

SENATE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

COMMITTEE: Water, Agriculture and Rural Affairs
TIME & DATE: 9:00 AM, Tuesday, September 1, 2026
PLACE: E1.012 (Hearing Room)
CHAIR: Senator Charles Perry

The Senate Committee on Water, Agriculture, and Rural Affairs will meet Tuesday, September 1, 2026 at 9:00 am to hear invited and public testimony on the following interim charges:

Assessing the Water Demands of Energy-Intensive Technologies: Examine the current water consumption rates for high-consumption cooling technologies, including data centers. Make recommendations to improve transparency for local water providers and ensure industrial growth does not compromise the affordability of water for Texas residents and agricultural producers.

Public testimony is limited to 2 minutes. If submitting written testimony, please provide 15 copies to the committee clerk with your name and/or the name of your organization on each copy, and email a digital copy to the clerk of the committee at Jayna.Grove_sc@senate.texas.gov.

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