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**SENATE**

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

COMMITTEE: Natural Resources & Economic Development  
TIME & DATE: 9:00 AM, Wednesday, May 17, 2023  
PLACE: E1.012 (Hearing Room)  
CHAIR: Senator Brian Birdwell

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The Committee will meet to consider the following:

**HB 26** Ordaz SP: Blanco  
Relating to the permitting of medical waste facilities by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality.

**HB 33** Landgraf | et al. SP: Springer  
Relating to the enforcement of certain federal laws regulating oil and gas operations within the State of Texas.

**HB 915** Craddick | et al. SP: Parker  
Relating to a requirement that employers post notice of certain information regarding reporting instances of workplace violence or suspicious activity.

**HB 1302** Geren SP: Zaffirini  
Relating to inspections and examinations by the Railroad Commission of Texas of certain sites and facilities conducted using unmanned aircraft.

**HB 1703** Ordaz SP: Blanco  
Relating to the workforce development evaluation system administered by the Texas Workforce Commission, including the establishment of a workforce development career education and training evaluation pilot program.

**HB 2262** Darby SP: Hughes  
Relating to gas utility alternative gas expenses and infrastructure investments.

**HB 2263** Darby SP: Hughes  
Relating to the authority of a natural gas local distribution company to offer energy conservation programs.

**HB 2466** Button | et al. SP: West  
Relating to the creation of the Texas technology and innovation program.

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**HB 2847** Darby | et al. SP: Sparks  
Relating to the jurisdiction of the Railroad Commission of Texas over and a study of the production, pipeline transportation, and storage of hydrogen.

**HB 2975** Guillen SP: Hancock  
Relating to powers and duties of the Texas Workforce Commission with respect to work and family policies.

**HB 3235** Troxclair SP: Campbell  
Relating to the authority of certain counties to impose a county hotel occupancy tax.

**HB 3453** Jetton SP: Miles  
Relating to authorizing certain counties to impose a hotel occupancy tax, the applicability and rates of that tax in certain counties, and the use of revenue from that tax.

**HB 3727** Anderson SP: Birdwell  
Relating to municipal and county hotel occupancy taxes.

**HB 3837** Geren | et al. SP: Sparks  
Relating to the designation of advanced clean energy projects.

**HB 4047** Guillen | et al. SP: Zaffirini  
Relating to a study on uranium deposits in this state.

**HB 4119** Guillen SP: Parker  
Relating to procedural requirements for uranium mining production area authorizations.

**HB 4390** Button | et al. SP: Bettencourt  
Relating to the Texas Industry-Recognized Apprenticeship Programs Grant Program.

**HB 4451** Bhojani | et al. SP: Flores  
Relating to a report by the Texas Workforce Commission regarding apprenticeship opportunities in this state for emerging and high-demand industries.

**HB 4494** Vasut SP: Huffman  
Relating to eligible coastal municipalities for purposes of the municipal hotel occupancy tax.

**HB 4565** Longoria SP: LaMantia  
Relating to the use of the revenue derived from the municipal hotel occupancy tax by certain municipalities and to the rate at which that tax is imposed by those municipalities.

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**HB 4660** Isaac SP: Campbell  
Relating to the use of municipal hotel occupancy tax revenue in certain municipalities.

**HB 4885** Landgraf | et al. SP: Birdwell  
Relating to programs established and funded under the Texas emissions reduction plan.

**HB 4932** Lopez, Janie | et al. SP: Sparks  
Relating to the amount of foreign emissions of air contaminants in nonattainment areas and the revision of the state implementation plan to account for those emissions.

**HB 5012** Clardy | et al. SP: Birdwell  
Relating to the authority of certain municipalities to use certain tax revenue for hotel and convention center projects and other qualified projects.

**HB 5178** Ashby SP: Nichols  
Relating to authorizing certain counties to impose a hotel occupancy tax and the applicability of that tax in certain counties.

**HB 5264** Bowers | et al. SP: Kolkhorst  
Relating to the adoption and use of certain performance indicators to measure and evaluate career school or college programs.

**Public testimony is limited to 3 minutes.** If submitting written testimony, please provide 20 copies to the committee clerk with your name or the name of your organization on each copy, and email a digital copy to the clerk of the committee at [Jennifer.Trevino\\_SC@senate.texas.gov](mailto:Jennifer.Trevino_SC@senate.texas.gov)

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Bills added after last posting:

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**HB 3837**  
**HB 4119**  
**HB 4390**  
**HB 4565**

\*\* See Committee Coordinator for previous versions of the schedule \*\*

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