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SB 179

FOR:

Briscoe, Richard (Open Carry Texas), San Antonio, TX

Cox, Mike Executive Director, Driftwood CHL (Self), Driftwood, TX

Tripp, Alice Lobbyist (Texas State Rifle Association), Paige, TX

Registering, but not testifying:

FOR:

Favis del Core Borromeo, Marida Legislative Communication Chairman (Exotic Wildlife Association and Self), Giddings, TX

Gerstenschlager, MerryLynn Vice President (Texas Eagle Forum), Dallas, TX

SB 273

FOR:

Briscoe, Richard (Open Carry Texas), San Antonio, TX

Cox, Mike Executive Director, Driftwood CHL (Self), Driftwood, TX

Tripp, Alice Lobbyist (also providing written testimony) (Texas State Rifle Assoc), Paige, TX

AGAINST:

Allison, Jim General Counsel (County Judges & Commissioners Association of Texas), Austin, TX

Louderback, A.J. Sheriff (Sheriffs' Association of Texas), Austin, TX

ON:

Crawford, Amanda General Counsel (Office of the Attorney General), Austin, TX Registering, but not testifying:

FOR:

Favia del Core Borromeo, Marida Legislative Comm. Chairman (Exotic Wildlife Association & self), Giddings, TX

Gerstenschlager, MerryLynn Vice President (Texas Eagle Forum & self), Dallas, TX AGAINST:

Mendez, Mark Assistant County Administrator (Tarrant County Commissioners Court), Ft. Worth, TX

Thompson, Rick Legislative Liaison (Tx Association of Counties), Austin, TX

Warndof, Donna Director, Office of Legislative Relations (Harris County), Houston, TX

SB 287

ON:

Slayton, David Administrative Director (Office of Court Administration), Austin, TX Registering, but not testifying:

FOR:

Lee, Donald Executive Director (Texas Conference of Urban Counties), Austin, TX

SB 306

FOR:

Oliver, Julie Executive Director (Texas Coalition on Lawyer Accountability), Austin, TX

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Registering, but not testifying:

FOR:

Baggett, Donnis Executive Vice President (Texas Press Association), Austin, TX

Richards, Joanne (Texas Fair Courts Network), Austin, TX

Shannon, Kelley Executive Director (Freedom of Information Foundation of Texas),

Austin, TX

Smith, Tom Smitty Director (Public Citizen's Texas Office), Austin, TX

ON:

Willing, Seana Executive Director (State Commission on Judicial Conduct), Austin, TX

SB 381

FOR:

Gosdin, John President (also providing written testimony) (Texans for State Parks),

Austin, TX

McNally, Jamie (also providing written testimony) (Friends of Enchanted Rock & Texans

for State Parks), Austin, TX

Neyses, David Park Volunteer (Self), Austin, TX

Sinclair, David Legislative Consultant (Game Warden Peace Officers Association), TX

Walker, Offie Retired (also providing written testimony) (Self), Missouri City, TX

ON:

Bright, Ann General Counsel (Texas Parks & Wildlife Dept.), Austin, TX

Registering, but not testifying:

FOR:

Lee, Donald Executive Director (Texas Conference of Urban Counties), Austin, TX Miller, Phyllis Ann Volunteer, Texas State Parks & Seasonal Ranger, Yellowstone N.P.

(Self), Austin, TX

Weinberg, David Executive Director (Texas League of Conservation Voters), Austin, TX

ON:

Good, Kevin Special Assistant to State Parks Director (TPWD), Austin, TX

SB 383

FOR:

Evans, Janice Election Director (County and District Clerk Association of Texas),

Angleton, TX

Maxey, Glen Legislative Director (Texas Democratic Party), Austin, TX

Registering, but not testifying:

FOR:

Mendez, Mark Assistant County Administrator (Tarrant County Commissioners Court),

Fort Worth, TX

Warndof, Donna Director, Office of Legislative Relations (Harris County), Houston, TX

Wheeler, Julie Intergovernmental Relations (Travis County Commissioners Court), Austin,

ON:

Ingram, Keith Director, Election's Division (Texas Secretary of State), Austin, TX

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SB 431

FOR:

Callanen, Jacquelyn Bexar County Elections Administrator (Texas Association of Elections Administrators), Bexar, TX

Registering, but not testifying:

FOR:

Maxey, Glen Legislative Director (Texas Democratic Party), Austin, TX

ON:

Ashley, Natalia Luna Executive Director (Texas Ethics Commission), Austin, TX

SB 463

FOR:

Kester, David Director, Human Resources and Risk Management (Harris County), Houston, TX

Registering, but not testifying:

FOR:

Carrizal, Shain Deputy Director (Harris County), Houston, TX

Mitchell, Seth Assistant to the Bexar County Manager (Bexar County), San Antonio, TX
Thompson, Rick Legislative Liaison (Texas Association of Counties), Austin, TX
Warndof, Donna Director, Office of Legislative Relations (Harris County), Houston, TX
Wheeler, Julie Intergovernmental Relations (Travis County Commissioners Court), Austin, TX

ON:

Bishop, Amy Executive Director (Texas County and District Retirement System), Austin, TX

SB 534

FOR:

Chamberlain, David President, Tex-ABOTA; Director, State Bar of Texas (Tex-ABOTA and State Bar of Texas), Austin, TX

Choate, Guy Attorney (Tex-ABOTA - TTLA), San Angelo, TX

Madere, Pamela Director, Attorney (Texas Association of Defense Counsel), Austin, TX Registering, but not testifying:

FOR:

Hull, Mike Attorney (Texans for Lawsuit Reform), Austin, TX

SB 550

FOR:

Cazares, Dr. Jose Past President; Member (Texas Academy of General Dentistry; Texas Dental Association), McAllen, TX

ON:

Smith, Charles Deputy Child Support - IV D Director (Office of Attorney General Child Support Division), Austin, TX

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FOR:

Rudd, Tyler Lobbyist (Texas Academy of Pediatric Dentistry), Austin, TX

ON:

Brewer, Pat Special Advisor - Policy Development (Texas Department of Insurance), Austin, TX

Graeber, Jan Chief Actuary - Rate & Form Review Office (Texas Department of Insurance), Austin, TX

Rogers, Joel Assistant Deputy Director Field Legal Practice (Attorney General Child Support Division), Austin, TX

Providing written testimony:

FOR:

Calvert, Vess Director of Legislative and Regulatory Affairs (Texas Dental Association), Austin, TX

SB 627

FOR:

Avila, Jaie Reporter (WOAI-TV/Texas Assn. of Broadcasters), San Antonio, TX Baggett, Donnis Executive Vice President (Texas Press Association), Austin, TX Christenson, Sig Sr. Reporter - Military & Veterans Affairs Writer (San Antonio Express-News/Hearst Newspapers), San Antonio, TX

Groogan, Greg Reporter (Fox 26 Houston/Texas Assoc. of Broadcasters), Houston, TX Hiott, Debbie Editor (Austin American-Statesman, FOIFT, & TLAC), Austin, TX Oliver, Becky Reporter (KDFW), Dallas, TX

Prather, Laura Attorney (Self), Austin, TX

Rodriguez, Oscar President (Texas Association of Broadcasters), Austin, TX Watler, Paul Attorney (Tx Assoc of Broadcasters, FOI Foundation of Texas, & self), Dallas, TX

AGAINST:

Baskin, James D. (Self), Austin, TX

Blevins, Jr., Bryan O. President (also providing written testimony) (Tx Trial Lawyers Assoc.), Beaumont, TX

Bresnen, Steve Attorney at Law (also providing written testimony) (Self), Austin, TX Registering, but not testifying:

FOR:

Marzullo, Amanda Policy Director (Texas Defender Service), Austin, TX Shannon, Kelley Executive Director (Freedom of Information Foundation of Texas), Austin, TX