

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Notice of Committee Meeting

Committee on Appropriations

Will meet at: 9:00 a.m. Date: Monday, April 27, 2026

Location: Committee Room 5

Remarks:

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| HB 165 HEBERT | LOTTERY (Constitutional Amendment) Provides relative to lottery proceeds benefitting veterans |
| HB 175 HEBERT | LOTTERY Creates the Veterans Service Grant Board and provides for allocation of lottery proceeds |
| HB 198 ECHOLS | HEALTH Provides relative to Medicaid reimbursement of ambulatory surgical centers for certain procedures |
| HB 272 CARVER | STUDENTS Expands student eligibility for participation in the R.E.A.D. (Reading Enrichment and Academic Deliverables) program |
| HB 457 KNOX | HOMELESS Establishes minimum housing standards for individuals experiencing homelessness |
| HB 488 BRAUD | TAX/SEVERANCE TAX Establishes the Belle Chasse Bridge Merit-Based Special Fund and provides for use of the monies in the fund |
| HB 566 OWEN, CHARLES | APPROPRIATIONS Prohibits use of state funds in support of net-zero greenhouse gas emissions policies |
| HB 603 WRIGHT | FUNDS/FUNDING (Constitutional Amendment) Authorizes the investment of state funds in digital assets and precious metals |
| HB 763 BILLINGS | PUBLIC RECORDS Provides for a public Settlement Agreement Information Database to contain certain information regarding settlements entered into by state agencies |
| HB 902 MARCELLE | HEALTH Provides relative to the creation of a trauma-informed training program |
| HB 909 SPELL, ANNIE | INSURANCE Required coverage for behavioral health crisis services |
| HB 971 STAGNI | MEDICAID Provides relative to Medicaid reimbursement for rural health clinics |

HB 981 VILLIO	FUNDS/FUNDING Extends the sunset for the law enforcement recruitment incentive program
HB 1066 FREIBERG	SUPPLEMENTAL PAY Prohibits law enforcement officers employed by a public postsecondary education institution from receiving state supplemental pay
HB 1125 HILFERTY	INSURANCE/GROUP-STATE Provides for participation by full-time firefighters in insurance programs offered by the state's Office of Group Benefits
HB 1154 GLORIOSO	INSURANCE Prohibits prior authorization requirements for certain generic medications prescribed by qualified physicians
HB 1231 BERAULT (TBA)	MEDICAID MANAGED CARE Provides relative to Medicaid coverage for pregnant women (Subject to Rule Suspension)

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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JACK G. MCFARLAND
Chair