

Weekly Committee Schedule

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on Ways and Means

Monday, May 5, 2025
Committee Room 6
9:00 a.m.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

HB 133	WILLARD	TAX CREDITS Increases the amount of the earned income tax credit
HB 184	OWEN, CHARLES	TAX/INCOME-INDIV/EXEMPT Authorizes an individual income tax deduction for certain amounts a taxpayer receives through hardship distributions from retirement accounts
HB 186	DEWITT	TAX CREDITS Authorizes a tax credit for certain employers of La. National Guard members and military reservists
HB 194	BAYHAM	TAX/INCOME-INDIV/EXEMPT Authorizes an income tax deduction for certain taxpayers' overtime compensation
HB 195	BAYHAM	TAX/INCOME-INDIV/EXEMPT Authorizes an income tax deduction for certain amounts of tip income
HB 198	KNOX	TAX/INCOME-INDIV/EXEMPT Authorizes an income tax deduction for tip income earned by taxpayers at or below certain income levels
HB 211	LANDRY, MANDIE	TAX CREDITS Modifies the definition of "eligible transaction" for purposes of the firearm safety device purchase tax credit
HB 230	WALTERS	TAX CREDITS Establishes an income tax credit for motor vehicle manufacturers and motor vehicle manufacturing suppliers
HB 236	GLORIOSO	TAX/INCOME TAX Establishes an individual income tax deduction for certain property insurance policy premiums
HB 238	MCFARLAND	TAX/INCOME TAX Provides relative to tax benefits for adoption of children from foster care and donations to foster care charitable organizations
HB 325	BRYANT	TAX/TOBACCO TAX Provides for the rate of tax levied on certain cigars
HB 337	WILLARD	TAX CREDITS Establishes an income tax credit for taxpayers who claim a dependent under the age of six

HB 414	DEWITT	TAX/INCOME TAX Exempts certain overtime compensation and income earned from tips from state income taxation
HB 444	MACK	ENERGY Creates an injection tax for carbon dioxide sequestration
HB 475	FIRMENT	TAX CREDITS Increases the maximum amount of insurance premium tax credits for retaliatory taxes paid by certain domestic insurers that may be claimed in a fiscal year and extends the sunset date of the credit
HB 477	FREIBERG	TAX CREDITS Authorizes university laboratory schools to participate in the student tuition organization tax credit program
HB 485	HILFERTY	TAX/INCOME TAX Establishes an individual income tax deduction for net capital gains
HB 490	MCFARLAND	TAX/SALES & USE Provides for the sales and use tax exemption for certain public entities
HB 495	GEYMANN	TAX/SEVERANCE TAX Limits the severance tax exemption for gas produced from horizontally drilled wells
HB 518	GEYMANN	TAX/SEVERANCE TAX Provides relative to rates, computation, and administration of severance tax on oil, gas, and other natural resources
HB 533	CARVER	TAX CREDITS Establishes the Work-Based Learning Tax Credit for employment of apprentices, interns, and youth workers
HB 552	SCHAMERHORN	TAX/EXCISE Levies a tax on the operation of carbon capture and storage pipelines
HB 600	GEYMANN	TAX/SEVERANCE TAX Reduces the rate of severance tax on oil produced from newly completed wells and provides relative to special rates on oil produced from certain limited-production wells
HB 642	WILDER	TAX CREDITS Repeals the earned income tax credit
HB 653	DAVIS	TAX CREDITS Extends the duration of the sound recording investor tax credit program
HB 654	BEAULLIEU	TAX/SALES & USE Requires sales and use tax exemptions, exclusions, credits, rebates, and refunds to apply to both the state and local sales tax bases
HB 665	WILLARD	TAX CREDITS Provides relative to the Angel Investor Tax Credit Program
HB 668	WRIGHT	TAX/EXCISE Continues a portion of the excise tax levied on cigarettes in statute and authorizes a reduced excise tax rate on certain tobacco products

HB 669	RISER	TAX/EXCISE Continues a portion of the excise tax levied on cigarettes in statute and authorizes a reduced excise tax rate on certain tobacco products
HB 671	GLORIOSO	TAX CREDITS Establishes a tax credit for donations made to certain organizations serving victims of human trafficking

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Any legislative instrument listed on the agenda for Monday, May 5, that is not disposed of may be carried over to the meeting on Tuesday, May 6. (House Rule 14.24(A))

HB 135	ECHOLS	TAX/SALES-USE-EXEMPT Provides relative to the sales and use tax exemption for certain institutions of higher education
HB 149	BRYANT	TAX/SALES-USE-EXEMPT Provides relative to tax exemptions for charter boat fishing guides
HB 188	OWEN, CHARLES	TAX/SALES-USE, LOCAL-EXEM Authorizes a local sales tax exemption for certain adaptive driving equipment and vehicle modifications
HB 271	WILLARD	TAX EXEMPTIONS/HOMESTEAD (Constitutional Amendment) Increases the amount of the homestead exemption
HB 313	LYONS	TAX/SALES-USE-EXEMPT Exempts purchases made by child advocacy centers from state and local sales and use taxes
HB 334	TARVER, PHILLIP	TAX/SALES & USE Repeals one percent of the state sales and use tax levy
HB 520	ILLG	TAX/SALES-USE-EXEMPT Establishes a state and local sales and use tax exemption for certain antique motor vehicles and increases the fee for issuance of special license plates for those vehicles
HB 534	LACOMBE	TAX/SALES & USE Exempts sales of goods through coin-operated vending machines from sales and use tax

HB 551	WALTERS	TAX/SALES-USE-EXEMPT Establishes a sales tax holiday for purchases of certain items on the first Saturday of August each year
HB 606	TURNER	TAX/SALES-USE, LOCAL-EXEM Exempts prescription drugs and insulin from local sales and use taxes
HB 626	WRIGHT	TAX/SALES & USE Extends the state and local sales and use tax exemption for ships and ships' supplies to certain digital products

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JULIE EMERSON
Chair