

AGENDA

House Committee on Ways and Means

Tuesday, April 21, 2026

Committee Room 6

9:00 a.m.

Chair: Tony Bacala
Vice Chair: Kendricks "Ken" Brass

Staff: Jacob Wilkinson, committee administrative assistant
Drew Murray, legislative analyst
Nate Wiggins, attorney

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL

III. INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD

_____	HR 118	WRIGHT	TAX/INCOME-CREDIT Creates a legislative subcommittee to study the potential establishment of a state income tax credit for certain water utility customers
_____	HB 1120	RISER	TAX/TOBACCO TAX Provides relative to the intent and purpose of laws imposing tobacco taxes
_____	SCR 11	FESI	TAX/TAXATION Creates the Anchor Home Task Force to study the feasibility of offering tax credits to incentivize the hiring of resident Louisiana college graduates to live and work in Louisiana the first five years after graduation.
_____	SB 73	MILLER, G.	TAX/AD VALOREM Provides relative to the assessment, payment, and allocation of ad valorem taxes. (gov sig)
_____	SB 89	MILLER, G.	TAX/AD VALOREM Requires the assessor in St. Charles Parish to provide property owners with a form for permanent registration of the homestead exemption. (gov sig)
_____	SB 128	FOIL	TAX/TAXATION Provides relative to authorized changes of address by the Department of Revenue. (gov sig)
_____	SB 149	FOIL	BONDS Provides relative to the issuance and sale of general obligation bonds. (gov sig)
_____	SB 180	FOIL	TAX EXEMPTIONS Authorizes the surviving spouse of a deceased veteran with a service connected disability who receives an expanded property tax exemption to transfer

the exemption under certain circumstances.
(2/3-CA13s1(A)) (1/1/27)

_____ SB 191	MILLER, G.	TAX/AD VALOREM Provides relative to the assessment, payment, and allocation of ad valorem taxes. (gov sig)
_____ SB 196	FOIL	TAX/TAXATION Provides relative to the time period to appeal a notice of assessment or the disallowance of a refund claim. (8/1/26)
_____ SB 238	MILLER, G.	TAX/AD VALOREM Provides relative to the assessment, payment, and allocation of ad valorem taxes. (gov sig)
_____ SB 318	REESE	TAX EXEMPTIONS Provides relative to tax exemption budget and return on investment reports published by the Department of Revenue. (gov sig)
_____ SB 340	CATHEY	TAX/AD VALOREM Requires the tax assessor of each parish to provide property owners with a form for permanent registration of the homestead exemption. (gov sig)

IV. OTHER BUSINESS

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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