for states to coin money. Also, the federal government does not have the power to take gold from a sovereign state. I ask that you keep our state sovereign, and that you pass this bill.

Manuel G Chapa Jr, CSM U.S. Army (ret) Texas Nationalist Movement Corpus Christi, TX

Please pass this bill for the financial future of our Children and the stability of the economy of TEXAS

Deborah L Chapa, SSG U.S. Army (ret) self Corpus Christi, TX

Please pass HB 4903. We Texan need our own currency that cannot be controlled by a Tyrannical government. Control of our own money we earn is freedom and they want to take it away. Those brave hero's who fought and died at both the Alamo and San Jacinto did so for our freedom, not just to have some Tyrannical government take our freedom and the freedom of our future generations. Thank you

Kenneth Kasper Self New Braunfels, TX

I am in favor of this bill. Texas will eventually have to leave the union and as such we need to be prepared and ready with our own currency to keep our economy working smoothly and fairly. This bill lays the groundwork to get us back to the constitutional monetary system that was originally intended.

Belynda Verges self Martindale, TX

As a Texan I believe it is important that Texas have it's own gold backed currency .It would combine the safety of owning gold and transactional ease of digital currency (like your debit card). We need to remain independent. Thank you Belynda Verges

Borbala Bohus Self real estate broker retired Dale, TX

I am a 110% supporter of hb4903. It is high time that we reject this new world order cabal. Free us from their enslavement. We voted for you representing us texans not some global elite interest.

Rodney Roland self, Electrical Engineer DALE, TX

Having a trusted method to store and exchange value is absolutely imperative to our wellbeing - economic and otherwise.

Since abandoning the gold standard, the US dollar can no longer be trusted. If the Fed can print 1,2,3 trillion dollars, why not 10 trillion, 100 trillion, a quadrillion? And they can give the money to whomever they choose -- while putting all the rest of us in the poorhouse.

Russia was cut off from SWIFT without due process, eroding international trust, leading to the BRICS initiative. Americans who challenge the corrupt establishment find themselves cut off too.

Cryptocurrency is a neat idea, but it still is not backed by anything.

The world at large is looking to move on from the Dollar, and we as Texans will pay a great price if we don't take action. We need to be ahead of the curve and establish a reliable currency that has a guaranteed value and is easy to transact.

Please vote YES on HB4903.

Mercedes Sparks, COO Self, COO Keller, TX

I want you to support this bill. Texas has the chance to save the nation from rising inflation and the rise of CBDCs. Texas needs to lead in this moment or everyday Americams don't have chance to protect their hard earned money and savings. Please, read this bill, get it out of committee and on to the floor so more Americans can hear about how Texas is going to save the Americans from financial ruin.

Cynthia Ramain Moms for Liberty

Austin, TX

I am a 5th generation Texan and I STRONGLY support this gold backed digital currency bill! If currency isn't backed by anything of value, it isn't worth anything.it's that simple.

Please pass this bill for the future of this great state! It is VITAL to the safety of our economic future to prevent the collapse of our current monetary system that is backed by nothing at all.

Thank you-Cynthia Ramain Concerned Texas Resident

Katherine McCally, Mrs Self Lantana, TX

Please pass HB 4903 out of committee. Thank you

Jay DuPree self Sherman, TX

Rep. Reggie Smith. Please pass HB4903 out if committee

David Chapman Self Lake Worth, TX

Please pass

Leigh Hughes Self/Real Estate Broker Investor Longview, TX

Please pass this bill out of committee.

Brad Campbell Campbell Construction Co Gorman, TX

Please pass it.

Elizabeth Adleta, Mrs. Self—nonprofit org Sherman, TX

Please pass this bill out of committee! Thank you! Elizabeth Adleta

Michael Smithson Individual Sadler, TX

With inflation running rampant this is a way to keep the purchasing power of our money relatively stable. It also makes easy access to our gold holdings and conversion to dollars in every day transactions

Steve Bancroft, Regional Sales VP Personal Keller, TX

It is critical to the financial stability of Texans to back our currency with gold. Given the federal economic policies that have been implemented and are in process of being implemented, Texas Leadership must stand up for Texans. This bill will help do that.

Daria Outhwaite Self — full-time wife, mother San Antonio, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee.

Markus Leonard

Self

Keller, TX

Please pass out of committee. We need alternatives at the state level to control what we are able to buy and sell

Joshua Davidson

Self

Garland, TX

Pass HB 4903 out of committee

Wanda Ulrey self Victoria, TX

Representative Geanie Morrison is my Representative. Pass HB 4903 out of committee!

Marilyn Lazabal Self Houston, TX

Pleas pass this bill! We need this security for our state!

Lee Sweeten Self Camp Wood, TX

I am completely in favor of this bill and ask that it be passed out of committee. This is far better than the anticipated CBDC that the Federal Reserve is proposing. Again please pass this Bill out of Committee

Tammie Hillis Myself Atlanta, TX Please pass this as it is needed for the safety of Texas

Angelia Zausch Self Liberty Hill, TX Please pass HB4903 out of committee. Thank you!

Helen Pettit Self Rockwall, TX

HB4903 pass -out of committee.

Thomas Bubb I am representing myself. Round Rock, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee !!

David Frazier The constituents of Texas Prosper, TX I totally support our money backed by gold.

Deborah DuPree Self Sherman, TX

REP. REGGIE SMITH, PLEASE PASS HB 4903 out of committee

Stephanie McComb Self Lockhart, TX

I want to go on record as saying, I support this bill and would like for you to pass it.

Patrice McKinney Self Midland, TX

We're counting on you to protect our future.

Diane Gray, Mrs Self McKinney, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee, Thank you Jeff Leach Rep for Collin County.

Jonathan Reaves Self day trader Rowlett, TX

Please pass through committee. This bill should be bipartisan as it helps all Texans with potential inflation against US federal cash.

Thanks, Jonathan Reaves

Laura Buske Self retired New Braunfels, TX

Please support HB 4903!! Thank you!

Richard Jolly Self Eastland, TX Please pass it Carla Sherman, Mrs. Self - retired Dallas, TX Please pass HB4903 out of committee.

Lori Grutsch Self Auto Sales Consultant Bee Cave, TX Pass HB 4903 out of committee

Dwayne Booth Myself Amarillo, TX

Please pass this bill

Michele Sepeda Myself Austin, TX Please pass HB4903

Dawn Tucker, Mrs Self Luling, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee. Thank you

Donna Grzywinski Self Plano, TX

Please pass out of committee

Chris Dorman Myself Paris, TX

Representative Gary VanDeaver - Please pass HB 4903 out of committee. Thank you. Chris Dorman, Paris Texas

Johnnie Howell Self Sweetwater, TX Pass HB4903 out of committee. We need this. Thank you.

Erika Hatfield Self Heath, TX I am FOR this bill as it will provide the option for people to transact business with "real" money in everyday transactions. Kassandra Pflughaupt Self - homemaker Center Point, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee and support this bill all the way through the legislative process!

Jeff Clements Self / Dept of Defense Gilmer, TX

My wife and I are in favor of having a Texas treasury using gold for transaction. We are loosing faith in our US monetary system and agree that Texas needs to set up its own system. Please help push this through.

Mike Carter Self | Business Owner Oak Point, TX

I have been following the news on HB 4903 and believe it is one of the most important pieces of legislation in this session. It should have broad bipartisan support as this can help all Texans increase their buying power. It can provide a natural hedge against inflation and makes owning and transacting gold easy. It is also allowed for and provided in the U..S Constitution and now with technology Texas is making this easy to execute. With all the uncertainty in the world economic markets, it would be great to have a safe secure way to own or invest in gold, but have the ability to easily transact in gold with the convenience of a debit card. Texas had the insight to build the Texas Bullion Depository, this bill is essentially attaching an ATM machine to the depository for the convenience of the depositors. This is a big idea! Please get this passed, this will be big for the Texas Economy, big for everyday Americans as well as help strengthen the US dollar by slowing down the growth of China's gold backed digital yuan! We could all use the some good economic news today, please share this with your colleagues and encourage theme to vote yes on this as well including those in the Senate and the matching SB 2334. Thanks in advance for the work you are doing to move this forward!

Pamela Kellom Self HR Recruiter with Texas Workforce Commission Aubrey, TX Please pass HB4903 out of committee.

Jane Phillippi Self New Braunfels, TX

Please pass HB 4903 out of committee

Stephen Salmon, Mr. Myself El paso, TX

I want this to pass for Texas and Texans so that we might secure a gold backed currency. We should never be able to just print money from air with no real value at all. It is imperative to re-instate the gold standard which has worked since the dawn of time. Stick with what works. Pass HB 4903

Jamie Ray Myself Frisco, TX Representative Leach, please vote to pass HB 4903 out of committee. Thank you! Katharina Grizzard Self mom Van, TX Please pass HB 4903 out of committee Virginia Graham Self Kerrville, TX Please pass this bill out of committee. Patricia Ortega Myself Amarillo, TX I really hope you will pass this. I think it will be good for Texas. Thank you. Patricia Ortega **Ronnie Jackson** Four Price Cheryl Robin Clark, Ms. Self San Antonio, TX Please pass bill HB4903 out of committee. Thank you! Michelle Ramirez, Mrs. self Spring, TX I emphatically urge you to pass this bill. Melissa Dearinger Individual Moulton, TX Please pass this bill! Thank you!!

Jolisa Hume Self / Self Employed Carrollton, TX

Please "pass HB4903 out of committee"

Dann Bass Self Bandera, TX Please pass HB 4903 Gwyn Lawson Self

Mckinney, TX

I support transactional gold for Texas. Please vote for the bill to support transactional gold. I will be an investor if this passes

William Grizzard Self PT Van, TX Please pass HB 4903 out of committee

Jacqueline Tischoff self Seguin, TX

I ask that my representative John Kuempel vote in favor of HB 4903.

John Hodges, Dr. Self - Chiropractor League City, TX

Please pass HB 4903 out of committee. This would be great for Texas and Texans. Additionally, it would benefit the rest of America.

Joseph Heyser Self/Pilot Abilene, TX

Texans need this bill and Texas has an opportunity to once again lead the way into a moser stable and sound financial future. A gold backed currency represents a hedge against inflation that is devastating the average Texan, the coming Federal CBDC, unchecked usury, the broken Federal Reserve System, and fractional reserve central banking. Please pass this bill and cement Texas as the bastion for freedom and financial independence.

Kathie Russell Now Officially Retired La Porte, TX

Please pass

Lillie Romero Self Lillie Romero Odessa, TX

I would support digital currency backed by Gold

Greg Alderson, Mr Self retired Springtown, TX

Please say yes to trans gold bill to protect our money from the destructive Biden administration.

Cheryl Barton Self Aledo, TX Rep Glenn Rogers I'm asking you to support the passage of HB 4903 Thank you! Cheryl Barton

SHELIA SMITH Self SADLER, TX

It is my hope that this bill passes. I have contacted my Senator and Representative about this bill and SB 2334. I would fully support a Texas backed currency. I am opposed to the CDBC that is currently being pushed thru.

Grant Marshall Self //. Retiree Plano, TX

I fully support passing hb 4903 out of committee

Cheryl Upshae Self Janitor and safe house for women Greenville, TX

Please vote FOR buy no government monitoring our money

Hubert Ardis, Mr. Self / Retired Wimberley, TX Want it to pass legislation!!!

Ann Moss, Ms. Self - retired Amarillo, TX

My representative is John Smithee. I urge that HB 4903 be voted out of committee. Texas must take the lead to protect Texas and US citizens from the Luciferian take over of our finances and the financial control of the CBDC agenda.

SteveNida Fisher Self Weatherford, TX Please PASS this... Please Lord God continue to Cover us by the Blood of Jesus!!!

Norma Gentry Self Kerrville, TX Please pass HB4903 out of committee darrel johnson Attic Corp harlingen, TX

Please pass this very important bill!

Darrel Johnson

Don & Jill West Ourselves Wichita Falls, TX VOTE YES!!!! Hollis Eppes Jr, Mr Self New Braunfels, TX I support HB 4903

Deborah Rashell, Ms. Self Lovelady, TX

I do not want digital currency, but if Joe Biden forces digital currency in AMERICA, then I believe that Texas should have gold and silver backed digital currency so the federal government cannot force our banks to go broke, and force equity! NO TO FEDS TAKING MY MONEY FOR EQUITY! No TO FEDS UNBACKED DIG CURRENCY! My money is my money!

Benjamin Strebeck, Mr. self Bandera, TX Pass HB4903 out of committee, PLEASE!

Susan Brunk, Mrs Self Denison, TX

I support our currency being backed by gold. It never should have been taken off of this standard by Nixon.

Kim Strebeck Self Bandera, TX Please pass Bill 4903 out of committee. Delos Pinzino, Mrs

Self Lindale, TX

Please vote for HB 4903 to protect us from the tyranny that will be ushered in by CBDC. Keep Texas free!

Annette Thiesen Self Springtown, TX Please pass HB4903 out if committee

Patricia K . Hodges, Ms. Self, Retired League City, TX This Bill is great for Texas and her citizens and can be shared with all American citizens.

Marcella McCammish, Mrs. Self, retired Azle, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee.

Don Hammel Self-Insurance Auditor Forney, TX

I believe that our money should be backed by a tangible asset. Please move this bill along.

Brandy Lowrimore Self Krum, TX Please pass HB4903 out of committee

Gerald Scarim Self ARLINGTON, TX

Pass HB4903

Virginia I Brown Self retired Wichita Falls, TX

I believe this will be a valuable addition in our state! Please vote to pass HB 4903 out of committee.

Mona Beck Self Denton, TX Please pass HB4903 out of committee.

Milda Frazier, Mrs Self Prosper, TX This will stabilize our state and citizens Josie Moss Self Montgomery, TX Pass HB 4903 out of committee.

Douglas Moore Self Retired Bedford, TX Tony Tinderholt please move this out of committee

Terri Wiles Self SPICEWOOD, TX

Hope this passes HV1B 4903, I would much prefer to buy from my state Texas....my representative...Cruz, Williams

Francisco Valenzuela, Dr. Self Decatur, TX Please pass HB 4903 out of committee.

Troy Vaughn Jr. Retired Murchison, TX

Vote For !

Gayla Guthrie Self Johnson city, TX

Establish digital currency backed by gold

Brenda Crawford Self Spring, TX

I support this bill

Laura Matheu Self Converse, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee.

Yvonne Sharp Self Breckenridge, TX pass HB4903 out of committee Julian Rocha Self / ICP clinician Haltom Cy, TX I would like for my representative to vote yes and pass this bill.

Eric Keller Steve Allison, house district 121 San Antonio, TX

Requesting to please Pass HB 4903 out of committee.

Clayton Brazelton, Mr. Self Retired Boyd, TX

I support using gold . My representative is Dr. Lynn Stuckey.

Larissa Williams Self Midlothian, TX Please pass this bill!

Daniel Wallace Self Boyd, TX

Please pass this bill out of committee

Rosie Gonzalez, Mrs Self Harlingen, TX

Please pass HB 4903 out of committee. This is extremely important to protect our financial assets and ourselves from invasive and controlling digital currency systems. Please help all Americans and strengthen our nation! My state rep is Janie Lopez.

Randy Thomas Self retired Vernon, TX Please pass bill out of committee.

Henk Roelant Self Houston, TX Please support HB 4903

Donna Michelle Schwab Self Shallowater, TX Please pass this bill! Lisa Dunnam Self Big Spring, TX

Please PASS THIS BILL! I am retiring in 2 years and deserve to keep my pension! Let Texas be a trailblazer to stop Biden's destruction!!

Perrin Butler, Mr. Self Pflugerville, TX

Please pass HB 4903 out of committee.

Thinas Ticer Myself Houston, TX

We need this to protect our assets.

Donna Evonne Woods, Ms Self Addison, TX

I support protecting our money backed by gold. I want to stop the Federal Government from taking control of our earned wages & social security benefits & secure our money through our Texas owned banking establishment. We shouldn't be tracked with regards to how we purchase items.

Christa Moore Self Retired Bedford, TX

Tony Tinderholt please pass this HB 4903 out of committee

Dan Cox, Judge Self Waxahachie, TX

Please pass HB 4903 out of committee

Harriette Lewis Self/retired Abilene, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee

Steve Little self Cedar Hill, TX

I reside in SD 23, Cedar Hill, represented by State Representative Carl Sherman. I support HB 4903 and urge that you pass HB 4903 out of committee. Thank you.

Arthur Wade Vastine Self Keller, TX Pass HB 4903 out of committee, this would be amazing for Texans.

Victoria Ares Self Lubbock, TX Please pass HB4903 out of committee! Thank you.

Claire Hernandez Self Austin, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee!

Tom Reis Self/Engineer Fort Worth, TX

Please pass this bill for transactional gold. This is needed to protect Texans' money from the CHDC that the federal government is trying to establish

Phillip Stafford, Mr. Self - retired Trenton, TX

Pass HB4903 out of committee. Texas state representative for Fannin County is Rep. Reggie Smith.

Katherine Pena Self Odessa, TX

I agree to this. Please pass out of committee Yes to HB 4903

Ray Hageman, Mr Self Krum, TX Please pass this bill ??

Daniel Carpio, Mr NA Killeen, TX

Please Pass HB4903 out of Committee

Robin Carpio, Mrs NA Killeen, TX Pass HB4903 out of committee Rose Moss, Mrs Self, Retired Burleson, TX Please pass this bill.

Rebecca Glidden Self Burleson, TX Please pass HB4903 out of committee.

Pam Butler Self Loraine, TX

Please pass this bill out of committee!

Louis Moss, Mr Self/Retired Burleson, TX

Please pass this bill.

Ken Kelley Self Amarillo, TX

Please pass this bill out of committee! Thanks.

Michael Schade, Mr Self /writer Houston, TX

I believe this is an excellent idea, because of BRICS and the fact that various other countries are moving away from the petrodollar. Also, this idea had be launched in europe as Glint among other names. This bill needs to get out of committee so it can voted on in the full house.

Ellen Reynolds Self Nutrition Coach Tyler, TX Please pass bill HB4930 out of Committee

Sally Gilmore Self Georgetown, TX

Please pass

Sue Duncan, Miss Self retired Midland, TX

Please pass this bill

Jerry Gilmore Self Georgetown, TX Please pass out of committee

Judy Neuhau Self. Citizen. Retired. Kerrville, TX

Would be a great asset for Texas to lead the way with this protection of our hard-earned dollars.

Leonard McKinnon Self Boyd, TX Pass the bill...

Sherri Walker 2952 FM 2848 Valley View Tx 76272 VALLEY VIEW, TX

In favor

Tamara williams, Mrs. Self sales sanger, TX

Please pass this fo the benefit of all Texans, and Americans alike

Claude williams, Mr. Self Driver sanger, TX This Needs to pass

ROBERT STUTZMAN

Self Greenville, TX

Please pass hb4903 out of committee. My state representative is Bryan Slaton.

Thank you, Robert Stutzman

Pauline Larson, Pastor The Chosen GeneratIon Galveston, TX Please pass this! Don Sabo Self Benbrook, TX Pls support and pass it out of committee.

Carrie McFarland Self - Retired Lipan, TX Please Pass out of Committee!

Janet Sabo Self Benbrook, TX

Please support passage out of the committee

Bobby Overbey Sr. Self Sherman, TX

I urge our representatives to pass this out of committee with all possible dispatch. If Texas doesn't enact this, I'm afraid we're doomed to be slaves of the Federal Government and it's total disregard for monetary sanity. Respectfully submitted Bobby N. Overbey Sr.

Liz Weaver Self Granbury, TX

I am in favor of a digital currency backed by gold!

Scott Dettmer Self, construction New Braunfels, TX

Pass it out of committee. Get this done!

Paula Holle, Ms Self. Retired. Bowie, TX

Please pass this bill.

Mary Willis Myself Flower Mound, TX

Please pass this bill. Giving Texans the ability to the choice to use a currency backed by something if real value...Gold.

Yvonne Guy Myself Austin, TX Pass HB4903 Darla Avery Self Abioene, TX

I am in favor of 4903. Please work to pass this this bill that gives Texans the financial security of this bill based on the gold standard. Say yes !

Lyndon Parungao Greg Abbott Little Elm, TX

There's been so much going on in the world for the past few years about inflation and some banks have collapsed and other are in trouble. We know that gold is still the legal tender of the world. The only thing we would feel protected with our hard earned money if it's all backed up by gold. Please establish a digital currency exchange that is backed up by gold.

Ronald Moerbe, LTC Army Retired Self retired Fredericksburg, TX

I have gold and silver in my safety deposit box that is bulky and almost impossible to use. Please give me the freedom to protect my estate. I spent 28 years protecting yours I'm asking you to return the favor

Adrienne Ruiz, Ms Self El Paso, TX

Pass HB4903 out of committee

Larissa Williams Self Midlothian, TX

Please pass this bill!

Michael Moeller Million voices SAN ANTONIO, TX

The constitution states that only gold and silver shall be money. Therefore I recommend the state of Texas

Jo Cabaniss, Mrs. Self, retired San Antonio, TX

It would be in the best interest of all Texans to pass HB4903 out of committee.

Gilda Wilkinson TRTA Ingram, TX

I fully support this bill as a safeguard against inflation and protection against federal interference My representative is Andrew Murr As a 4th generation Texan, I request that you pass this bill out of committee and to the floor for vote The fee needs to be modest so all Texas can participate Gilda Wilkinson

Pam Hollett, Ms Self Sunnyvale, TX

We must have all our dollars backed by the gold standard we must get back to original gold standard on all currencies .

Roger Ahles, Mr Self Fort Worth, TX

I am represented by Stephanie Klick and I want to see HB 4903 passed out of committee. Thank you.

Cheryl Kennedy Self Marble Falls, TX Please pass HB4903 out of committee.

Larry E. Epp Self Fredericksburg, TX

I support HB 4903 — Please "pass HB4903 out of committee." Thanks, Larry

Loren Leland, Mr. Self El Paso, TX

Please pass HB 4903 out of committee. This option in financial payments would be a welcome option for the people of Texas.

Robert McNeill SELF , Audio - Visual Professional Katy, TX

Please pass this out of committee. This is needed for Texans to protect their wealth however large or small from the out of control spending and fiscal policies in Washington DC.

Kimberly Benien self Crosby, TX

My State Rep is Briscoe Cain. I am requesting that you pass HB4903 out of committee. Thank you. Kimberly Benien

Vonda Daniels self, tax preparer Fort Worth, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee.

Daniel Lammers Self, retail sales Weatherford, TX

This bill is vital to our financial security. Please move this out of committee & onto the floor immediately so it is voted on & approved this before the break. Thank you.

Georgina Hopper, Mrs. Self - Plano ISD educator Plano, TX

Hello! Jeff Leach is my representative and I would kindly ask that you pass HB 4903. Thanks and God bless!

THOMAS KNIGHT Self GRAHAM, TX

To honorable David Spiller. I am a 5 generation Texan and I love our state - best in the USA. Please vote to move HB4903 out of committee. Texas can greatly benefit from a gold based system to help counter the strain of inflation at the hands of people who care nothing about printing huge, non-backed paper currency. Texas needs to lead this charge. Thanks for your consideration. Thomas Knight

Sally Fiveash Self Carrollton, TX

I support HB 4903 and hope that my state rep Kronda Thimesch, has the opportunity to vote for this bill. We need tools in place that will help insure our privacy in our financial transactions. The federal government is going to roll out a digital currency and if they are successful, they will start to require it and our privacy will be lost. Passing this bill will be one way we can help preserve our individual liberty if we live in Texas if we want to opt out of the digital currency push. Please pass HB 4903 out of committee.

Verna Stutzman self, Lexicographer Greenville, TX pass HB4903 out of committee

Harold & MaryJane Denson, Mr Self Troup, TX

This bill when passed will be a real asset to all Texans who take advantage of it

Keyia Peterson, Mrs. Self Denison, TX

Please pass this bill to protect our currency

JoAnn Georgostathis, Miss Self. Retired Arlington, TX

Please pass HB 4903 out of committee. This is an extremely important bill for the financial well being of Texas residents. My state representative is Tony Tinderholt.

Patty Gordon None Ft. Worth, TX

Please vote yes on this!

Audrey Keeton Self retired military Newark, TX

Please support this bill!

Brian Treiber Self MELISSA, TX

Jeff Leach, please pass this bill out of committee.

Camille Robertson, Ms. Self. Retired Temple, TX

Please pass HB 4903 out of committee. Thank you for your service to the citizens of Texas!

Russell Medley Sr., Mr. Medley Family Dayton, TX

I look forward to a TX. state backed gold and silver currency thereby bypassing any further damage to the U.S. dollar by the Biden administration!

Alex de Alvarez Myself Dallas, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee

Joshua Berner Retired Longview, TX

I fully support a financial system based on precious metals. I do NOT support adopting another fake currency like the FIAT currency of previous nor a digital currency based in the usury system of social credit scoring. No more fake money and absolutely no financial system that can be turned off or stolen. FTX already proved the lie of digital currency being safe. PRECIOUS METALS only!

Jeffrey Keeton Self retired military Newark, TX Please support this bill

Janet Treiber Self MELISSA, TX

Jeff Leach, pass bill 4903 out of committee.

Maureen Satchwell Self/ semi retired Corpus Christi, TX

Please pass bill

Mark Potts Self, retired Mabank, TX

Our State Representative is Keith Bell. Please pass HB4903 out of committee. Thank you.

Nancy Jackson, Mrs. Self retired Southlake, TX Please move this out of committee

Michael Baker self - Computer Engineer

Hurst, TX

I respectfully request that you please support HB 4903. I am in favor of creating a Gold backed legal tender which will act as a hedge against the unwise Federal monetary policy being implemented in Washington. Please pass this bill out of committee. My Texas Representative is Tony Tinderholt House District 94. Thank you very much.

Andrew Stevens Self retired Gary, TX

I'm a private citizen and i believe all Texans have the right to own and use gold in every day transactions.

Cid Garcia Self San Antonio, TX

Please vote yes to support the bill as the Fed Reserve is going to collapse our lives in TEXAS. Keep TEXAS first!

James Land, Mr Self, Retired Farmer/Diesel Equipment Specialist Bryson, TX

We live in District 13 in North Central Texas and strongly request you to pass HB 4903 that will give us a choice to have digital currency backed by gold.

Gil Hopper, Mr Self, computer programmer Plano, TX

My representative is Jeff Leach and I would like him to support HB 4903.

Jaime Delfino, Mrs. Self Live Oak, TX

We have confidence and believe that this bill HB4903 will be established as precedence passed into legislation as it is VITAL TO ALL CONSTITUENTS AND RESIDENCE living in both Texas and other states within the US.

Has every branch in our government up to the highest level in Washington, represent "we the people". I'm confident in conveying this bill would serve your best interest, as well as ours!

As you represent us to the best of your ability, what affects us: directly affects you & your family & every facet of society. So in good faith, I trust that you will be looking out for the interest of ALL of us including yourself & this bill will be passed into legislation ASAP!

Please keep me up to date as to when this is past & when it will go into effect.

Thank you for doing your job & both listening to & serving your ALL your constituents needs. As taken by an oath before you we're sworn into your position, to uphold the law as well as represent your constituents to the best of your ability!

Thank you, God bless you and God bless America!

darlene coleman, Mrs Gateway Church Fort Worth, TX

Please get this moving so it can get a vote. Thank you so much

Jae Stutzman self / Project Engineer Greenville, TX

As a resident of Texas, please pass HB4903 out of committee. This is an important monetary tool that everyone should have access to. Diversification of assets should not just be a tool of the well-to-do.

Carla McIntosh, Ms.

Self,

Ponder, TX

I am a Texas Citizen living in Denton County. I am represented by Lynn Stucky. I am asking that you pass HB4903 out of committee. Thank you.

Kara Scow Self McKinney, TX Wayne Hill Self Fort Worth, TX

It is well past time to get this done. Nixon made a terrible taking the US off the Gold Standard. It is time that we put both gold and silver into circulation and easily used to pay for things.

Bret Chance Self Flower Mound, TX

This bill needs to be passed to protect our money from the Feds.

John Pezzano Self self employed Wichita Falls, TX

I am writing in support of HB 4903. I believe that Texas should lead the way with our own legal tender. National control of digital currency will be destructive to our society. Texas will give me the option of securing as much or as little of my own money with gold that I otherwise wouldn't be able to afford. Also I cannot spend gold if I purchased it for myself. I fully support this measure.

Wanda Hebert Self as a Texas citizen Wimberley, TX

Please pass HB 4903 out of committee.

George Chopelad Self. Retired Alpine, TX Please support this issue

Mark Thompson Self Van, TX

I support this and would very much like to see passed into law.

Jon Hill Kellye and Jonathan Hill Grandview, TX

My comment is simply that we should acknowledge gold as legal currency and not merely a commodity. I have not been able to find sufficient information to be completely on board with the bill as it stands.

Terry Fitzgerald Srlf Cypress, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee.

Greg Grant Self Hudson oaks, TX Let's get this done quickly without any foot dragging.

Wanda Hebert Self as a Texas resident Wimberley, TX Please pass HB4903 out of committee.

Yvonne Burroughs Self/Retired Amarillo, TX

Please pass HB 4903 out of committee.

PAMELA LITTLEPAGE Self/Manager Shady Shores, TX

Please move this forward so it can voted on and passed. This is very important now because our dollar is under attack.

Robert P Chapman Self / retired Shady Shores, TX

Please move this bill forward so can we voted on and passed this is very important, because our dollar is under attack now.

Patricia Chopelas Self. Retired Alpine, TX Please support this issue

CYNTHIA M BOGER-ROSE

Self Fredericksburg, TX

Texas has only one choice and that is to meet the needs of its people. Protection of our own economy, our own future, and our own freedoms. We need a solid financial system in Texas apart from the global banking system. We need to be our own independent self-sufficient people who can engage in business safely and securely for ourselves. The only way we can be Texas is to have our own GOLD and SILVER Standard in a banking vault for the people of this State.

Carolyn Abel Self Lindale, TX

I am very concerned about the direction of our national economy and the decisions being made by leaders. Please pass HB4903 out of committee and bring it to the floor for a vote. Texas can stand up for our citizens and set the standard for our nation. Thank you.

Irene Pegues self Decatur, TX

I support thi bill. I want independence from the Federal Reserve that has made disastrous decisions for the citizens of Texas and the Country as a whole.

Ginny Brown self Burleson, TX

Please pass HB4903

Andre Turner self Argyle, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee.

Araceli Graziani Self Laredo, TX

Please Pass HB4903 out of committee

Brandy Oto Self Granbury, TX

Please pass this bill! Protect our citizens investments!

Concepcion Turner self Argyle, TX Please pass HB4903 out of committee.

Brad Young Self Plano, TX

Please pass the bill out of committee and support it until It becomes law. I am counting on my legislators to support bills that protect Texans.

Rebecca Acquaviva Self Marshall, TX Please support this legislation Kristen Triplett Self Anna, TX

Please vote YES on this bill! With inflation and the looming threat of total government control with a programmable digital currency (CBDC), a currency backed by gold is immensely needed. History will agree! Future generations will look back on this and see that Texas led the fight against the disastrous central, big banks. Vote yes!

Dianna Stovall Self Conroe, TX Please pass bill HB 4903. Joy Kunkel myself Riesel, TX Representative Session, Please pass HB4903 out of committee. Thank you for all you do for Texas. We are praying for you. Joy Kunkel Jesse Lopez Self Forney, TX

Lance Gooden, pass HB 4903

Susie Knight self Hutto, TX

My name is Susie Knight. I am a concerned Texan citizen. I am concerned about the economic crisis that is looming over our country and our state. I believe that a digital currency backed by gold is a viable and constitutional solution to our problem. I am asking you to pass HB4903 out of committee.

Keith Benton Self Tyler, TX Pass 4903

Sondra Pariser Self Southlake, TX

Please pass HB 4903 out of committee if you value the constitution.

Larry Blake Self Missouri City, TX, TX

Please pass this Bill HB 4903 out of committee.

Alan Pariser Self Southlake, TX I urge you to pass bill HB 4903 out of committee

Betsy Gray Self Allen, TX We need this bill to pass for the good of the whole country! Thank you!

Sally Austin, Individual Self Longview, TX

With our economy in a tailspin & the devaluation of the dollar and no real place for most people to turn, having a gold backed digital currency is an answer to saving retirement accounts and not losing everything in a very uncertain stock market. If people are able to purchase fractional gold, they have a real chance at establishing a savings or retirement while still having access to funds if the need arises.

Additionally this could be the next "Oil Boom" for Texas. If people and businesses outside of our state are allowed to have accounts, Texas could be the holder of a great part of our nations personal/company gold. This could generate enormous income from fees that would benefit all Texans.

Texas has always been a leader in this nation. Leading in the financial sector opens up an entirely new world of possibilities for Texans and the nation. Let's face it, we don't know if our currency will survive BRICS and the current economic uncertainty that has become a new nightmare every morning. Giving extraordinary-everyday Americans a chance to get a leg up in this area benefits all Americans and helps insure their future.

We need this bill to pass to thwart our enemies attempts to shut America out and isolate us from our Allies. China has signed up many countries to their BRICS system and is working around the clock to devalue our dollar and make it impossible for America to thrive, HB4903 stops them in their tracks and offers an assurance to Allies that we will still be able to meet our obligations and trade requirements.

I ask each of you to think about the people you see everyday and their families and imagine if all of them lost everything. The enormous burden on State resources would be overwhelming and we all know nobody's coming to save us except for us. We a duty, while we still can, to insure the promise America has always, until now, offered to any person willing to try. We have a duty to save America.

Franklin Morrow, Mr. Morrow Household Greenvill, TX

Please pass, we currency that we personally have something physical that proves value and not virtual value defined by evil men.

Linda Cameron, Mrs Self retired minister Henrietta, TX

My husband and I are registered voters and want both the senate and house bills approved and voted on. We are retired and will invest in the transactional gold as soon as it is available. Do this for your constituents! Todd Stephenson Self Surgical Assistant Dallas, TX pass HB4903 out of committee Harold Barnard, Dr None Quinlan, TX Pls pass through committee Carlos Graziani Self Laredo, TX Please approve Kimberley Dollar self Carrollton, TX Rep. Kronda Thimesch, as a voter in your district I am asking you to pass HB 4903 out of committee. Thank you. Darryl Quinn Self Magnolia, TX Please pass this bill out of committee. I fully support it Janet Gonzales Brian Babin La Porte, TX Gold currency - yes **Robert Holstein** Self - Retired Houston, TX I Support Constitution-Based Texas Transactional Currency. **Rollin Anderson** Self Ponder, TX Please pass HB4903 out of commitee

Thank you

Ashish Singh self - Cafe owner and operator Allen, TX

Thank you for supporting a bill to create a financial instrument of value that can be used by everyone. We are hopeful that this bill will pass.

Jamie Boersma, Ms. Self - Dir. of Business Development (Commercial Construction) Tyler, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee.

Cynthia McDonald, Retired Self Red Oak, TX

Please pass HB 4903 out of committee

Cathy Anderson Self Ponder, TX

Please pass HB 4903 out of committee

Thank you

Jennifer Clifton Self Fort Worth, TX I want this bill passed.

Terry McCluer Myself Henderson, TX

Please pass this Bill before our paper money is worthless.

Joyce Clifton Myself Ft. Worth, TX I want this Bill passed.

Chris Spengler self, retired Benbrook, TX

Please support HB 4903 and pass it out of committee. Thanks for your hard work on behalf of all Texans!

Kellye Stagner, Mrs Self - Real Estate Agent Longview, TX I support HB4903. Please pass HB4903

William Broderick Acme Industrial Blast Furnace Company Granbury, TX I need more details

Joseph Goucher Self - Financial Data Manager Flower Mound, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of the committee. I am all for this, as I do not need a central digital bank tracking my spending.

Jeff Smyth Self - Realtor Wichita Falls, TX

Please pass HB 4903 out of committee. Thank you.

Mary Beth Sellars, Mrs. Self/business owner Spring Branch, TX

In agreement to pass HB4903 out of committee to protect American citizens from financial loss due to government overreach. My Texas House Representative is Carrie Isaac District 73

James Helm Self Katy, TX

I support HB 4903

Kimberly Delaughter Self Lantana, TX

I would please ask Representative Thimesch to pass HB4903, and please pass HB4903 out of committee. Thank you for your time. Respectfully,

Kimberly DeLaughter 76226

Charlotte Alexander Self Dallas, TX

Dear Sir or Madam. I hope you will clear this bill for release from committee. As a senior citizen I am deeply concerned that the actions of the federal government in increasing inflation will result in a significant loss of my retirement funds. Establishing a gold backed digital currency would have a positive effect on the economy of the nation and state of Texas. Thank you for your thoughtful consideration. C Alexander.

David Popkov Self - Accountant Trophy Club, TX

The strengthening of BRIC, the trend to move from the United States dollar as the reserve currency, unfettered inflation, and skyrocketing national debt are eating away at the value of the United States dollar. A gold backed digital currency would, in a way, restore the gold standard and help protect the value of the fruit of the labor of Texans by making gold held in Texas easily accessible to the average Texan. It will also help protect the financial privacy of Texans in light of the push for Central Bank Digital Currency. I respectfully ask that you please pass HB4903 out of committee. Thank you.

Jimmy Lopez, Sr Tfb Waco, TX I vote to pass hb4903

Roseann Davis Self, retired airline Troy, TX

My name is Roseann Davis address is 1280 Quail Run Drive, Troy, TX 76579. My Tx Stat Representative is Brad Buckley. I am requesting your support for HB4903, OUT OF COMMITTEE. It can help All Texans. Thank you. You can make a difference for all Texans.

Debra Donovan Self - retired Richardson, TX

I support this bill.

Teja Flournoy Self-Retired San Antonio, TX

Pass HB4903 now

Annette Baker Self Harlingen, TX

If we are headed towards digital currency, it should be backed by gold.

Ben Thomas Self. Retired North Richland Hills, TX

Pass it out of committee!!!! We need this opportunity!!

Marva Hensley Self Whitewright, TX

Please pass HB 4903 out of committee

Cyndy Rhone Self/school bus driver Quinlan, TX

I would like to be able to access my money through digital currency that is backed by the gold. I feel this is the most responsible way to be good stuards of our(State of Texas') money.

Charles Pinzino Self, retired Lindale, TX

This legislation is needed for Texas and every other State in the Union. Please work diligently to get this bill passed. It's time for all Texans to stand up and declare for the freedom we're famous for. Thank you

James Sommerfrucht Self Cedar Hill, TX Support Texas Transactional Currency. Win win for State revenue and citizens increased financial security

Lori Robson Self Mineola, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee.

Charles Huff Self Paradise, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee

Rick Holder, Mr Self Weatherford, TX

Pass the bill Texans want it.

Eddie Rivera Self Live Oak, TX

Please pass the bill HB 4903

Lori Harris Self Kilgore, TX

My Texas Representative is Jay Dean. I am a tax paying land owner who is asking for HB 4903 to be passed out of committee. Texans need an alternative to the dollar. Thank you for your consideration on this important matter. Lori Harris
Thomas Amis, CAPT USN Texas state citizen Bridgeport, TX

Representative Stucky I strongly urge you to pass HB 4903. By establishing currency based on the Gold standard you will help to break the back of the U.S. Federal Reserve which is unconstitutional.

Regards, Tom Amis CAPT USN

Mrs. Marisusan Kennedy self Valley Mills, TX

Please pass this bill out of committee.

PAUL MOSSMAN SELF PROSPER, TX

The Transactional Gold Bill would further solidify Texas as a center for bold new ideas. The impact of thousands of savvy investors, big and small, putting assets into their own TG account would have an oversized impact on our Texas economy. Texas has a chance to rocket past other states in financial planning just as it has in business growth, resource development and cutting-edge innovation.

Please don't let this opportunity pass us by! I urge the committee to pass HB 4903 and send it and all of Texas forward. Respectfully Paul L. Mossman Prosper, Texas

Saul Arizpe self Austin, TX

Please pass HB 4903 so we can get off the fake, fiat based US dollar! We need to establish our Texas independence and "enforce" the constitution to protect our sovereignty and rights.

Texas Fight!, Texas Lead!

Regards, Saul Arizpe

Evelyn Thompson Self, Retired Bandera, TX

I support this bill. Rep Murr please pass this bill out of committee.

Rick Harkins Self MINERAL WELLS, TX

Please support this bill for all our sakes. Thank you James Gordon Self Fort Worth, TX

I support this bill. It would hold true of our Texas founding and traditions of being a republic first. Gold-backed currency would insure our economy prospers now and for our children.

Roseann Davis Self and to benefit ALL Texans. I'm retired airlines. Troy, TX

Address is 1280 Quail Run Drive, Troy, Texas, 76579. Texas State Representative is Brad Buckley. I'm asking for your support to pass HB 4903, out of committee, as it can benefit ALL Texans. And it will benefit our state of Texas too by fees going to our state. Thank you.

Ann Anderson Accel Property Management McAllen, TX

I encourage you to pass HB4903 out of committee.

Trudy Porterfield Self Axtell, TX

Mr Sessions please vote for HB 4903 out of committee

Carolyn Isom Self Haslet, TX

I want HB 4903 to pass. Please say Yes on your vote.

Jasmine Reyna, Self Self ODESSA, TX

I, Jasmine Reyna ask please pass bill HB4903 out of committee.

Maria Salcido Self Odessa, TX Please pass HB4903

Leo Swanson Self Carrollton, TX

This is a good bill. Having digital currency that is redeemable to gold is good. Please pass this bill.

Juan Salcido Self Odessa, TX Please pass HB4903 Wayne Mitchell Self houston, TX

I look forward to be free from the Fed system

Connie Stewart Self Schertz, TX

Please pass HB 4903 out of committee

Fred Beene Self Oakhurst, TX

Ernest Bailes, if you truly have the best interests of all Texans at heart, regardless of party affiliation, I strongly encourage you to please vote yes on HB4903 out of committee onto the floor for a vote. It is unconscionable that this bill has not been at the forefront of our HOR to consider. We are facing a terrible takeover of our privacy with the threat of our federal government establishing a federal digital currency and subjecting us to a social test that would invade every area of our life if we didn't measure up to their standards. This is not a political issue, it is an American issue. You people in the House need to get on the stick and start working. It's a shame that you have taken very little action to move conservative issues through committee and onto the floor. Time is running out so please get HB4903 out of committee and give us the ability to be able to protect our our economic ability. There are 2.3 million Texans speaking out on this issue. Remember you work for us. We are sick of the "slow-walking" of important bills that need to be dealt with.

Christina Drewry self Flint, TX I support HB4903. **Bill King** Self Odessa, TX Please pass HB 4903. Jeremy Cue Self Nevada, TX Please Pass Debra A Crowther NA San Antonio, TX This is a fantastic proposal. Craig Carpenelli, Mr. Self Hurst, TX

This is an obvious choice, to show vision, leadership and responsibility by the best state in the Nation. We would love this opportunity, please vote yes for this bill.

Roger Courts Jr., Mr. Self Montgomery, TX

We need a sound currency to compete against the US Dollar. This would weaken the central authority's power over the individual. Please consider voting to create the currency backed by gold or a basket of commodities. Thank you.

Roseanne Mckee self Lumberton, TX I am in favor of passing this bill, I would appreciate it if you would vote for it.

Lowell Thompson Self Canton, TX

My state representative is Bryan Slaton. Please pass HB 4903 out of committee. This act needs to be voted on and passed before this legislative session ends. This is a vital piece of legislation for the people of Texas. Thank you.

Cara Walter Self McKinney, TX

Please forward this bill through! I am concerned about our govt. desire to control our money/ spending by initiating a central banking digital currency. I appreciate a workable solution for every day people who would like to keep the value of our money (in gold) without govt interference.

Mercedes Gonzales Self Odessa, TX Please pass HB4903

James P Sappington III Self - Retired Runaway Bay, TX

I support the establishment of a digital gold backed currency in Texas. Please send this bill to the floor. Thank you

Helen Bynum, Ms Self Porter, TX

I support this bill. Representative Cecil Bell, I ask that you vote yes on this bill. Texans need a reliable way to utilize a monetary system that is backed by gold and silver. Thank you.

Leticia Rubio Self Buda, TX Would like to see Digtal currency backed by gold i really hope it passes

Marc Welch Self Spring Branch, TX

Dear Sir or Madam,

My name is Marc Welch and I was born in Dallas, Texas and have lived my entire life in Texas except for a brief stay of 4 1/2 years in Santa Fe, New Mexico. Currently I live in Spring Branch in Comal County and my State Representative is Carrie Isaac. The purpose of my comments are to strongly encourage and request that you "pass HB4903 out of committee" which will provide Texans and others the opportunity to participate in a digital currency that is backed by gold and silver. Given the uncertain financial times that we are facing it is only prudent to provide a stable gold backed currency verses the central bank digital currency which will be overseen by the Federal Reserve or some other federal agency.

Thank you,

Marc Welch

Mercy King Self Odessa, TX

Please pass HB 4903

Robin Onstott Self League City, TX

I'm very interested in the state of Texas doing this for its citizens to protect our monies from the deep state starting the digital currency. I do NOT want to be tracked and monitored by these evil groups. Nor controlled. Texas should help them s keep our FREEDOM! Thank you. My state representative is a Doctor. Sorry, forgot his name. I'm in Galveston County. Robin Onstott

Sharon Ambler Self Lindale, TX

Please Pass HB 4903 out of committee

Dann Bass Self Bandera, TX

Please pass HB 4903 out of committee.

Theresa Thigpen Self/retired Lufkin, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee. Critically important that we have an alternative for financial stability.

Nanette Mecham self, retired Kerrville, TX I asked for my Representative Andrew Murr to vote to pass this bill.

Cathryn Chapman Self Keller, TX State Representative - Giovanni Capriglione - District 98

Gary Foster, Mr G&S LOGISTICS ,llc Clyde, TX

We need this PASSED FOR TEXAS!!!! DESPITE ABBOTT TAKING MONEY UNDER THE table for medical surgery on Elegal immigrants .

Stephen Moreland Self - Training Professional Euless, TX

With the willful and designed demise of the US dollar by Biden and his globalist handlers, it is imperative that we plan for this situation. If we do nothing, shame on us. Since Nixon took the US off the gold standard, the entire economy is based on debt and fiat currency. Returning us to a gold standard will make our money actually worth something again. If the US won't do it, let's show them that Texas will stand up for its citizens. I fully support this bill.

Kathy Durham Self Kress, TX Please pass HB 4903 out of committee. Thank you! Theresa Hamilton Self Cushing, TX Please pass this bill Tami Barrier Self Carrollton, TX Please pass this bill. It is so important for all Texans especially lower income levels to have access to a currency backed by gold.

Suzanne Jefferson Self San Antonio, TX pass HB 4903 out of committee

Texas needs to act now to establish a digital currency backed by gold.

Linda Spates Self-Financial Secretary Frankston, TX Please pass this bill out of committee.

Nancy Thompson, Mrs Self Fate, TX

No to digital currency, please.

Jill Baket Self Spring Branch, TX Please vote for this bill

Kay DiBenedetto self-Retired educator Mansfield, TX

David Cook, please pass HB4903 out of committee! This is very important to MANY Texans. Thank you.

Lynette Bass self HOUSTON, TX

I urge our Texas Representatives to pass this legislation. Texans need to know their money is backed up by the gold standard.

Billy Pistole, mr self Princeton, TX

We need a currency back by physical gold to combat the inflation cause by fiat currencies.

Merle Acklin Self Amarillo, TX

I urge you to support HB4903, the fiat dollar is quickly becoming worthless. Digital currency back by gold is the best shot at saving our economy.

Lloyd Thompson Self Bandera, TX

I highly support this bill as it seems to give Texans the opportunity to take control of their monies in a gold standard.

Jacqueline Joy Graham Self Austin, TX

Please pass 4903 out of committee!

Dodd Williams, Mr. Self Midlothian, TX Please pass this bill out of committee.

Judy Sweeten Self Uvalde, TX This gives more control to our State residents. Don't back down

Wesley Riddle, LTC (Ret.) Self / Retired Belton, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee.

Dennis Herbert Self Salado, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee. The sooner we get away for the overreach of the federal government and their sell out to the Chinese the better.

Harriette Lewis Self/equip operator Abilene, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee

Nancy Diana Thompson, Mrs Self homemaker Azle, TX Pass HB 4903

Ann Daggett Tx Transitional Gold Standard Fort Stockton, TX

I very strongly support Texas being on gold standard.

Rodrigo Lopez Self Brownsville, TX

I am in favor of this bill.

Rhonda Lowry self Wolfforth, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee

Scott Blair Self BRYAN, TX

This bill would provide a very good way for Texas citizens to shore up their retirement savings with actual gold and provide the means for access to their savings regardless of the state of the economy.

David Staggs Self retired Lewisville, TX

Please support this bill and ensure our currency. AMERICA needs to be strong again! Let Texas lead the way. Thank you

Bill Jenkins Self West, TX

This Transactional Gold bill will help individuals like me be able to help fight inflation by investing and using gold backed currency to pay bills, buy groceries and have those transactions covered by an asset such as gold. I think it needs to include silver as silver is about to become a valuable asset in itself. As a retired school teacher, I don't have the luxury of being able to buy gold at the price it is today. With this bill, I'll be able to invest in gold with any amount I can and have the security of having a tangible asset to back my transactions.

Randy Rodriguez Self San Antonio, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee.

Karen Robertson Self Cleburne, TX Please support this bill! Thank you

Joseph La Valley Self Dallas, TX Protect Tx. citizens from run away Federal spending. Pass Bill 4903

Phyllis Rampulla self - life insurance agent New Braunfels, TX

Please pass bill HB4903 out of committee as soon as possible. Digital currency backed by gold as opposed to the CBDC that the federal government is proposing is critical to personal and business finance and freedom. I'm hoping my Congressman Greg Casar will see the wisdom in this bill and back it.

Pamela Crawford self child development / charity outreach FW, TX

pass HB4903 out of committee Texas needs to lead out in this! Thank you, PJ Crawford

Jima Wynn self / horse ranching Weatherford, TX

Please support this bill.

Jerry Cooper My family and household Willis, TX

I believe it will be good for the state and the people

Ranee Mcclane, Mrs. Self Wichita Falls, TX I am asking you to back this bill.

Jennifer Kirkland Self Haskell, TX

I urge you to establish a gold backed monetary system. I strongly believe the future of this great nation will greatly benefit from this bill. Thank you for your service

Michael Sewell Self / Retired Magnolia, TX

I respectfully request that you establish transactional gold in Texas to keep Texas strong. We must go back to our roots and establish a viable foundation so that Texas can continue to prosper in times of uncertainty caused by out of control spending in Washington DC.

Gerry Webb self. Manager Melissa, TX

Please pass this bill out of committee to help the people of Texas and this country.

Tamara Brown Rodriquez Self Employed Dallas, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee. This is critical!

Rashad Green Self Newark, TX I support this bill

Susan Denton Myself and state of Tx BURLESON, TX

Our dollar is about to be of no value. We need Gods money, silver and gold backed currency to be stable and honest. Please go back to goldback and save our state, our country.

Best regards,

Susan

John Conner self, adjunt professor/writer Houston, TX

I strongly support HB4903. Please pass HB4903 out of committee. Thanks!

Ned Schneider self CANYON LAKE, TX

Please pass this bill, it will be good for TX residents.

Thanks,

Ned and Melanie Schneider

Martha Conner Self, Social worker Houston, TX

I support HB4903. Please pass HB4903 out of committee.

Irvin Thomas self Northlake, TX

Please pass this Bill to give options to the Federal reserve note that is losing value daily

Give Texas citizens the option of a stable currency that can stand against any non backed currency.

Thank you.

Cindy Howard Myself Grapevine, TX Rep. Capriglione, I want HB 4903 out of committee. We need this bill to pass. Thank you. Ralph Mertesdorf self Johnson City, TX

Please support HB4903 and move it closer to becoming a law. The free people of Texas have the right to a Texas gold backed digital currency as one of their options for engaging in a financial transaction. This bill protects Texas residents from the increasing unconstitutional controls being imposed from those in D.C. Thank you for your support of freedom.

Karen Tennant Self Colleyville, TX Pass HB4903 out of committee.

Crystal Becker Self Missouri City, TX

Yes to gold backed digital currency for Texas!

Michael Rhone, Mr. Quinlan Quinlan, TX

Please pass this bill. Texas needs this bill. I want my money to be backed by gold.

John Loveless, Mr Self Bynum, TX

The USA Constitution disallows the states from issuing their own currency however it dictates the use of Gold and Silver for legal tender.

Texans have a unique opportunity, due to the establishment of the Texas Bullion Depository (TBD) to utilize gold and silver as legal tender from their personal precious metal account in the TBD. This represents a practical option to Texans to not only store their wealth but to also use it as a solid inflation proof legal tender. As the Federal Reserve contemplates the use of a Centralized Digital Currency, this approach offers depositors in the TBD an alternative to the over reaching an all controlling plot of the Central Banking system while strengthening the Texas economy.

I urge my Representative, Angelia Orr to support this legislation, HB 4903 and urge it to be moved out of committee.

Jeanna Green Self Coppell, TX We need this for the State of Texas. It is vital for our citizens.

Alan Kirkpatrick Self Kingsland, TX

Please pass HB 4903 out of committee and vote for its passage

Brian Delaughter Self Lantana, TX II would like to please ask that Representative Thimesch vote to pass HB 4903, and to please pass HB 4903 out of committee. Thank you, Brian DeLaughter 76226

Margaret Kirkpatrick Self Kingsland, TX

Please pass bill HR4903 out of committee.

Starr Carter Self Fort Worth, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee.

Beverly Armstrong, Mrs Self North Richland Hills, TX Please pass this bill.

Adrian Fardy Self, Oilfield Worker Cypress, TX

I support the bill HB4903 and ask State Rep. Tom Oliverson to pass this bill out of committee.

Donna Menefee Self/Retired Mount Pleasant, TX

Cole Hefner is my house representative. Please pass HB 4903 out of committee. Texans need this.

Paula Edwards Self. Retired New Braunfels, TX

Please pass HB 4903 out of committee.

Mark Elam Self Heath, TX

It's time once again for Texas to lead, to show other states that they can insulate themselves from the incompetence and corruption of Washington, D.C., and secure the futures of their citizens.

This bill is a modernized version of a tested and proven concept - currency backed by a universally accepted commodity - gold.

It's not a time to look to the federal government and hope for the best. I pray my Texas legislators will see the times and this opportunity clearly and act boldly and in unity to secure the well being of the people of Texas.

Joy Edwards SelfHB4903 Benbrook, TX

Please pass HB 4903 out of committee

Scott Hillegass Self Temple, TX

Having a secure currency backed by gold has become essential. With the federal government printing money like never before, foreign governments challenging the dollars reserve currency status and the push towards globalization. We need a currency that we control that is backed by hard assets. Please pass this bill.

Michael Clark self, radio broadcaster Midlothian, TX

I'm in district 10, represented by Brian Harrison. I believe it's a logical time to reestablish a gold-backed currency. I urge you to pass HB4903 out of committee.

Cynthia Wizorek Self/retired Temple, TX

My Texas State Representative is High Shine District 55. Please support HB 4903 for All Texans...pass this bill out of committee!

Liss McCoy Self Grapevine, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee. Thank you.

Jane Zimmer self - self employed Conroe, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee

Gary Taylor Concerned Citizen Liberty Hill, TX

I pray Texas will lead the way to keep the federal government out of our private assets and life savings! Please pass this bill to ensure our economic freedom and security.

Kurtis Wizorek Self/ Maintenance facilities, supervisor Temple, TX

I am asking that HB 4903 be passed out of committee!

Joan West Self Tyler, TX Please keep our country secure.

Anne McKurtis myself as a native Texan and all others who love this state Burkburnett, TX

State Rep Mark Dorazio's HB 4903, the bill to issue a Texas digital warehouse receipt backed by gold in the Texas Bullion Depository is far and wide one of the most important bills that will affect Texans in the most profound ways. We native Texans, and those who chose to relocate here bc our state represents freedom are counting on the Texas Legislature to preserve the reasons why we live here and love our state. It's a brilliant bill that will allow us to continue doing business and paying bills via ACH transfers. But with HB 4903 we'll be paying bills with solid money. It will protect our money from the reckless actions of the FED and enable Texans to remain a free people because with every freedom we give away, to the FED, to the UN, and to the globalists who know NOTHING about the state of Texas will endeavor to take more and more of our freedoms. I FIRMLY SUPPORT THIS BILL.

Tony Breedlove Myself Rancher Knox City, TX

I support pass HB4903 out of committee Please

Jessie Barefield Self Cleveland, TX

Please pass HB 4903 out of committee

John Ambler Self Lindale, TX

My State Representative is Cole Hefner. Please pass HB4903 out of committee.

James White Self, commercial pilot Boerne, TX

Mr. Dorazio, I fully support and desire the use of constitutional, sound (gold & silver) money for the Republic of Texas. Our currency is being inflated away and we are losing purchasing power by the day. Thank you for protecting us, the people, with this return to sound money.

Rene Ruiz Self/retired Canyon Lake, TX

I believe the USD is declining rapidly around the the globe, and that shortly it won't be used as a reserve currency by many countries that now do. That, I believe, will result in a sharp decline in value and create economic hardship for Americans as the USD is not backed by anything other than being the USD. I believe this bill will protect the economic value and buying power of those who use it as opposed to depending on the FIAT dollar.

Tara Miner Self Saginaw, TX Please pass this bill for the citizens of Texas.

Jeffrey Roberson Self Montgomery, TX

I would appreciate it if Texa would pass a gold backed digital currency before it is too late. Will Metcalf is my representative.

Gavin Kelley Self / Airline Pilot Heath, TX

Representative Justin Holland: I request that you pass HB4903 out of committee. Thank you.

Angela Hough Self. Occupation is business owner Colleyville, TX

pass HB4903 out of committee

Diane Wood Self retiree Huntsville, TX

Please pass bill HB 4903 out of committee. Thank you.

Sara Chandler, Ms Self Hutto, TX

Please "pass HB4903" we need this in our state!

Jack Peddy, Lt. Self Fort Worth, TX

I support this House Bill as long as it's an as use fee per transaction by the consumer.

Mark Alred Self Dallas, TX

I believe that a digital currency backed by gold could provide Texas with greater financial security and stability in the digital age. As a state that has long prioritized individual liberties and economic freedom, Texas could lead the way in adopting innovative solutions to traditional currency systems. The use of digital currencies, backed by gold, could help mitigate the risks of inflation and currency fluctuations, ensuring Texans retain greater control over their wealth. It is time for the state of Texas to forge the way for our country on the possibilities of digital currencies backed by gold and explore ways to establish this innovative financial solution.

Karen Kossey Myself Fritch, TX Please support TX to stay away from world currency

Eyoel Shammah Self Dallas, TX

Pass HB4903 out of committee

Karis Wallace Self/stay at home mom Boyd, TX

Please pass this bill out of committee

Roxane Rutherford Self, Retired Decatur, TX

Rep. Lynn Stucky please vote to pass HB 4903 out of committee. I support Texas establishing digital currency backed by gold. Thank you. Roxane Rutherford

Jane Paul self/retired San Antonio, TX

My representative is Diego Bernal. I ask that HB 4903 will move out of committee to be considered. I believe it would be a great thing for Texas. Please let it happen.

CHARISSA Arizpe Self Coldspring, TX This makes complete sense! Please move forward with this.

JR Castle self Keller, TX Pass HB4903 out of committee please!!!

Jack CASTLE Myself FORT WORTH, TX

Please pass this bill out of committee so it can get voted on.

Michael Magee, Dr. Self, physician. Plano, TX

Sound money should not be printed out of thin air, in part because it provides no hedge against inflation. This bill will provide an equal opportunity to ALL Texans, not just the rich, to hedge against inflation. I daresay that this is an urgently needed optional alternative to what we have currently available. This must get passed THIS legislative session. 2025 will be too late. Every clear minded individual that I know sees the ominous course we're on.

Joseph Chambers Self /minister Porter, TX

Please pass out of committee

Donna Melton Self Canton, TX

Please pass HB 4903 out of committee. Thank you

Mary Quinn Self Magnolia, TX

Please pass this out of committee. I support this 100%.

Rhonda Smith Self The Woodlands, TX

I support this because it gives another choice to Texans to opt out of the Great Reset. It appeals to Texas sovereignty, which would be great. Pro-Texit all the way. Please pass this bill through. Fiat sucks.

Yvonne Gerdt, Mrs. Myself Grand Prairie, TX

To Honorable Jake Ellzey US Congressional District 6

I would greatly appreciate you passing HB4903 out of committee. It's a wise financial decision to make to provide the citizens of Texas with a hedge against the inflationary policies of our federal government.

Thank you so much, Yvonne Gerdt

Laura Mcclellan Self Paradise, TX

Please support this bill

david nichols Self. Retired

Desdemona, TX

I support and urge you to vote in favor of this bill.

Elizabeth nichols, Mrs Self. Communication Consultant Desdemona, TX I fully support this bill. I encourage you to vote for it.

Sally Mays Anderson Self San Antonio, TX

Dear Diego Bernal, Vote for this to pass out of the committee.

Don Schwertner self Jarrell, TX

In view of what China, Russia, Saudi Arabia, Brazil are doing with regard to not using the dollar, Biden's inflation, and some banks failing, Texas needs to establish a gold backed system similar to what is already being done in Switzerland. Vote yes on HB 4903. Don Schwertner

Danae Johnson Self Dallas, TX

As a 5th generation Texas citizen, I support this bill.

Carol Sewell Myself Plano, TX

I support this bill and believe it is good for Texas. Please pass this important piece of legislation out of committee. It is good monetary policy to have gold backed currency.

Micah Young Self Keller, TX

Please get this bill out of committee and on the floor for a vote. With the inflating dollar Texans need a gold backed currency that will not loose buying power. Please move this bill forward.

Jennifer Driver Self/office administration Nacogdoches, TX

Pass HB 4903 out if committee!

James Waddell Johnson, Principal Self Dallas, TX

We must take a stand against foreign influences in Texas, against the interests of law bidding Texans

Andrew Triplett Self / Detention Sergeant (Collin County Sheriff) Anna, TX

HB 4903 should be considered and approved, as it will allow Texas to pave the way and serve as an example for how beneficial gold backed currency will be to the benefit of our local economy.

michael casey I am represent myself as a Texas citizen born and raised. Spring, TX

In case you don't realize this the United States is dead broke and nothing can prevent from going belly up. Texas better get hold of some real gold as fast as they can and put it in the official state depository and get ready for the chaos that will result from running the Monopoly Money printing presses 24-7-365 since Nixon took the U.S. off of the gold standard in 1972. At least you have some time to do something about it for Texas and Texans.

Clynt Taylor Self Dallas, TX

Please pass this out of committee

Douglas Nurss, Retired Self Denton, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee for a better Texas.

Sharon Fabianke Self —retired Seguin, TX

Please pass this HB 4903 out of committee. Establishing a digital currency backed by gold and silver is very necessary to keeping our economy safe and on track.

Mark Rutherford Self, Retired Decatur, TX

Rep. Lynn Stucky please pass HB 4903 out of committee. I support Texas establishing gold backed digital currency.

Best regards, Mark Rutherford

Carolyn Driver Self/retired Nacogdoches, TX

Pass HB 4903 out of committee!

Beth Madden Myself Fort Worth, TX Please "pass HB4903 out of committee."

Melinda Moudy, Ms Self Realtor Bay City, TX

Please pass this out of committee. We deserve this and let Texas my home state pass this!

Yvonne Gerdt, Mrs. Myself Grand Prairie, TX

To Honorable Jessica Gonzalez Texas House District 104

I would greatly appreciate you passing HB4903 out of committee. It's a wise financial decision to provide the citizens of Texas with a hedge against the inflationary policies of our federal government.

Thank you so much, Yvonne Gerdt

Yvonne Gerdt, Mrs. Myself Grand Prairie, TX

To Honorable Nathan Johnson Texas Senate District 16

I would greatly appreciate you passing HB4903 out of committee. It's a wise financial decision to provide the citizens of Texas with a hedge against the inflationary policies of our federal government.

Thank you so much, Yvonne Gerdt

Yvonne Gerdt, Mrs. Myself Grand Prairie, TX

To Honorable John Cornyn US Senate

I would greatly appreciate you passing HB4903 out of committee. It's a wise financial decision to provide the citizens of Texas with a hedge against the inflationary policies of our federal government.

Thank you so much, Yvonne Gerdt Yvonne Gerdt, Mrs. Myself Grand Prairie, TX

To Honorable Ted Cruz US Senate

I would greatly appreciate you passing HB4903 out of committee. It's a wise financial decision to provide the citizens of Texas with a hedge against the inflationary policies of our federal government.

Thank you so much, Yvonne Gerdt

Connie Jost, Mrs Self Boerne, TX

Please approve the establishment of a gold back currency. This is wildly popular among all our friends and families. This has come to national attention as a much needed check against hyperinflation and is what any government needs to remain sound fiscally

Diane Fountain Self Groves, TX Please pass this bill ASAP! Thank you Jade Clark Self Midlothian, TX District 10, Brian Harrison is my rep... Please pass HB4903 out of committee! James Fountain Self Groves, TX Please pass this bill!!!

Roger Hauf Self San antonio, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee. this is our opportunity to be one of the first states to get back on a real currency

Jon Bullard, Mr Self Gorman, TX

Not so much in agreement with DIGITAL ANYTHING. But a physical use of a currency backed by Gold and Silver. Or simply the use of the minerals themselves just as it was in biblical times. Everything has its draw backs. But this route not only puts us back on track biblically. But it also keeps the elitists from hourding it all to themselves. May God bless the righteous persons in this committee to vote in this favor. So that the common persons from the lower class to the middle class and on. Can have a way out of the BEAST SYSTEM. And may Texas stand strong. Even if SECESSION is deem necessary for the law abiding and Christian people living in our GREAT STATE.

Semper Fi Jon W. Bullard Texan by the Grace of God

Jayne Carter Self; Registered Nurse Oak Point, TX

PLEASE PASS HB 4903 OUT OF COMMITTEE. Having this constitution based transactional gold is very important! I will use it. Thank you so much!

Matthew Lueck self McKinney, TX

Rep. Jeff Leach, please pass HB4903 out of committee.

Cameron Konuch Self, network engineer, farmer Crawford, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee. This bill enacts an ability not only granted by the constitution, but also helps to establish a backstop for Texans against inflation and global economic uncertainty. Thank you very much.

marilyn jackson Self education entrepreneur Dallas, TX

I request that the committee vote yes to provide an easy way to transact purchases with gold and to provide a hedge against inflation for all citizens who choose to use it.

Donald Hooker "Self" Escalation Specialist for Stealth Monitoring, Inc. Aubrey, TX

My state representative is Richard Hayes. Please pass HB 4903 out of committee. Thank you so much, Donald Ray Hooker.

Cameron Nault, Mr. Myself Wichita falls, TX

Pass HB 4903 out of commission

Cynthia Schultz Self alternative medicine Houst, TX

I would demand a continuation of paper currency in conjunction with digital all backed by gold. USA police state regarding tracking and controlling private citizens usage of their currency is not acceptable. I reject the extreme over site of government in private citizens lives. This is the underpinnings of communism. Texas needs to protect our constitutional republic by example of our policy, laws and free agency of each citizen.

Emma Gonzales Self De Leon, TX

Dear House Representative Mr. David Spiller Please vote yes to pass HB4903. I believe it is imperative for Texas too be the leader of digital currency backed by gold. I trust that The Lord Jesus will guide you with wisdom as you make this historic decision for the great state of Texas.

Jesse Hawthorne, Mr. Self Buna, TX

I fully support the idea of giving Texans the opportunity to have a state back digital currency backed by gold. Please vote this bill out of committee so it can be considered by the entire House.

Sharon Breedlove Self Greenville, TX Stand Up for Texans and say Yes.

Mike Hamm concerned citizen Burnet, TX

• Please "pass HB4903 out of committee

Richard Nelson Self Euless, TX

We need a gold standard. Not necessarily digital. Texas needs a safe secure gold backed currency

Alice Morales-Urteaga Self Crypto Day Trader Odessa, TX

Please pass bill HB 4903! Let's lead by example to other states and establish a digital currency backed by gold. WE CANNOT AFFORD NOT TO HAVE THIS BILL!

Karen Starnes Myself Fort Worth, TX

I strongly support this bill! As an average citizen this would make it possible for me to own gold and use it easily to pay for goods and services. There's such a need for another way to pay right now. This would be a bipartisan win/win for everyone. My rep is Nate Schatzline and I believe he supports this protection against inflation as it is constitutional currency. Thank you for your consideration.

Dave Clugston Self construction Bells, TX Please pass out of committee Dolores Carmical, Mrs Self

Hewitt, TX

Please get this bill out of committee. Doc Anderson please help get HB 4903 passed quickly!!!

Himanshu Patel Self

Coppell, TX

This Bill pertains to establishing gold backed currency

Jonathan Scepanski Self McAllen, TX

Please pass out of committee. My Rep is Terry Canelas

Donald Gene Barlow Myself Paris, TX

I back the approval of this bill and the protection it gives to monitory system! I'm proud we are doing something to protect our state and country in this manner! Our families deserve this type of protection! Thanking you in advance for your consideration!

Garrett Newman

self, contractor Clyde, TX

We need a currency backed by gold to ensure we do not lose the value our our savings based on the whims of government officials and FED bureaucrats.

Runen Amaro Self Mission, TX

No!

Douglas Moore Community Christian Fellowship Hideaway, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee.

Cynthia Montgomery Self New Braunfels, TX

Yes, please support this bill. It will provide what is needed for Texas. This bill is what we need. I believe this will be a proper way to back digital currency by gold.

Amy Lyday Owner Of Grapevine Performing Arts Grapevine, TX

Please pass this bill! We need money that is backed by gold. As a business owner and citizen I care very deeply that our state and its citizens have assets that are protected. This will greatly assure us that the state cares for us as a citizens.

Kirk Mahoney self - Software Engineer Houston, TX

Please pass HB 4903 out of committee. I am strongly in favor of this bill, and I want Representative Shawn Thierry (in my Texas House District 146) and all other Texas House members to be able to vote FOR this bill. Thank you!

Martha Martin Self San Antonio, TX

Imperative to make Texas a "depository" state

Susan Lee Self New Braunfels, TX

First of all I am against the federal digital currency. But I would prefer having my own gold backed currency thru Texas.

Bonnie Walters Self Longview, TX

I ask Representative Dean and who it may concern to please vote yes for the establishment of digital currency backed by gold from our Texas state treasury, Thank you!

Ken Ekstrand self San Antonio, TX

it is very.impotant to pass HB4903 out of committee

Jim Miesner Self Conroe, TX Please pass this bill!

John Buchan self High School Teacher Katy, TX Rep. Schofield, Mike District 132 pass HB4903 out of committee.

Laura Mallory, Mrs. Self - Administrative Assistant Ballinger, TX

I agree with this Bill. Please pass it out of Committee.

Sylvia Diebel Myself, Texas Resident San Antonio, TX

I agree and support this bill, please have the committee pass this bill. This is good for Texas.

Martha Caballero Self San Antonio, TX Please Pass 4903 out of committee.

Jo Stevens Self Amarillo, TX Please pass HB4903 out of committee

My representative is John Smithee

Douglas Caballero Self San Antonio, TX

Please pass HB 4903 out of committee.

Phyllis Isaac Retired. I represent myself. North Zulch, TX

Pass this bill out of committee. Thank you. Blessings, grace, peace and joy to you and your family.

Mike Baker Self El Paso, TX Please pass HB4903 out of committee. Beverly Fritcher Self Lillian, TX

I emplore you to vote yes on this bill. Please protect Texas residents from the socialistic control of a central bank digital currency. Be the first state to step up to this issue. Do the right thing for Texans!

Loretta Neal Self / Retired San Antonio, TX

My representative is Diego Bernal. Please pass HB 4903 out of committee. Our Texas representatives must do everything possible to protect its citizens and others of the U.S. from our reckless Federal government policies.

Jonathan Insall Self, Implementation Engineer Garland, TX

I think it would be a good backstop against fiat currencies, which I've heard can tend to depreciate becuase of lack of confidence in the Federal Reserve. Plus, Texas also has its own Depository. Why not use it?

Michael Scott Self Trophy Club, TX

I fully support the establishment of a digital currency backed by gold in the state of Texas.

Lisa Hebrank, Ms Self Trinidad, TX

Establishing this currency backed by gold is an answer to our current day troubles. I am asking you to please pass this bill that will work for every Texan's and American's life to sustain life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness as guaranteed by our Constitution. Be the spearhead of intelligent legislation that will work for every Texan and American! Thank you for fixing a broken system and protecting Texans and protecting our future!!

Christine Kopasz, Ms. Self, Sr. Staff Land Analyst- occupation Houston, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee.

STELLA GONZALES, Administrator Self Ballinger, TX

Hb 4903 in Jesus name, I pray amen

Ruthie Martinez Self Liberty Hill, TX

This bill is necessary! Please pass.

Jonathan Insall Self, Implementation Engineer Garland, TX Please pass HB4903 out of committee. Thank you!

Juan Rodriguez Self / Hearing Officer Mercedes, TX Pass HB4904 out of committee

Geri Becker Self Bulverde, TX

I encourage the Committee to pass this bill out of Committee. This is an important bill that can help guarantee commerce and more economic stability for Texas in these perilous times.

Sarah B. Thomas Self Spring Branch, TX

Please support HB 4903.Keep digital currency local and out of the hands of legislators.

Linda Hill myself Corpus Christi, TX

I am concerned about the stability of our monetary system. Please "pass HB4903 out of committee." Thank you.

Heidi Krausse, Ms Self Pflugerville, TX

I would like currency options available. Please pass this bill for the people of Texas.

Stephen ZAWKIEWICZ Self - Self employed Morgan's Point Resort, TX

The honorable Hugh D Shine, Please vote to pass HB4903, Texas transactional gold, out of committee. Thank you! Stephen Zawkiewicz, Morgan's Point Resort

Stacey Bailey 75165 Waxahachie, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee.

Eric Weissgarber Self retired financial investments San Antonio, TX

I was the owner of one of the top investment advisory firm to San Antonio for 10 years. I have a masters with honors in international business, and I am an avid reader, including a history of economics and money. Anytime somebody can have a currency that's back by hard assets like gold has been absolutely outstanding through history. Our present fiat money, which is only back by the full faith and credit of an overly spending national government, is only as good as the paper it's printed on. As an example, the Byzantine empire had all their currency back by hard assets like gold, and had no inflation in over 800 years!

I therefore hardly endorse, the passing of Bill, 4903. It will give us faith that there's actually something behind our money. We need to do this before the federal government creates a digital currency with nothing behind it.

Respectfully, Eric Weissgarber, MBA.

NANCY JAECKS SELF RETIRED ROCKDALE, TX

I believe this bill is for Texas, as well as the country (USA), for such a time as this. Please vote for this action as soon as possible.

Elaine Small, Chef Self Richmond, TX

Freedom to choose constitutional - based transactional gold. Another way to pay.

Maria Quinones Self- Consultant San Antonio, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee.

Peggy Denson self, Merchandizer Corpus Christi, TX

The US Dollar is going to crash, soon! We Texans are not wanting a Digital Currency or FedNow control of our money!! Texas must be ready to stand alone and it takes money to do that!

Diane Zornow Self Bulverde, TX I support this bill. Please approve.

Kelli Garrett, RN Self registered nurse director of nursing Clyde, TX

Agree

Jose Quinones Self- Truck Driver San Antonio, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee.

Yvonne Rueter Self Allen, TX

Please "pass HB 4903 out of committee".

Eric Flores Self Mcallen, TX Pass this bill

Jerry Steward Self Tyler, TX

I strongly support this bill and want it to pass by wide margins.

Luis Varela Self - Realtor Humble, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee.

Phyllis Miller REALTOR / Self Kingwood, TX

Our country was established by our founding fathers to bring a fair and just government. Texas is a guiding light to all other states to continue to do this through just such a Bill as this. Bring this to pass so that others may follow today.

Jose D Flores jr, Mr. Self Mcallen, TX

CONGRESSWOMAN Monica De La Cruz please pass HB 4903

Susan Shakespear myself Spring, TX

Please pass out of committee. This is probably the most important legislation of our lifetime. Make history!!

Scott Dragland Self, MWD operator Waco, TX

This bill would give Texans a viable alternative to the failing dollar. It would combine the safety of owning gold and transactional ease of digital currency (like your debit card). Creating an option for people to transact business in sound money.

Texas can set the stage to undermine the Federal Reserve's monopoly on money and create a viable alternative to a central bank currency (CBDC).

This would provide immeasurable opportunities for Texas in terms of economic development, financial autonomy, and preservation of liberty.

We have a right to preserve our hard-earned wealth in the midst of inflation. Please pass this bill out of committee.

Cherith Newman Self, mom Clyde, TX Pass HB 4903 Sue Riddle Self Tyler, TX Please pass this bill to protect Texas citizens

Sharon McKenney self Colleyville, TX

We the people deserve the right to a safe and constitutional form of currency that will protect against seizure.

Erik Johnson Abilene, TX Tuscola, TX

Jodey Arrington - I am for HB 4903 Transactional Gold

Trayce Bradford Self Grapevine, TX

I am commenting today in strong support of HB4903 Texas Transactional Currency. Gold and silver have been a stable source of currency for centuries and they are the fairest form of money. With the current inflation many are struggling and looking for solutions. This is a chance for Texas to lead the nation! This is not crypto currency but simple tool that will work much like a debit card. This is simply another way to pay and is open to all income levels. Please see the opportunities here for Texas and her citizens. Please pass HB4903 out of the State Affairs committee today.

Deborah Farr Self Cleveland, TX Alan Crowther, Dr. Self San Antonio, TX

This bill will help to stabilize our financial system which is out of control. Currently there is no way to gage the value of our money. Gold and silver backed currency is the best way to deal with this situation. Representative Mark Dorazio

David Bayles Self Houston, TX

I wholly support this bill. Please get it through.

Michelle Grandpre, Ms Self Garland, TX

Please pass out of committee, this bill about gold backed digital currency! This Bill needs to become law to protect Texas residence money!! Please listen to Kevin Freeman's testimony carefully and then move this bill. Thank you!!

Christopher Hough Self Colleyville, TX Please pass HB4903 out of the committee

Kimberly Shoemake self

Bulverde, TX

I support this bill.

Steven Barnard Self Flower Mound, TX

No more optics! Get this bill passed. Do something for the residents of the great State of Texas....

Dianna Mcwhorter Self Throckmorton, TX Please pass this bill. Bobby Bothwell Self

Plainview, TX

Please pass HB4903 out of committee......thank you

Christopher Kelly self Decatur, TX My Representative, Lynn Stucky, Please pass HB4903 out of committee.

Lee Oglesby self Gonzales, TX

Please move HB 4903 out of Committee today.

Shirley Schmidt Self / Retired Burkburnett, TX

I agree with HB 4903 and urge our legislators to pass it out of committee today.

Gregory C Porter Texas For Liberty Austin, TX

Texas Liberty Council supports this bill. While I am not speaking as a proponent of digital currency, I believe creating competition to the currently proposed US Central Bank Digital Currencies for Texans and particularly a medium of exchange that is backed by a predictable and time-tested commodity to uphold its value and to prevent a debasement of value from perpetual oversubscription, which is the primary cause of inflation.

We humbly as the committee to support this bill that provides Texans with an alternative to perpetually inflating mediums of exchange.

Barbara Huser Myself Brownwood, TX David Spiller-State Rep. PASS HB4903 Out of Committee

Mitchell Huser Texas Custom Interiors BROWNWOOD, TX

David Spiller Pass HB4903 Out of Committee

JoAnn Mannise Self Bulverde, TX

I support this bill. We need to stop central bank digital currency at all costs!!

Mary-Grace Tennyson self San Antonio, TX Pass this bill Doyle Bothwell Self. Plainview, TX Please pass HB4903 out of committee THANK YOU

John Wilkes Self Lake Jackson, TX

I write in support of HB4903, digital currency backed by gold. Like many Texans, I am deeply concerned about the profligate spending by the federal government and the infinite money creation by the Federal Reserve. A digital currency backed by Texas gold would give Texans (and residents of other states) a way to preserve their wealth. Buying gold today is not simple; one must find a bullion dealer, and one must have a secure place to store gold coins. HB4903 would provide a safe and secure way for Texans to buy and own gold.

HB4903 does not require digital currency to be based on blockchain technology, but it is the obvious choice. Blockchain technology has been proven to be secure and robust, and contrary to popular opinion, it does not provide completely anonymous transactions. All transactions are visible on the blockchain and can be traced.

A Texas digital currency backed by gold would provide a stable store of wealth and a hedge against the decreasing value of the US dollar. Basing Texas digital currency on decentralized technology such as blockchain would be a sharp contrast to proposals for a Central Bank Digital Currency (CBDC). Centralized control of digital currency such as CBDC opens the door for complete control of everyone's spending, and through that, ultimate control of everyone's behavior, leading to a completely totalitarian government. Texas digital currency backed by gold would provide an alternative method of commerce that is free of government control.

I strongly support HB4903 because a digital currency backed by gold creates a safe and secure way for Texans to buy and own gold. It enables Texans to engage in commerce independent of the Federal Reserve. Unlike the US Dollar controlled by the Federal Reserve, gold cannot be created out of thin air. HB4903 requires that every unit of Texas digital currency be 100% backed by gold. A stable means of conducting commerce will be a boon to the Texas economy and send a strong message to the federal government and the Federal Reserve that Texans do not support the ever increasing US debt level which can only be supported by ever increasing money creation by the Federal Reserve.

Karen Fontenot Self Katy, TX

Please pass this legislation. We the People deserve a currency that is backed by real value; not fiat currency that is subject to manipulation. Gold is real wealth. Thank you

Gale Gray Self McKinney, TX

I urge passage of hb4903. This is a common sense thing to do because Washington's inability to curb spending puttin the dollar in peril.

Paul Yamarick Self Moulton, TX

I endorse HB4903 and commend Representative Dorazio for bringing this bill.

sharon smith self/retired Adkins, TX

Yes I totally support this bill. Our money needs to be backed by something and gold is perfect. As a person who has worked our whole lives trying to secure our future, things which are out of our control could wipe out our entire savings creates panic and undue stress. Our money system has been broke for a long time and I will be following this bill. I will will also tell everyone about this bill. Thank you so very much.

Geraldine Bryan Geri's Closet Rowlett, TX

Please pass this bill so Texan will not have to be slaves to the globalists

Marie Medina RSI Houston, TX

Please pass bill HB4903 out of committee

Gwen Wilson Self - property management Conroe, TX

I believe that Texans should have the right to be able to use the resources that are available to them, and one is the bullion depository. I totally support transactional gold. Thanks, Gwen Wilson

Barbara Huston Self Ballinger, TX I agree with this bill.

dina barzilai self/sales Spring, TX

please pass HB4903 out of committee. Thank you, Dina Barzilai Spring TX

Alphonso Medina District 7 Houston, TX

please pass HM4903 out of committee.

Sherry Henderson Self Tomball, TX

Please pass HB 4903

Caren Williams, Dr. Self/Licensed Professional Counselor Weatherford, TX

I back this bill for all Texans and citizens of the United States of America.

Karen Clowe, Mrs. Self Home education support McKinney, TX

Representative Jeff Leach, please pass HB 4903 out of committee.

Peggy Butry, Mrs Self Killeen, TX

This is a no brained, common sense approach to avert the digital catastrophe the Biden administration has put us in. For seniors preparing to retire it's a safety net and crucial in this shaking economy. Families starting out and everyone in between are desperate to find a way to save their money. Please do what will make Texas great and save Texas jobs

Cindy Torio, Mrs Self Boerne, TX

I actually do not want to see digital currency set up. All banking transaction should be private and not monitored by any government agency. Although I would really appreciate Texas putting us on a currency standard that is backed by gold. If you do go forward with a digital currency please make it law that it cannot be used to track or control citizens.

Lauren Morrell Self, Army Gatesville, TX

I am in support of HB4903. I think it is vital to have an alternate solution to the federal push for CBDC. Allowing Texans to have a gold backed currency will protect the civil liberties granted to us by the Constitution of the United States.

GLORIA ALEXANDER self SAN ANTONIO, TX

We support this for out of committee

Gary Alexander self SAN ANTONIO, TX

We support the passing of HB4903 OUT OF COMMITTEE

Joanne Martin Self Bulverde, TX

Please pass this bill and allow it to go to the floor for a vote. I am voting in favor of this bill.

Christopher Brodeur Self - IT bulverde, TX

I support this bill for the independence and prosperity of texas.

S J Sanderson Self Talpa, TX

Please pass this bill.

Angela Ivy Self Conroe, TX

Stop this garbage.

Kevin Formolo self Spring Branch, TX

At face value, it seems the establishment of another form of a centralized federal reserve. Digital currencies should not be confused with crypto currencies. Centralized digital currencies gives the government insight and control over all the financial transactions.

Michael Meinersmann, Mr Self Bryan, TX

Please pass this important legislation! A Texas gold-backed digital currency would combine the safety of owning gold with the transactional ease of digital currency, creating an option for people to transact business in sound money, set the stage to undermine the Federal Reserve's monopoly on money and create a viable alternative to a central bank digital currency (CBDC). This would provide immeasurable opportunities for Texas and its people in terms of economic development, financial autonomy, and the preservation of liberty. The final legislation though should also include provisions for strong security and privacy protections for users and transactions. Thank you for your support!

Dorothy Saka Self, Retired Bryan, TX

I fully support this bill and urge the members of the House to do the same! As a retiree, I am doing everything that I can to preserve my retirement savings. With the US dollar rapidly declining in value and the highest inflation in years, I'm finding this to be a daunting task. A gold backed digital currency would give people like you and me a sound money alternative to a central bank digital currency if one is ever introduced. This would also be the perfect way to allow gold to be used in day to day transactions. Personally, I think this bill is a game changer. As always, I look to Texas to lead the way in preserving our freedoms. Apologies if this comment has been submitted twice but I received an error message on my first attempt and am determined to be heard. Thank you!

Ginger Mikeska self- homeschool parent Navasota, TX

I am a native Texan, any step Texas takes to toward financial autonomy makes plain common sense. My family fully supports this bill. Please get it to the floor for a vote ASAP.

Thank you, Ginger Mikeska Brazos County

Robert Goldmann

Self. Accountant Houston, TX

Time to thwart the digital currency based upon the 1971 vigilante fiat money concept, now barreling towards a programmable theft, prohibition to buy things contingent on political correctness, even expiration of money owned. This turbocharges expropriation. PRIVATE OWNERSHIP OF ANYTHING IS BIBLICALLY ANCHORED AND SO IS THE FREE WILL ECONOMICALLY. see Frederic Bastiat, La Loi, 1850. Letting government own all is actually letting oligarchs own and steal all. HB 4903 is a great start based upon the limits of gold. Please add anonymity to digitization, in terms of allowing people to transact without a nanny watching or even impeding transactions.

The actual central banking which you don't learn in econ classes is fascinating and MUST be studied. Mises.org has quite a few resources. Great start is Henry Clay, Economics - An Introduction For The General Reader, New York 1918..... for the why and why notunderlying principles of economics and perils of the 110 y old failed central banking concept. In whatever form or fashion, get this bill passed and don't fear, read the book of Joshua, don't be discouraged.

Jordan Guggenheim Self Bryan, TX HB4903 - full support

Patricia Moore

"self" Retired Teacher Alief ISD/ currently Alief ISD subtitute teacher Houston, TX

VOTE YES on HB4903 relating to the establishment of a digital currency backed by gold; authorizing a fee. Lawmakers I urge you yo act to protect our prosperty for the sake of our children and future generations.

Russell Lake Self Keller, TX

Thank you for allowing me to express my support for HB 4903.

Article 1 Section 10 of the US Constitution says, "No State shall...make any Thing but gold and silver Coin a Tender in Payment of Debts;" Based on this Texas already has the right to create this form of Tender and should utilize this provision.

Using the existing Texas Bullion Depository, existing law, and HB 4903, Texas can make gold transactional. I am not aware of any way to own transactional gold domestically. Meaning, I must buy gold, store it, and if I want to spend it, sell it and use the proceeds to buy something or pay a bill. There is a service called GlintPay which makes gold transactional, but the gold is stored in Switzerland. I want my gold in Texas so I can come and get it, if I want or need to.

I am not wealthy enough to buy and hold gold to hedge inflation. But if I could exchange my dollars for Texas Transactional Currency, then I would have the same inflation hedge as rich people do and could buy things or pay my bills from my gold account at the Texas Bullion Depository.

As soon as this service is available, I will to be a customer.

James VanBeek self, IT College Station, TX

Please vote Yes to pass HB 4903. This will establish a digital currency backed by gold held in the Texas depository. This should not lose value from printing as happens with our current fiat currency.

Mary Smith, Ms Retired/self Arlington, TX

I am totally in support of this bill. Texas has a position to be able to put in place thus bill yo enable Texans to protect their money and Texas needs to work to pass this bill now,.

Kelley Rumps self/retired The Woodlands, TX

I support this bill.

Anna Bartosh self, retired teacher San Angelo, TX

I am no fan of digital currency, but am in favor of all currency backed by gold!!! Please support.

Robby Hurt Self- Ranching and Oil and Gas Mountain Home, TX

I don't have perfect knowledge and complete understanding of all of the practical applications of this bill. And don't have the skills to craft a perfect bill. I am degreed in the field of Economics and don't support Cryptocurrencies. But something needs to be done.

Texas must make a statement and fill the leadership vacuum For honest money and Against runaway Inflation. In college it was called Economics 101.

Washington has abrogated its responsibilities, is void of conscience, has no spine, and has become a Tin Horn Democracy. Push back against them with this bill.

Respectfully and Thank You.

Kim Roland Self / Retired Lockhart, TX

I SUPPORT HB 4903.

John Benton Self Houston, TX

Currently the US Government pays more in interest on it's 33 Trillion dollar debt than National defense. Washington DC has no interest in slowing down reckless spending and wants to tax Texans even more. The mismanagement of debt by Congress and hiking of interests rates by an unelected Federal Reserve has resulted in punishing inflation for hard working Texans. Our enemies around the world are beginning to separate themselves from the US Dollar as a world currency. Texans can not stand by and watch cracks in the dam worsen. A Texas gold-backed digital currency would combine the safety of owning gold with the transactional ease of digital currency, creating an option for people to transact business in sound money, set the stage to undermine the Federal Reserve's monopoly on money and create a viable alternative to a central bank digital currency (CBDC). This would provide immeasurable opportunities for Texas and its people in terms of economic development, financial autonomy, and the preservation of liberty.

John Bolgiano Self - Retired Llano, TX

SUPPORT

I see this bill as a wonderful opportunity for Texans to be able to invest in and use a stable gold backed digital currency. With the US dollar's value shrinking through inflation and the continued malpractice of running the printing presses at full speed, Texans need a safer alternative with a practical digital currency backed by physical gold.

Merri Michaels Self, Educator Houston, TX

i strongly support HB4903 by Dorazio. A Texas gold-backed digital currency would combine the safety of owning gold with the transactional ease of digital currency, creating an option for people to transact business in sound money, set the stage to create a viable alternative to a central bank digital currency (CBDC). This would provide immeasurable opportunities for Texas and its people in terms of economic development, financial autonomy, and the preservation of liberty. I would like the Texas House to vote and pass this Bill.

Juanita Lux Retired Lindale, TX

I support this bill, we need to have a gold backed money supply ASAP! The way the Federal money supply is being diluted is scary.

Shelley McCarty, Mrs Self Aledo, TX

In full support of the establishment of a digital currency backed by gold!! SUPPORT 4903

Mike Jackson self - retired Lufkin, TX

I support HB 4903. Texas needs to do everything in it's considerable power to #EndTheFed and this bill is a step in the right direction. I urge the committee to vote yes on HB 4903.

Jacqueline Pena Self Shamrock, TX

I'm a yes on this bill.

Sheryl Miller Self - IT Professional College Station, TX

I support HB 4903. Fiat currency throughout history has been subject to inflation and its own demise. Inflation robs the people of spending power and is truly, immoral. Any currency backed by gold is preferrable to the system we currently have in place. Please vote in favor of HB 4903. Thank you.

Janie Brittain Self - Retired Systems Engineer Garland, TX

Please support this bill. We need our currency to be backed by gold.

Kimberly Galland Self /CPA Bryan, TX

I urge you to Pass this bill and Vote YES to allow Texas to establish its own digital currency backed by gold. This is of upmost importance to maintain our sovereignty and ensure our investments are protected!