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H.B. No. 1522

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to notice of a meeting held under the open meetings law.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. The heading to Section 551.043, Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 551.043. TIME AND ACCESSIBILITY OF NOTICE; POSTING OF BUDGET; GENERAL RULE.

SECTION 2. Section 551.043, Government Code, is amended by amending Subsection (a) and adding Subsection (c) to read as follows:

(a) The notice of a meeting of a governmental body must be posted in a place readily accessible to the general public at all times for at least three business days [~~72 hours~~] before the scheduled date [~~time~~] of the meeting, except as provided by Sections 551.044, 551.045, and 551.046 [~~551.044-551.046~~].

(c) The notice of a meeting required to be posted under Subsection (a) at which a governmental body will discuss or adopt a budget for the governmental body must include a physical copy of the budget.

SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2025.