HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

COMMITTEE: Defense & Veterans' Affairs

TIME & DATE: 10:30 AM or upon final adjourn./recess or bill referral if permission granted Thursday, March 9, 2023

PLACE: E2.026

CHAIR: Rep. Terry M. Wilson

The committee will meet to discuss the Texas Military Department's functions and concerns regarding the 88th Legislative Session. The committee will hear invited testimony only from:

Texas Military Department

The Committee will also consider the following bills:

HB 542 Raymond | et al. Relating to a study on state land use to facilitate health and wellness for veterans.

HB 587 Patterson Relating to the cremation of deceased veterans with a United States flag or Texas state flag and the incineration of those flags through the cremation process.

HB 671 González, Mary Relating to a veterans suicide prevention campaign.

For those persons who will be testifying, information for in-person witness registration, can be found here: https://mytxlegis.capitol.texas.gov/HWRSPublic/About.aspx

A live video broadcast of this hearing will be available here: https://house.texas.gov/video-audio/

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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: https://comments.house.texas.gov/home?c=c305

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