

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

COMMITTEE: Culture, Recreation & Tourism

TIME & DATE: 10:30 AM or upon final adjourn./recess or bill referral if
permission granted
Wednesday, August 6, 2025

PLACE: E2.028

CHAIR: Rep. Will Metcalf

The Committee will meet to hear invited testimony only from state agencies
and organizations regarding:

Texas Parks and Wildlife Department

- Emergency preparedness and response to floods and other natural disasters.
- Impact of habitat preservation and conservation on mitigating flood damage.
- Effects of the Hill Country floods on wildlife and fish populations.

Texas Historical Commission

- Vulnerability of Texas monuments and historic sites to natural disasters.
- Recommendations to improve resilience.

Texas Youth Camps

- Emergency preparedness and response to floods and other natural disasters.

Texas Hotels, Campgrounds, and Lodging Industry

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Electronic public comments may be submitted for:

Texas Parks and Wildlife Department

Texas Historical Commission

Texas Youth Camps

Texas Hotels, Campgrounds, and Lodging Industry

Texas residents who wish to electronically submit comments related to
agenda items on this notice without testifying in person can do so until

the hearing is adjourned by visiting:

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