

AGENDA

**House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works**

Monday, April 13, 2026

Committee Room 3

9:30 a.m.

Chair: Ryan Bourriaque  
Vice Chair: Bryan Fontenot

Staff: Jaclyn Champagne, attorney  
Derek Odom, legislative analyst  
Ariyana Perkins, committee administrative assistant

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL

III. DISCUSSION OF LEGISLATION

_____	<b>HB 345</b>	<b>MCKIN</b>	<b>RAILROADS</b> Provides with respect to the Rail Infrastructure Improvement Program
_____	<b>HB 502</b>	<b>MCCORMICK</b>	<b>PORTS/HARBORS/TERMINALS</b> Provides relative to the authority of the Caddo Parish Port Commission to use the payment in lieu of taxes program
_____	<b>HB 511</b>	<b>GLORIOSO</b>	<b>HIGHWAYS/OFFICE</b> Authorizes the Louisiana Commission on Law Enforcement and the Administration of Criminal Justice to establish a grant program for pursuit intervention technologies
_____	<b>HB 655</b>	<b>BRAUD</b>	<b>BRIDGES/FERRIES</b> Authorizes the Department of Transportation and Development to enter into contracts for the operation and maintenance of ferry systems
_____	<b>HB 667</b>	<b>MCCORMICK</b>	<b>BOARDS/COMMISSIONS</b> Changes the selection process for members of the Caddo-Bossier Parishes Port Commission from appointed to elected
_____	<b>HB 713</b>	<b>MCCORMICK</b>	<b>PORTS/HARBORS/TERMINALS</b> Establishes that the total compensation of the executive port director of the Caddo-Bossier Parishes Port Commission cannot exceed the statewide average compensation of the top ten port directors in Louisiana
_____	<b>HB 714</b>	<b>PHELPS</b>	<b>RAILROADS</b> Requires local railroad companies to remediate or remove blighted or abandoned railroad lines and associated structures

_____	<b>HB 730</b>	<b>CREWS</b>	<b>AIRCRAFT/AVIATION</b> Provides relative to the use of automatic dependent surveillance-broadcast systems
_____	<b>HB 743</b>	<b>ST. BLANC</b>	<b>DISTRICTS/AIRPORT</b> Creates the Harry P. Williams Memorial Airport District in St. Mary Parish
_____	<b>HB 777</b>	<b>MCKIN</b>	<b>MOTOR VEHICLES</b> Requires driver's license renewal knowledge examination
_____	<b>HB 803</b>	<b>BAYHAM</b>	<b>PORTS/NEW ORLEANS</b> Changes the membership of the Board of Commissioners of the Port of New Orleans
_____	<b>HB 836</b>	<b>HILFERTY</b>	<b>LEVEES/BDS &amp; DISTRICTS</b> Modifies the Southeast Louisiana Flood Protection Authority-East and the Southeast Louisiana Flood Protection Authority-West
_____	<b>HB 871</b>	<b>CARVER</b>	<b>PORTS/NEW ORLEANS</b> Provides relative to the membership the Board of Commissioners of the Port of New Orleans
_____	<b>HB 1037</b>	<b>BOURRIAQUE</b>	<b>TRANSPORTATION DEPT</b> Modifies operations and certain positions within the Department of Transportation and Development
_____	<b>HB 1167</b>	<b>GLORIOSO</b>	<b>HIGHWAYS</b> Designates certain portions of highways in Louisiana
_____	<b>HB 1174</b>	<b>BOURRIAQUE</b>	<b>TRANSPORTATION DEPT</b> Re-creates the Department of Transportation and Development
_____	<b>HB 1175</b>	<b>TURNER</b>	<b>AIRCRAFT/AIRPORTS</b> Provides with respect to definitions pertaining to aeronautics

#### IV. OTHER BUSINESS

To consider the use of the Construction Management at Risk (CMAR) method for: Beekman Charter School to construct the Jr. High Building pursuant to R.S. 38:2225.2.4

To consider the use of the Construction Management at Risk (CMAR) method for: Conversion construction of Lincoln Parish Early Childhood Center to the Lincoln Parish School Board Central Office pursuant to R.S. 38:2225.2.4(3)

#### V. ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### VI. ADJOURNMENT

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.

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