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Submitted to the Committee on Transportation
For HB 2003

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Hearing Date: April 3, 2025 8:00 AM

Qui Le
self, NOC Technician
Sachse, TX

I oppose this bill!

Christopher Wyatt
Self
Dallas, TX

I am opposed to HB2003. With Texas being one of the fastest growing states in the nation, it time to look at alternate ways to travel besides driving and flying. High speed rail is an important and well proven technology and should be built between our biggest economic engines. This bill just slows the process down. Rail lines can have a much smaller footprint than any rural interstate type highway so rural landowners can continues to work their land with little interruption. Please vote NO on HB2003.

Warren Pena
Self
Plano, TX

I am against this bill. High speed rail is critical to the continued development of the Texas economy. We need to be removing barriers to high speed rail, not imposing them.

Keun Lee
Dallas Area Transit Alliance
Carrollton, TX

I am registering my opposition to this bill. This bill aims to impede operations and efforts by companies looking to high speed rail, and adds more red tape when resources can be spend better elsewhere.

John Radovich
self - automotive repair
Dallas, TX

TxDOT is supposed to be transportation - trying to carve out participation will only shoot drivers/residents in the foot - all parties need to have equal access - not have the door shut them out. We need more transportation options - not roadblocks.

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Michael Belsick
Fredericksburg Tea Party
Fredericksburg, TX

I am cautiously FOR HB 2003. The idea of a High-Speed train is fine. I have ridden one in Europe. However, the California version of one has been nothing more than a "Money Pit" with very little to show for the billions of tax dollars spent on it. Can you promise a different result in Texas?

Caryn Moore
Self
Waxahachie, TX

I am in support of no tax dollars being used for high speed rail!