

** REVISION **

**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
Tuesday, April 8, 2025
PLACE: E1.026
CHAIR: Rep. Will Metcalf

The chair may limit testimony to two (2) minutes per witness.

HB 1397 Harris
Relating to the transfer and the care and custody of the letter known as
the victory or death letter.

HB 1886 Louderback
Relating to the exemption of certain municipalities and counties from
requirements regarding the use of lifeguards on public beaches.

HB 3088 Orr
Relating to standards and procedures for purchasing goods for resale by
the Parks and Wildlife Department.

HB 4187 Metcalf
Relating to the authority and responsibilities of the Texas Historical
Commission; authorizing fees.

HB 4229 Metcalf
Relating to the use of proceeds from the sale of saltwater fishing stamps
issued by the Parks and Wildlife Department.

HB 4230 Metcalf | et al.
Relating to the establishment of a hike and bike trail to be known as the
Bicentennial Trail.

HB 5032 Metcalf
Relating to the display of certain historical documents in the Capitol
Complex.

HCR 6 Leo Wilson
Designating Galveston as the official Juneteenth Capital of Texas for a
10-year period ending in 2035.

HCR 34 Cole
Designating Pflugerville as the official Trail Capital of Texas for a 10-year period ending in 2035.

HCR 50 Leo Wilson
Designating Galveston as the official Mardi Gras Capital of Texas for a 10-year period ending in 2035.

HCR 55 McLaughlin
Redesignating Poteet as the official Strawberry Capital of Texas for a 10-year period ending in 2035.

HCR 58 Isaac
Redesignating Dripping Springs as the official Wedding Capital of Texas for a 10-year period ending in 2035.

HCR 70 Guillen
Redesignating Jim Hogg County as the official Vaquero Capital of Texas for a 10-year period ending in 2035.

HCR 71 Guillen
Designating La Salle County as the official Wild Hog Capital of Texas for a 10-year period ending in 2035.

HCR 72 Shofner
Designating Newton County as the official Forest Capital of Texas for a 10-year period ending in 2035.

HCR 74 Shofner
Designating Carthage as the official Country Music Capital of Texas for a 10-year period ending in 2035.

HCR 75 Shofner
Designating Hemphill as the official Bass Fishing Capital of Texas for a 10-year period ending in 2035.

HCR 80 Wharton
Designating Brenham as the official Ice Cream Capital of Texas for a 10-year period ending in 2035.

HCR 86 Hayes
Designating Denton as the official Halloween Capital of Texas for a 10-year period ending in 2035.

HCR 93 Shofner
Designating Nacogdoches as the official Garden Capital of Texas for a 10-year period ending in 2035.

HCR 100 Flores
Authorizing the burial of Guy Herman in the State Cemetery.

HCR 107 Metcalf
Designating the Texas Almanac as the official State Book of Texas.

HCR 116 Gámez
Redesignating Brownsville as the official Bicycling Capital of the Rio Grande Valley for a 10-year period ending in 2035.

HCR 117 Hunter
Designating Port Aransas as the official Fishing Capital of Texas for a 10-year period ending in 2035.

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Bills added after last posting:

HB 1397

HB 5032

** See Committee Coordinator for previous versions of this notice. **

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