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George Petrov

SpaceX

Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.??

Jimmy Ramon

Self/Lead Thermal Development Technician

Brownsville, TX

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Jeremy Pedro

Self, Engineer at SpaceX

Brownsville, TX

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Isaac Iversen

Self

Brownsville, TX

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Jospeh Griffin

Self

Brownsville, TX

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Andy Su, Mr.  
SpaceX  
Brownsville, TX

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Ryan Kellogg  
Self  
Brownsville, TX

I am in support of HB 4660. This bill appears to provide due clarification and improvements to public safety, coordination, and progress in Texas.

Nikolas Butler  
Self, Manager  
Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.??

Daniel Gillund  
Self, engineer  
Brownsville, TX

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Reynaldo Mastrapa, Mr.  
Self  
brownsville, TX

I, Rey Mastrapa, support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.??

Terran Hasselbach  
SpaceX  
Laguna vista, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.??

Christopher Egler  
SpaceX  
Brownsville, TX

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Chance House  
Self/ Welder  
Brownsville, TX

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Benjamin Black  
Self, Engineer  
Brownsville, TX

I strongly endorse and support this bill to allow easier coordination of space flight operations out of the Brownsville area. Increasing the efficiency with which launches and testing operations can be safely coordinated should be a top priority for our elected officials as it not only increases the prosperity of their constituency but the nation as a whole. Starship reaching operational status -- which requires efficient, safe, coordination with peer agencies and the public -- will continue to cause an improvement in the median standard of living in South Texas due to its broad reaching impact on the Space flight and communications industries. Furthermore, it will enable our nation to maintain a technical edge in the areas of Space Exploration, Communications, National Defense, and National Scientific development due to the innovation required to complete the stated mission of the Starship program and the specific capabilities that Starship affords the United States. In summary, this bills passage into law is required for the continued prosperity and safety of the state of Texas and the United States of America as a whole.

Nickolas Esquivel  
Self/ Technician  
Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.??

Adam Poirier  
Self, Engineer  
Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures, and shift the state's burden to other parties. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas, and I fully support it.

Lance Besse  
Self, Welding Specialist  
San Benito, TX

By giving local authority to SpaceX or Starbase TX you will vastly improve the efficiency of public closures for testing purposes. It is key to public safety and continual growth of the space industry in Texas

Terrence Seah  
Self  
Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.?

Terrence Seah  
Self  
Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4661. It gives law enforcement the tools they need to enforce FAA safety zones during launches—ensuring public safety and supporting the future of Texas spaceflight.

Alec Yagey

Self

Brownsville, TX

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Troy Kelly

Self

Gilmer, TX

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Alan Didier

SpaceX

Houston, TX

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Adrianna Blackmore

Self

Brownsville, TX

I support this

Austin King

SpaceX

Brownsville, TX

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michael hull

Self, integration technician

harlingen, TX

I support bill 4660 because it ensures that there will be improvement for coordination during space flight activities as well as continuing the growth of space exploration if the great state of texas!

Tyler Bell

self / supply chain rep

Brownsville, TX

This will help access around the beach and will not increase closures. Great bill! We want spaceflight and we want it to be safe.

Israel Garces  
SpaceX  
Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.??

Daniel Ringness  
Self, Engineer  
Brownsville, TX

This is common sense legislation designed to better serve both the public and local industry. It does not mean further beach closures, it only makes important space flight activities more efficient and less burdensome on the local government and the public.

Mark Wedemeyer  
SpaceX  
Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.??

Angela Thornton  
self  
Laguna Vista, TX

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Harrison Bradley  
Self, Engineer  
BROWNSVILLE, TX

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Meaghan E Hurn  
Self  
Harlingen, TX

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Fawzi Shqour  
Self  
Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660 and HB 4661 because they'll help improve how beach closures are handled. Right now, the notices are great, but they aren't loud/clear enough, and as someone who lives just two miles from the beach, that makes it hard to plan around. These bills will make things more organized and predictable without adding more closures. Also, these bills will help bring more people to the area by keeping our beach unique—where else can you watch a launch facility from the sand?

Albert Olivas, Mr  
Self  
Brownsville, TX

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Andruss Black  
self, engineer  
Brownsville, TX

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Juan Eguia  
SpaceX  
Brownsville, TX

Is attractive to see the rocket go up and come down and get cached even when it's go on the golf

Chris Govoni  
Self  
South Padre Island, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas

Sheridan McNeil  
self  
Brownsville, TX

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Robert Guerra  
self  
Harlingen, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures.

Abanoub Said  
self, Electrical Engineer  
Brownsville, TX

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clayton parsons  
Self SpaceX Supervisor  
Brownsville, TX

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Sophia Mirto

self

Austin, TX

I strongly disagree with ceding control of public land to private corporations. Public tax money has gone towards our beautiful beaches for years, and now we are just going to hand operational control over to a private corporation that has been damaging our beautiful coastline? Absolutely not. Please oppose.

Jared Hockema, Mr.

Cameron County Democratic Party

Harlingen, TX

I submit this testimony today in opposition to House Bill 4660, which would allow a municipality to close a public beach on behalf of a private corporation.

This bill is objectionable for several reasons: One, it allows a private corporation to arrogate public power – the power to close a public beach enjoyed by tens of thousands of Texans – to serve a private interest. The Texas Open Beaches Act was passed to ensure that all Texas have access to our shoreline. In the past, the State of Texas has not hesitated to enforce this act against the interests of private citizens when they conflicted with the Act. This has occurred on numerous occasions when the line of vegetation has shifted following a storm. What will we now tell the citizens whose homes were seized by the State of Texas to enforce this act?

Two, this bill is unnecessary because the Texas Open Beaches Act already empowers the appropriate state or local officials to close public beaches for numerous purposes related to public safety, including for spaceflight activities. Cameron County has been instituting such closures for many years now. Why should it change now, and in a way that will reduce public scrutiny and independent review of the need for closures.

This proposed legislation touches on a very important issue in our society, which is the question of to whom does public power and our government belong. Increasingly, wealthy individuals and large corporations are seeking to assume the mantle of public power to advance their private interests. This harms the public and weakens our democracy. It puts small businesses, working people and everyday citizens at a disadvantage. In a democracy, that should not be the case.

In the past, the Texas Legislature has not hesitated to defend the public against similar abuses of public power by private interests. For example, the legislature restricted the ability of municipalities to seize private property by eminent domain for the purposes of economic development.

Will you be equally courageous and vote against this bill? The citizens of Cameron County beg that you do, and the citizens of our state are watching you.

JARED HOCKEMA

County Chair, Cameron County Democratic Party

Danielle Bryant, Dr.

Self

Austin, TX

Texas beaches belong to the people — not billionaires. I oppose HB4660 because it would hand control of a public Texas beach to SpaceX and Elon Musk. This is a slippery slope toward privatizing public land for corporate gain. Beaches are part of our natural heritage, and they should remain accessible to everyone — not fenced off for the benefit of one company. Texans don't want to be locked out of their own coastline. Let's protect our public spaces, not sell them off piece by piece. Please reject HB4660 and stand up for land that belongs to all of us.

Anita Blaylock  
Self-Dental Hygienist  
Austin, TX

Please do not pass this bill...if all members would take a moment to realize the critical importance of every mile of “our precious Laguna Madre barrier island” then you would not pass this bill!! The damage to our fragile ecosystem’s future is irreparable!  
Thank you for your time and service to our state and All its inhabitants. Sincerely, Nita Blaylock

CLAUDIA GHIO  
Self  
West Lake Hills, TX  
I am AGAINST this bill.

Stanislav Dorokhov  
Self  
Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.??

Ana Salas-Porras  
Self  
Austin, TX

I OPPOSE this Bill. Boca Chica Beach already has elected officials to monitor the city. Elon Musk is not to be trusted to oversee city regulations, legislation or to interpret laws. His interests are not in the interest of Boca Chica. VOTE NO.

Renee Gross, Dr  
Self  
Austin, TX  
AGAINST

Julia Kovach  
self/caregiver  
Austin, TX

Dear Esteemed Representatives and Committee members,  
I am a taxpayer and lifelong Texan and am opposed to HB 4660. This bill would grant far too much power to SpaceX and its billionaire owner. If you truly believe that Texas is for Texans than you will oppose HB 4660.

Dana Shahraki  
Self retired  
Missouri City, TX

I strongly disagree with giving SpaceX authority over any beach areas. The Native Americans have been protecting it for centuries and there is no legitimate reason to hand this land over to a corporation to eventually control completely.



Trisha Yardley

self-nurse

Austin, TX

AGAINST! Absolutely not. I do not understand why Texas has allowed this whole situation to occur as it has. The amount of pollution that is being put into our water, land, beach front as is from the spaceX testing..? I understand that this could be a matter of public safety to not have them in these public beaches during test launches...and perhaps people should not be going to these beaches with possible exposure either but to allow Elon Musk to make decisions to close beaches is absolutely absurd!

Cora Allen-Savietta

Self

Austin, TX

I urge my legislators to oppose this bill. This endangers public land and the nearby landowners by allowing a private company to damage it. This is a threat to Texas beaches and tourism.

Robin Sharpton

self

Austin, TX

I am against HB 4660. Did Musk pay y'all off? I have neighbors from the valley, they will give you an earful of the problems that Space X causes those communities and the impossibility of getting SpaceX to address the wrongs they are doing. I mean if I shot a bunch of metal over my neighbors yard and wrecked their driveway, I'd be held accountable... unless I am the richest man on the planet then I would be able to tell my neighbor / mayor of Boca Chica Beach to bite me. Against this bill.

Jesus Rodriguez, Mr.

Self

Brownsville, TX

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Matt Maloney

self / Manufacturing

Brownsville, TX

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Michelle Sloan

Self

Georgetown, TX

I totally oppose this bill. There is already not enough public land in the state of Texas. This is a bad bill. I oppose it.

Marie Day

self

Shiner, TX

Once the city is in place, let THAT city come to the legislature for this change; this should NOT be supported until that city is confirmed.

Nina Brodsky

self

Austin, TX

We have already witnessed the destruction Musk has caused bird and other sensitive habitats with his space program. We have also witnessed the damage he has done to our government, institutions, and our constitution. Please don't give him more power over the Bica Chica Beach.

Nina Brodsky

self

Austin, TX

We have already witnessed the destruction Musk has created to bird and other sensitive habitats with his space programs. We see the destruction he has caused to our government and our institutions and our constitution. We cannot give him more power over Boca Chica beach. Please vote against this bill.

Cindy Geisman

Self

Bastrop, TX

I oppose this bill. This is totally unfair for Texas citizens who pay taxes to keep these beaches open. We shouldn't have to plan our vacations, or have them ruined by when space X may or may not launch a rocket. You are handing our state over to Elon Musk. Pretty soon it won't be Texas anymore it will be called Muskland. Shame on you!

Jonathan Harris, Dr.

Self, engineer

Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas, with the potential to make it the unique leader of space flight on the planet.??

Blanca Campbell

Self

Brownsville, TX

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Paul Reyes, Mr

Self

Brownsville, TX

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AJ Garrett

self

Port Isabel, TX

I highly support this initiative and believe that if we want to help ensure public safety, its important to allow coordination around beach access issues. Please also support this initiative and help the continued growth of the space industry in Texas.

Philip Nobert  
SpaceX  
Laguna Vista, TX

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parakh vyas  
SpaceX  
Brownsville, TX

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Robert Nixon  
Surfrider Foundation Texas Chapters  
Cedar Park, TX

Testimony of Surfrider Foundation, Rob Nixon against HB 4660

Chairman King and Distinguished Members of the Texas State Affairs Committee,

On behalf of the Surfrider Foundation Texas Chapters, located in Galveston, Corpus Christi, and South Texas. Surfrider We stand for the rights of Texans to use and enjoy our Gulf beaches, and submits this written testimony in opposition to HB 4660, which relates to space flight activities at Boca Chica Beach.

This bill proposes to transfer control of weekday closures of Hwy 4 and Boca Chica Beach to the not-yet incorporated city of Starbase; to expand closures for launch activities to include a much broader set of “space flight activities”; and to prevent any political subdivision other than the state or federal government from limiting space flight activities.

Hwy 4 is the only public beach access point to Boca Chica, which is one of the gems of the Cameron County Beach system. The public is guaranteed the free and unrestricted right to access Boca Chica, and any beach along the Texas Gulf shore by the Texas Constitution Art. I, Sec. 33. This constitutional amendment was passed in 2009 by a whopping 75% voting in favor.

HB 4660 proposes to transfer the authority over closure of Highway 4 and Boca Chica Beach during weekdays from Cameron County to the city of Starbase. The area that will become Starbase is populated by roughly 500 people, 370 of whom are SpaceX employees, and nearly all of the land and real estate is owned by SpaceX (source: <https://www.mysanantonio.com/news/south-texas/article/starbase-incorporation-mayor-election-spacex-20256743.php>). By contrast, Cameron County, which currently exercises the authority to issue closures, represents upwards of 430,000 residents for whom Highway 4 and the 7.5 miles of Boca Chica Beach are important public resources.

To give the authority to manage closures of the state highway and 7.5 miles of public beach to this small new community of 500 that is effectively owned by SpaceX is outlandish, and flies in the face of the constitutionally guaranteed right to access Texas beaches.

What’s worse is that this bill would vastly expand the triggering event for closures. It would allow for shutdowns not only during actual launches but also for nearly any “space flight activity,” including research, development, testing, manufacturing, or training—activities that occur daily at the site. This could mean the beach and highway may be closed at virtually any time under the guise of temporary closures.

What kind of recourse would local communities have if and when these closures become excessive? Per the proposed changes in this bill, which provides that only the state and federal government have authority over space flight activities, it would be out of their hands to address locally.

With these issues in mind, the Surfrider Foundation Texas Chapters strongly and respectfully urge this committee to vote against advancing this bill. Thank you for your consideration.

Alfonso Gracia  
Space X  
Brownsville, TX

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matthew tuckness  
Spacex  
Brownsville, TX

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Cole Parrott  
SpaceX  
Brownsville, TX

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Matthew Lumbreras  
Self  
Brownsville, TX

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Tyler Cox  
Self  
Brownsville, TX

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Shaun Mahaffey  
Self - Aerospace  
Harlingen, TX

I want to support HB-4660. As it improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas. Cmon!??

Brandon Quintanilla  
Self  
Harlingen, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.??

Josue Moreno  
self  
Weslaco, TX

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Edwardo Ramirez

SpaceX

Brownsville, TX

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Jorge Serna

Spacex

Brownsville, TX

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Nam-Anh Vo

SpaceX

Brownsville, TX

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Jesus Rivera, Welder

Space Exploration

Harlingen, TX

I highly encourage this outstanding bill in order to keep the local community aligned accordingly while driving towards the beach and or around it this will give proper timing and planning for the local authorities to accordingly schedule the routes also having solid communication amongst one another in order for space X to perform there proper operations and static fires

Maxwell Kline

self

Laguna Vista, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.??

John Sandoval, Mr

City of Port Isabel

Port Isabel, TX

The City of Port Isabel opposes this proposed legislation. On March 25, 2025, the City Commission passed a resolution opposing this legislation.

The City opposes this legislation because it unnecessary as the Texas Open Beaches Act already provides procedures for the closure of public beaches for public safety or spaceflight activities. The decision as to whether to close a public beach should remain with the authorities already empowered by the Texas Open Beaches Act.

The City supports public access to the public beaches and opposes any legislation that would further restrict the public's access.

John Sandoval

Assistant to the City Manager

Bianca Arvin  
Self  
Lago Vista, TX

OPPOSE 4660. Space flight activities need oversight, pure and simple. Furthermore, I don't want to hand our Texas beach to SpaceX and Elon Musk. OPPOSE

Sarah Evascu  
Self, homeschool mom  
Austin, TX

Please vote against HB 4660, which is a degradation of the Texas Open Beaches Act. Please do not let SpaceX and municipal allies control road closures and beach closures. Please protect beach access and associated road access as much as possible for the public. SpaceX has already abused its initial promises around limited closures (3-4 times a year) and has engaged in "unofficial" road and beach closures. SpaceX is already damaging the ecosystem and area wildlife; the State is not tracking this damage. Please do not convert Texas's few truly public spaces into effectively privately controlled spaces, ruled by an environmentally abusive corporation that already benefits from extensive taxpayer funded federal contracts.

Marisela Cortez  
Self  
Brownsville, TX

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David Lindbergh, Mr.  
self, semi-retired manager  
Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660 and HB 4661. I live 8 miles from the beach and value access to it as much as anyone, but SpaceX's flight operations are also critically important to the US and to the world, as well of course to the local economy - we have to make reasonable compromises. As long as beach closures are temporary and no longer or more frequent than strictly necessary for safety, I support them. These bills are necessary to enable efficient flight operations out of Starbase and for law enforcement to be able to enforce safety zones. I am not an employee or contractor for SpaceX - I'm just a local resident who wants to see space exploration, commercial activity in space, and our local economy to thrive. I also want access to the beach, but recognize the need to limit it for safety reasons, temporarily and only when and to the extent necessary.

Kyle Baker  
self  
Harlingen, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities, but will not increase closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas, which we can all see has been a positive impact for our communities.

Daniel Lambeth  
Self / Certified Welding Inspector  
Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.??

Anthonette Nall  
Self Small Business Owner  
BROWNSVILLE, TX

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Ron Nall  
Self - Automation Manager  
Brownsville, TX

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Laura Gallier  
Self-retired CPA  
Houston, TX

I'm writing to ask you to OPPOSE HB 4660. It seems like a simple bill on the surface: it would amend current law to extend the authority to temporarily close a beach or beach access point for spaceflight activities to cities containing a spaceport located within certain counties. Current law allows the county commissioners court to temporarily close a beach or beach access point for spaceflight activities. This legislation would allow certain cities to restrict beach access on weekdays (other than Friday afternoons), while the county would retain sole authority to restrict access on Friday afternoon and weekends. But it's not so simple: the legislation would change the law so that one company - Space X - can be regulated by the local city for closing Texan's constitutional rights to access beaches - which by definition are public in Texas - can be "regulated" during the week by the city and not the county. The problem is that SpaceX's Starbase facility, where its Starship development and production take place, is located OUTSIDE the city limits of Brownsville, Texas, in Cameron County, approximately 25 miles east of the city. SpaceX's launch site, also known as Starbase, is situated near Boca Chica Beach, which is also OUTSIDE Brownsville. So the city has no authority in this matter. What city would have the authority?

SpaceX has plans to turn Starbase into a city, and a local vote to decide whether Starbase gets municipal status is set for May 3. If successful, SpaceX would literally be "regulated" by Starbase, which would be composed of workers from SpaceX and their families. In other words, this new "company" town would determine a fundamental right of Texans - access to the beach if HB4660 is approved.

Boca Chica was and is a popular destination for thousands of local families in the Brownsville area for surfing, swimming, fishing, wildlife viewing and is also state-owned lands managed by Texas Parks and Wildlife Department. Sometimes referred to as the "poor people's beach," in contrast to South Padre Island, Boca Chica is also an ecologically diverse area home to important birds, seagrasses, aquatic life and unique sea turtles.

SpaceX has continually operated in a manner of making promises and commitments and then changing their mind. While they initially agreed to limit space launches and flights to certain times of the year to avoid impacting important wildlife - such as turtle nesting - they now want to expand their ability to close beaches and launch tests. They are literally trying to limit Texans' access to state-owned land and beaches, further endangering important habitats and publicly-accessible lands.

In addition to giving the new City of Starbase city oversight over beach access, the bill also makes clear that that city (Starbase City) will have chief ordinance making authority that will supersede any county ordinance, and perhaps more importantly, makes it clear that cities and counties have very limited authority ov

Robert Brenneman  
self, engineering  
Brownsville, TX

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self, engineering  
Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4661. It gives law enforcement the tools they need to enforce FAA safety zones during launches—ensuring public safety and supporting the future of Texas spaceflight.

Charles Velis  
self  
Brownsville, TX

This bill will help promote public safety during space flight activities! I support it.

Charles Rogers  
Self - Engineer  
Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660 because it will improve coordination of beach access around launches and enable growth of space industry in Texas

Ryan Riedel  
self  
Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.??

v/R

Ryan R

Mark McDermott  
Self - Engineer  
Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660 to bring additional revenue from business and tourist interest to the area. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.



Julian Villarreal, Dr.

self

San Antonio, TX

I strongly oppose HB 4660 on the grounds that it would violate our constitutional right to public access of Gulf Coast beaches guaranteed by Article 1, section 33 of the Texas Constitution. Furthermore, the definition of "space flight activities" is so broad, that this bill would permit closing of a beach not just during a launch but also during "the research, development, testing, or manufacture of a launch vehicle, reentry vehicle, or spacecraft" and during "the preparation of a launch vehicle, reentry vehicle, payload, spacecraft, crew, or space flight participant for launch, space flight, and reentry" per Civ. Practice & Remedies Code Section 100A.001. I strongly urge the committee to reject this bill as it would undermine the right of the people to access public beaches.

Sydney Potter

self

Brownsville, TX

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Elizabeth Miller

Self

Brownsville, TX

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Raul Chapa

SpaceX

Brownsville, TX

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Karen Santhanam

self

Cedar Park, TX

I am opposed to this bill. The beaches should be for everyone in the state and not taken over for space flight activities.

Andrew Montero  
Self, Engineer  
Brownsville, TX

I am writing to express my opposition to the provisions in HB 4660 that would grant local counties and municipalities the authority to close public beaches for space flight activities. While public safety is paramount, this localized control presents significant drawbacks.

Inconsistent and uncoordinated beach closures are a major concern, potentially confusing the public and harming the tourism economy. Local entities may also lack the specialized expertise for making informed safety decisions related to space launches. Decentralization could lead to increased bureaucracy and the potential for local political influence on closure decisions. Coastal communities, heavily reliant on beach access, could be disproportionately impacted.

Instead of this localized approach, I urge the legislature to maintain or centralize beach closure authority at the state level, ensuring consistent application of safety protocols, minimizing economic disruption, and providing clear public information. While local input is valuable, the final decision should reside with a state body possessing the necessary expertise and a statewide perspective.

Marisa Dimperio  
self engineer  
Brownsville, TX

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Matthew Vinci  
Self, Engineer  
Brownsville, TX

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Guillaume Hoffmann  
Self, Engineer  
Brownsville, TX

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Alexander Sharpe  
Self  
Laguna Vista, TX

This would be great, I want to see less red tape inhibiting spaceship launches

Carson Rapisura  
self, engineer  
Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas

Amanda Gossai  
Self / lawyer  
Brownsville, TX

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Self, engineer

Brownsville, TX

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Hayley Haythorne

Spacex

Brownsville, TX

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Saavan Rijsinghani

self

Brownsville, TX

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Javier Tovar

Self

Weslaco, TX

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Daniel Sherlock

Self, Engineer

Brownsville, TX

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Hollie Takacs

self, Real Estate Analyst

Brownsville, TX

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Nick Caccavale

Self

Brownsville, TX

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Peyton Stanczyk

self

Brownsvilee, TX

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Kevin Van Gaever

SpaceX

Brownsville, TX

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Doug Yancy

Space Exploration Technologies Corp.

Brownsville, TX

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Andres Alvarez

self welder

Alamo, TX

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Rick Meade

SpaceX

Brownsville, TX

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Oscar Quezada

self/Production

Brownsville, TX

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Harrison Paige

SpaceX

Brownsville, TX

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Jenna Lowe

Spacex

Brownsville, TX

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Kyle A'Hearn

Self, Engineer

Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas, and critical for a bright, prosperous, and exciting future!

Matthew Edel  
self, engineer  
South Padre Island, TX

I support HB 4660. It helps keep the beach open, while still allowing space launches, which help the USA maintain dominance in space over foreign bad actors, while improving quality of life for beachgoers.

Bobbie Cisneros  
Self Welder  
Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.??

Sotirios Kycyku  
Space X  
Brownsville, TX

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Ryan Clark  
SpaceX  
Prosper, TX

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Gina Parra  
SpaceX  
Brownsville, TX

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Jorge Cruz  
Self  
Brownsville, TX

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Noah Hein  
SpaceX  
Brownsville, TX

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armando dorado  
spacex  
brownsville, TX

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Amy Traylor  
Self  
Brownsville, TX

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Jessica Biggs  
SpaceX  
Brownsville, TX

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David Cano Jr  
Electrician  
San Benito, TX

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Casey Hayasaki  
Self  
Brownsville, TX

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Leeroy Rosas  
Space x  
Brownsville, TX

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Mai Vo  
Self, Engineer  
Brownsville, TX

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Alessandro Covelli  
Self / Technician  
BROWNSVILLE, TX

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Christopher Shaw  
Self-Human Resources  
Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.??

Kara Fambrough

self

Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.??

Cameron Williams

self, engineer

Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas. Keep Texas #1 in spaceflight!

Erik Garcia

Spacex / self

Brownsville, TX

I support what space is doing.

Glenn Petersen

Self

Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.??

Dustin Pinson

self

Brownsville, TX

I am a supporter of HB 4660. I think it improves coordination around beach closures and makes it a more seamless process without increasing closures. This sounds like a great idea for the public!

Juan Leija

Self EHS Specialist

Brownsville, TX

Supporting HB 4660 to better coordinate beach access and minimize beach closures .

Elizabeth Slifkin

Self - Engineer

Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660 to improve coordination for beach access without increasing beach closures. Streamlining the process is key to space industry growth in Texas.

Emmanuel Parra

Spacex ST00 DC

Brownsville, TX

support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.??

Damien O'Brien

Self

Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660. I believe this will help strike a balance with spaceflight activities and beach closures through improved coordination. Super important for the space industry in Texas!

Chris Brown

Self

Laguna Vista, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.??

Rod Sayegh

SpaceX

Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.??

brett campbell

self

Brownsville, TX, TX

The growth and continuance of Spaceflight activities is crucial to the development of the economy in Brownsville and surrounding areas. It is also bringing in businesses that are contributing to the community to help bolster conservation and protection of the wildlife in the area. It is also helping to improve facilities and services for the residents here making Brownsville a more appealing and safer place to live.

Pranav Garg

SpaceX

Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.??

Carlos Ortiz

Self - SpaceX Engineer

Brownsville, TX

I am in support of HB 4660. This movement serves to improve coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas which positively impacts the surrounding area. We are cognizant of the impact this has otherwise and are looking to minimize the time spent with beaches closed.

Javier Tovar

Self

Weslaco, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.??



Meghan Torres, Ms.

Self

Brownsville, TX

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Nate McNichols

SpaceX

South Padre Island, TX

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David Buss

SpaceX

Brownsville, TX

This is necessary for efficient operations at Starbase.

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Hearing Date: April 14, 2025 8:00 AM

Jared Trahan  
self  
Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.

Aitor Rodriguez  
SpaceX  
BROWNSVILLE, TX

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Christopher McConnell  
self  
Brownsville, TX

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Terry Clancy  
self  
Laguna Vista, TX

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Daniel Frohlich  
Self  
Brownsville, TX

I support HB4660. Improving the coordination efforts regarding access to the beach is super important.

Dmitriy Potemkin, Mr.  
Self, Engineer  
Brownsville, TX

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Ryker Travis  
SpaceX  
Brownsville, TX

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Jake Berkowitz  
self - engineer  
Brownsville, TX

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Bryce Cavey, Mr  
Self, Engineer  
Brownsville, TX

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Haakon Ostenson  
Space Exploration technologies  
Brownsville, TX

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Jason Boucher  
Self  
South Padre Island, TX

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Matt Lopez  
self  
Brownsville, TX

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thomas bustamante  
self  
Harlingen, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.??956 to the moon

Kaimana Davis  
Space Exploration Technologies Corp.  
Brownsville, TX

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Brody Coombes  
SpaceX / Self (Supply Chain)  
Brownsville, TX

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Brandon Bachor  
SpaceX  
Brownsville, TX

In support of this! SpaceX is not intending on increasing closures and this will help with coordinating beach access and public safety!

Bogdan Visan, Mr.  
Self / Engineer  
Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4661. It gives law enforcement the tools they need to enforce FAA safety zones during launches—ensuring public safety and supporting the future of Texas spaceflight.

Bogdan Visan, Mr.  
Self / Engineer  
Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.?

Mark Foster Jr  
Self - Hospitality Management  
Brownsville, TX

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Joe Garcia, Welder Fabricator  
Self  
Harlingen, TX

Limiting or eliminating space flight in the RGV would be crippling to the now growing economy. The business and work that space exploration technologies brings to the RGV is a source of income to thousands of residents and taking it away should be a crime to the American people of south Texas.

David Landrecht  
SpaceX  
Brownsville, TX

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Lindsay Devera  
SpaceX  
Harlingen, TX

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Joseph Taraszka  
Self  
Brownsville, TX

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Phillip Catanach  
self, utilities operator  
Rancho Viejo, TX

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Gregorio Acuna  
Self / SpaceX  
Brownsville, TX

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Bobby Peden  
self, engineer  
Brownsville, TX

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dustin gagnon  
spacex  
brownsville, TX

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Daniel Hrcir  
Self, Engineer  
San Antonio, TX

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Edward Jacobs  
SpaceX  
Brownsville, TX

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Dustin Silvis  
Self  
Brownsville, TX

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Alejandro Vera, Mr.

self

Harlingen, TX

Increasing flight activities is crucial to the development of not only South Texas and the nation but is seen as an inspiration to many around the world. The activities related to space flight also give exposure to our local population and youth to space exploration increasing awareness and potentially inspiring many for higher education. As a local and a product of South Texas education system and having pursued a career in STEM, I find SpaceX presence in south texas to be a great contributor to returning enthusiasm in students to pursue higher education.

Haley Rice

SpaceX

Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.??

Anthony Michael Ciccarelli

SpaceX

Port Isabel, TX

I am in support HB 4660. The Rio Grande economy benefits from the job growth and tax revenue from spaceflight operations and associated tourist industries. The allowances from this bill allow the industry to continue to grown and benefit the general community economy.

Samantha McConnell

Self

Brownsville, TX

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Elizabeth Gonnerman

self

Brownsville, TX

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Milan Vidovic

Self

Brownsville, TX

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Daniel Walton

self

brownsville, TX

Strongly support this bill

Ricardo Compian  
Self/blue collar worker  
weslaco, TX

I proudly support this to support the continued growth of aerospace companies in the RGV.

Nicholas Wong  
Self  
Laguna Vista, TX

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Michael Boles  
Self  
Brownsville, TX

We need the ability to further our flight regime to get to mars.

Paul Garcia  
SpaceX  
Brownsville, TX

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Jenna Petrzeka  
Self  
Brownsville, TX

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Robert Cavazos  
Space Exploration Technologies  
Brownsville, TX

When it comes to space flight, I am personally living the "childhood" dream of working for a Space Exploration company. The benefit to mankind outweighs any type of current issues that can be brought up. The steps taken from this company to ensure the least amount of area disruption is phenomenal. Every flight brings us closer to being a multi-planetary species. Space flight activities are coordinated with the utmost perfection in planning and take every consideration of surrounding areas. Please keep SpaceX, its entities and surrounding families on a continuous forward path in these operations. Thank you for taking the time and understanding of our view for Space Exploration.

Brad Feddersen  
self  
Brownsville, TX

The road to the final frontier is paved through the great state of Texas!

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas

Conrado Hinojosa

SpaceX

Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.??

Justin West

self

Brownsville, TX

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Carl Davis

Self, Engineer

Brownsville, TX

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joseph provenza

SpaceX

Brownsville, TX

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Craig Mews

Self

Brownsville, TX

As a proud Texan and supporter of innovation, I fully back HB 4660. This bill helps solidify Texas as a leader in the space industry by keeping regulations clear and consistent at the state level. Local red tape could slow down growth, but this legislation ensures we stay competitive and attractive to companies like SpaceX and Blue Origin. It's about jobs, progress, and making sure Texas stays at the forefront of space exploration. We've got the talent and the tenacity. Now, thanks to HB 4660, we will also have the right framework to keep reaching for the stars.

angelica villarreal

self

brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.??

Jim Alcozer, Mr.

Self

Harlingen, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.



Kodi Parrott  
Self, interior designer  
Brownsville, TX

I'm for HB 4660—it helps manage beach access better during launches without adding more closures. It's a win for safety and spaceflight in Texas.

Jordan Borino  
Self  
Laguna Vista, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.??

Albert Borino  
Self  
Laguna Vista, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.??

Melissa Borino  
Self  
Laguna Vista, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.??

Louise Frohlich  
Resident of Brownsville  
Brownsville, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.??

Alexander Turpin  
Self / Aerospace  
Laguna Vista, TX

As a Texas resident working in aerospace, I strongly support HB 4660. Promoting space flight activities benefits our economy, creates high-skilled jobs, and strengthens Texas leadership in space innovation.

Carrie Ives  
self  
Richardson, TX

This bill takes public beaches away from the citizens of Texas and gives too much power to companies trying to profit from space flight. Until the company that is trying to profit from space flight has proved that they are willing to abide by the rules of Texas concerning safety and environmental regulations, they do not need to be given any additional concessions. They definitely do not need to be taking beach access away from Texans.

Jason Soto  
SpaceX  
Harlingen, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas.??

Steven Shipley  
SpaceX  
Brownsville, TX

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Jose B Garia  
self  
Brownsville, TX

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Peter Bergersen  
Self, Engineer  
Brownsville, TX

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Daniel de la Cruz  
SpaceX  
Brownsville, TX

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Chiara Bernardini  
Self  
Rancho Viejo, TX

I support HB 4660. It improves coordination around beach access during spaceflight activities without increasing closures. This is key to public safety and continued growth of the space industry in Texas

Luis Serrano  
Self  
Brownsville, TX

I endorse HB 4660, which enhances coordination for beach access during spaceflight operations while avoiding additional closures. This is vital for ensuring public safety and fostering the ongoing development of Texas's space sector.

Joshua Jones  
SpaceX  
Brownsville, TX

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HB 4660 is a visionary triumph for Texas! This isn't just legislation—it's a bold declaration that our state can soar to the stars while keeping our cherished beaches open to all. By masterfully coordinating beach access during spaceflight activities, HB 4660 ensures that the thunder of rockets doesn't silence the waves, minimizing closures and maximizing safety. It's a powerful shield for our citizens and a rocket boost for the unstoppable growth of Texas's space industry. Supporting this bill means securing a future where innovation and community don't just coexist—they thrive together. Let's launch HB 4660 into action and show the world that Texas leads with courage, ingenuity, and an unshakable commitment to both progress and its people!

Gerson Rodas

self

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this is vital and important not only for Texas but for the future of humanity and travel

Kristi Walton  
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Supportive to enable higher safety standards for these public rocket launches!

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Adan Garza, Welder

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John George

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I support this bill as it is key to beach access safety.

Xavier Brezniak

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