

WITNESS LIST

Public Education Committee
March 15, 2011 - 2:00 PM or upon final adjourn./recess

HB 359

For:

Coley, Lindsay (National Youth Rights Association Member)
Phoenix, Usiel (National Youth Rights Association)
Shields, Julie (Texas Association of School Boards Texas Assoc. of School Administrators)

Against:

Gerstenschlager, MerryLynn (Self; Texas Eagle Forum)

On:

Anderson, David (Texas Education Agency)
Exter, Monty (Association of Texas Professional Educators)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Banks, Yannis (Texas NAACP)
Dimitry, Lauren (Texans Care for Children)
Freeman, Kathryn (TX Appleseed)
Knaack, Frank (American Civil Liberties Union of Texas)
Kroll, Carrie (Texas Pediatric Society)
Martinez, Diana (TexProtects, The Texas Asso. for the Protection of Children)
Miller, Jeff (Disability Rights Texas)
Moussa, Nagla (The Arc of Texas)
Statman, Rona (The Arc of Texas)

HB 400

For:

Chambers, HD (Self)
Chavez, Jesus (TX School Alliance)
Graham, Lloyd (La Porte ISD)
Hammond, Bill (TX Association of Business)
Hinojosa, Michael (Self; TX School Alliance)
Middleton, Richard (North East ISD TX. School Alliance TASA - TX Association of School Administrators)
Scheberle, Drew (Greater Austin Chamber of Commerce)
Stafford, Charles (Denton ISD, TASB, Communities in Schools of North Texas)
Thompson, David (Texas Association of School Administrators TASB Council of School Attorneys)
Windham, James (Texas Institute for Education Reform)
Wright, Howell (Rockdale ISD, Texas Association of Mid Size Schools, Texas Association of Community Schools, Texas Rural Ed. Assoc.)

Against:

Bosse, Portia (Texas State Teachers Assn)

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Against:

Dimitry, Lauren (Texans Care for Children)
Dunlap, Traci (Self; Education Austin, TX AFT)
Elkins, Keith (Freedom of Information Foundation of Texas)
Exter, Monty (Association of Texas Professional Educators)
Hollingsworth, Lonnie (Texas Classroom Teachers Association)
Hutchinson, Judith (Self; Education Austin & Texas AFT)
Melina Raab, Ted (Texas American Federation of Teachers)
Owen, Martha (Texas AFT)
Whalen, Ken (TX Daily Newspaper Association TX Press Association)

On:

Ward, Kyle (Texas PTA)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Brownson, Amanda (Ft. Bend ISD)
Clapp, Patti (Dallas Regional Chamber)
Dunn, David (Texas Charter Schools Association)
Erben, Andrew (Texas Institute for Education Reform)
Grusendorf, Bill (Texas Assoc. of Rural Schools)
Moya, Lori (Austin ISD)
Pace, Sheryl (Texas Taxpayers and Research Association (TTARA))
Rogers, Don (Texas Rural Education Assn.)
Seeger, Debbie (Self; Corpus Christi ISD)
Yancy, Justin (Governor's Business Council)

Against:

Eckhart, Harley (Texas Elementary Principals & Supervisors Association)
Kroll, Carrie (Texas Pediatric Society, Texas Medical Association, Texas Academy of Family Physicians & Texas Public Health Coalition)
Pena, Martin (South TX Assoc. of Schools)
Romo, Joel (American Heart Association)
Schneider, Michael (TX. Assoc. of Broadcasters)
Smith, Michelle (Partnership for a Healthy Texas)

HB 500

For:

Bosse, Portia (Texas State Teachers Assoc.)
Chavez, Jesus (Texas School Alliance)
Thomas, Alicia (North East ISD Texas School Alliance TX Association of School Adm. (TASA) TX Assoc of School Boards (TASB))

Against:

Erben, Andrew (TX. Institute for Education Reform)
Golsun, Richard (Texas Public Policy Foundation Texas Coalition for a Competitive Workforce)
Hammond, Bill (TX Association of Business)

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Against:

Kress, Sandy (Texas Coalition for a Competitive Workforce/GBC)
Scheberle, Drew (Greater Austin Chamber of Commerce)
Windham, James (Texas Institute for Education Reform)

On:

Cloudt, Criss (Texas Education Agency)
Gustafson, Lindsay (TCTA)
Zyskowski, Gloria (Texas Education Agency)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Brownson, Amanda (Ft. Bend ISD)
Graham, Lloyd (La Porte I.S.D.)
Kugle, Cherry (Raise Your Hand Texas)
Pena, Martin (South Texas Association of Schools)
Rey, Yolanda (Texas Association of Supervision and Curriculum Development (Texas ASCD))
Rogers, Don (Texas Rural Education Assn)
Seeger, Debbie (Corpus Christi ISD)
Wright, Howell (Rockdale ISD, Texas Association of Community Schools, Texas Association of Mid Size Schools, Texas Rural Ed Assoc.)

Against:

Bryan, Beth Ann (Self)
Yancy, Justin (Governor's Business Council)

HB 916

For:

Anastopoulos, Tyler (Self; Unlimited Justice)
Coley, Lindsay (National Youth Rights Association-Member)
Dunne, Jimmy (People Opposed to Paddling Students)
Ecko, Marc (Self)
Flowe, Paula (Self)
Herring, Angie (Unlimited Justice)
Ingalls, George (Self)
Johnson, Tom (Parent and Teachers Against Violence in Education)
Knaack, Frank (American Civil Liberties Union of Texas)
Phoenix, Usiel (National Youth Rights Association)
Styskal, Christopher (Self)

Against:

Gerstenschlager, MerryLynn (Self; Texas Eagle Forum)
Shields, Julie (Texas Assoc. of School Boards)

On:

Anderson, David (Texas Education Agency)
Calhoun, Dallas (Self)

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Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Banks, Yannis (Texas NAACP)
Dimitry, Lauren (Texans Care for Children)
Eckhart, Harley (Texas Elementary Principals & Supervisors Assn.)
Freeman, Kathryn (TX Appleseed)
Kroll, Carrie (Texas Pediatric Society)
Martinez, Diana (TexProtects, The Texas Asso. for the Protection of Children)
Miller, Jeff (Disability Rights Texas)
Moussa, Nagla (Self; The Arc of Texas)
Statman, Rona (The Arc of Texas)

HB 1076

Against:

Bosse, Portia (Texas State Teachers Assn.)
Exter, Monty (Association of Texas Professional Educators)
Melina Raab, Ted (Texas American Federation of Teachers)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Brownson, Amanda (Texas School Alliance)
Erben, Andrew (TX. Institute for Education Reform)
Graham, Lloyd (La Porte I.S.D.)
McCraw, Ken (TX Assn of Community Schools)
McCreary, Casey (TX Assoc of School Administrators (TASA))
Moya, Lori (Austin ISD)
Rogers, Don (Texas Rural Education Assn.)
Shields, Julie (Texas Association of School Boards)

HB 1326

On:

Bruno, Tina (Texans for a Traditional School Calendar)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

McCraw, Ken (TX Assn of Community Schools)
McCreary, Casey (TX Assoc of School Administrators (TASA))
Pena, Martin Pena (South TX Assoc. of Schools)
Rogers, Don (Texas Rural Education Assn.)
Shields, Julie (TX Association of School Boards)

HB 1334

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Bosse, Portia (Texas State Teachers Assoc.)

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For:

Cardenas, Melva (Texas Association of School Personnel Administrators)
Carpenter, Bill (Texas Council of Administrators of Special Education (TCASE))
Eckhart, Harley (Texas Elementary Principals & Supervisors Assn.)
Exter, Monty (Association of Texas Professional Educators)
Gustafson, Lindsay (TCTA)
McCreary, Casey (TX Assoc. of School Administrators (TASA))
Melina Raab, Ted (Texas American Federation of Teachers)
Rogers, Don (Texas Rural Education Assn.)
Shields, Julie (TX Association of School Boards)

HB 1589

For:

Miller, Charles (Self)

Against:

Casey, Daniel (Texas School Alliance)
Rogers, Don (Texas Rural Education Association)
Wright, Howell (Rockdale ISD, Texas Association of Community Schools Texas Rural Educators Association)

On:

Melina Raab, Ted (Texas American Federation of Teachers)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Chiodo, Dana (Technology Association of America)
Erben, Andrew (TX. Institute for Education Reform)
Hammond, Bill (TX Association of Business)
Windham, James (Texas Institute for Education Reform)
Yancy, Justin (Governor's Business Council)

Against:

Bosse, Portia (Texas State Teachers Assn.)
Exter, Monty (Association of Texas Professional Educators)
Freeman, Ray (Equity Center)
Gustafson, Lindsay (TCTA)

On:

Pena, Martin (South TX Assoc. of Schools)

HB 1632

For:

Clegg, Cindy (TX Association of School Boards)

Against:

Bosse, Portia (Texas State Teachers Assn.)
Exter, Monty (Association of Texas Professional Educators)
Gustafson, Lindsay (TCTA)
Owen, Martha (Texas AFT)

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Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Cardenas, Melva (Texas Association of School Personnel Administrators)
Chavez, Jesus (Self; Round Rock ISD)
McCraw, Ken (TX Assn of Community Schools)
McCreary, Casey (TX Assoc. of School Adm. (TASA))

Against:

Eckhart, Harley (Texas Elementary Principals & Supervisors Assn.)

HB 1703

For:

Guevara, Thomas (Bexar County Commissioners Court)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Bosse, Portia (Texas State Teachers Assn.)
Exter, Monty (ATPE)
Gustafson, Lindsay (TCTA)
McCreary, Casey (TX Assoc of School Admin. (TASA))
Melina Raab, Ted (Texas American Federation of Teacher)
Rogers, Don (Texas Rural Education Assn.)
Shields, Julie (TX Association of School Boards)

HB 1833

Against:

Elkins, Keith (Freedom of Information Foundation of Texas)
Schneider, Michael (TX. Assoc. of Broadcasters)
Whalen, Ken (TX Daily Newspaper Association TX Press Association)

Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Brownson, Amanda (Texas School Alliance)
Canales, Ramiro (Texas Association of School Administrators)
Graham, Lloyd (La Porte ISD)
McCraw, Ken (TX Assn of Community Schools)
Moya, Lori (Austin ISD)
Rogers, Don (Texas Rural Education Assn.)
Shields, Julie (Texas Association of School Boards)

Against:

Cates, Emily (Daily Commercial Record)

HB 1834

Against:

Melina Raab, Ted (Texas American Federation of Teachers)

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Registering, but not testifying:

For:

Erben, Andrew (TX. Institute for Education Reform)

McCraw, Ken (TX Assn of Community Schools)

Against:

Allmon, Jennifer (The Texas Catholic Conference The Roman Catholic Bishops of Texas)