

**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**  
**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

COMMITTEE: Juvenile Justice & Family Issues  
TIME & DATE: 10:30 AM or upon final adjourn./recess or bill referral if  
permission granted  
Wednesday, April 5, 2023  
PLACE: E2.030  
CHAIR: Rep. Harold V. Dutton, Jr.

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**\*\*\* TESTIMONY WILL BE LIMITED TO THREE (3) MINUTES\*\*\***

*The order of bills heard will be at the discretion of the chair.*

HB 491 Wu | et al.  
Relating to the age of a child at which a juvenile court may exercise  
jurisdiction over the child and to the minimum age of criminal  
responsibility.

HB 506 Wu  
Relating to requirements for a juvenile's appearance in a judicial  
proceeding.

HB 507 Wu  
Relating to the waiver of jurisdiction and the discretionary transfer of a  
child from a juvenile court to a criminal court.

HB 804 Talarico  
Relating to the confidentiality of juvenile justice information.

HB 1059 Thierry  
Relating to a prohibition on prosecuting or referring to juvenile court  
certain persons for certain conduct constituting the offense of  
prostitution, to the provision of services to those persons, and to the  
prosecution of related criminal offenses.

HB 2898 Garcia  
Relating to the definition of preventable death of a child.

HB 4356 Talarico  
Relating to the dissolution of the Texas Juvenile Justice Department and  
the creation of the Office of Youth Safety and Rehabilitation.

HB 4606 Allen  
Relating to the operation of a juvenile justice alternative education program by a county department of education.

HB 5309 Leo-Wilson | et al.  
Relating to the meeting requirements for the Galveston County Juvenile Board.

For those persons who will be testifying, information for in-person witness registration, can be found here:

<https://mytxlegis.capitol.texas.gov/HWRSPublic/About.aspx>

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<https://house.texas.gov/video-audio/>

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<https://comments.house.texas.gov/home?c=c340>

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