AGENDA

House Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development
Thursday, May 5, 2022
Committee Room 3
9:30 a.m.

Chairman: Jack G. McFarland
Vice Chairman: Dustin Miller

Staff: Nicholas Cole, attorney
       Brandy Phillips, committee administrative assistant

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL

III. DISCUSSION OF LEGISLATION

   _____ HR 89    GEYMANN
       ANIMALS Urges and requests the local governing authority of Calcasieu Parish and the Calcasieu Parish Animal Services and Adoption Center to become a "no kill" animal shelter

   _____ HCR 100  MCFARLAND
       AGRICULTURE Urges and requests the U.S. Department of Agriculture Natural Resources Conservation Service to establish a cost share program to assist landowners and producers with the purchase and application of lime for enhancement of crop and grass production

   _____ HB 373   JOHNSON, TRAVIS
       DISTRICTS/SPECIAL Provides for the Delta Agriculture Research and Sustainability District

   _____ HB 1049  SEABAUGH
       INSURANCE/SELF Authorizes the creation of Louisiana timber and agriculture transportation group self-insurance funds

IV. OTHER BUSINESS

       Presentation by the Louisiana FFA state officers

V. ANNOUNCEMENTS

VI. ADJOURNMENT

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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.

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