

AGENDA**House Committee on Appropriations**

Monday, April 25, 2022

Committee Room 5

9:00 a.m.

Chairman: Jerome "Zee" Zeringue  
 Vice Chairman: Francis C. Thompson

Staff: Dazia Briscoe, committee administrative assistant  
 Stephanie Little, attorney

## I. CALL TO ORDER

## II. ROLL CALL

## III. BUSINESS

_____	<b>HB 29</b>	<b>NELSON</b>	<b>APPROPRIATIONS</b> (Constitutional Amendment) To require the legislature to appropriate no less than fifty percent of nonrecurring state revenues for application to certain state retirement system unfunded accrued liability
_____	<b>HB 31</b>	<b>TARVER, PHILLIP</b>	<b>RETIREMENT/STATE SYSTEMS</b> (Constitutional Amendment) Dedicates a certain amount of state nonrecurring revenue to state retirement systems for supplemental benefit payments
_____	<b>HB 55</b>	<b>BUTLER</b>	<b>MEDICAID</b> Provides for Medicaid coverage of dental care for certain residents of intermediate care facilities
_____	<b>HB 65</b>	<b>ZERINGUE</b>	<b>JUDGES</b> Provides with respect to annual financial reports on district and local court funding and expenses
_____	<b>HB 80</b>	<b>EDMONDS</b>	<b>BUDGETARY CONTROLS</b> Restricts spending of state general fund revenue-direct to 98% of the official forecast
_____	<b>HB 90</b>	<b>MARCELLE</b>	<b>HEALTH/LDH</b> Creates the office on women's health within the La. Department of Health and provides for the duties and functions of the office
_____	<b>HB 329</b>	<b>ZERINGUE</b>	<b>TAX APPEALS/BOARD</b> Provides for the payment of certain judgments issued by the Board of Tax Appeals for approved claims
_____	<b>HB 477</b>	<b>COUSSAN</b>	<b>DISTRICT ATTORNEYS</b> Provides for new assistant district attorney positions for various judicial districts in the state

_____	<b>HB 724</b>	<b>BAGLEY</b>	<b>ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT</b> Establishes a grant program for site development and improvement
_____	<b>HB 860</b>	<b>MCFARLAND</b>	<b>TRANSPORTATION</b> Provides relative to the use of certain monies in the Transportation Trust Fund by the Department of Transportation and Development
_____	<b>HR 30</b>	<b>ZERINGUE</b>	<b>JUDGES</b> Establishes a task force to study the funding and workload of judicial districts and circuits

IV. ANNOUNCEMENTS

V. ADJOURNMENT

Any person who does not feel comfortable giving testimony in person may submit a prepared statement in accordance with House Rule 14.33 in lieu of appearing before the committee:

A. Any interested person or any committee member may file with the committee a prepared statement concerning a specific instrument or matter under consideration by the committee or concerning any matter within the committee's scope of authority, and the committee records shall reflect receipt of such statement and the date and time thereof.

B. Any person who files a prepared statement which contains data or statistical information shall include in such prepared statement sufficient information to identify the source of the data or statistical information. For the purposes of this Paragraph, the term "source" shall mean a publication, website, person, or other source from which the data or statistical information contained in the prepared statement was obtained by the person or persons who prepared the statement.

NOTE: Statements emailed to [h-app@legis.la.gov](mailto:h-app@legis.la.gov) and received prior to noon on Friday, April 22, 2022, will be distributed to the committee members prior to the meeting.

PLEASE SUBMIT A WITNESS CARD TO THE COMMITTEE ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT BEFORE THE MEETING BEGINS IF YOU WANT TO TESTIFY BEFORE THE COMMITTEE.