

ROLL CALL AND RECORD VOTE**Committee:** Ways and Means**Location:** Room 6**Date/Time:** 04/07/26 9:00 a.m.**Staff:** Jacob Wilkinson, Committee Administrative Assistant

Alison Pryor, Deputy Director

Drew Murray, Legislative Analyst

Nate Wiggins, Attorney

Angela McKnight, Sergeant at Arms

Roll Call: 19**Convened:** 09:04 AM**Number of Members:** 19**Adjourned:** 11:36 AM**Quorum:** 10

Bacala, Tony	Present
Brass, Ken	Present
Bamburg, Jr., Dennis	Present
Billings, Beth Anne	Present
Bryant, Marcus Anthony	Present
Echols, Michael Charles	Present
Farnum, Les	Present
Gallé, Jr., Jack "Jay" William	Present
Hebert, Troy Jude	Present
Henry, Chance Keith	Present
Jackson, Steven	Present
Johnson, C. Travis	Present
LaCombe, Jeremy	Present
Landry, Mandie	Present
McMahen, Wayne	Present
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Present
Wilder, III, Roger William	Present
Wyble, John E.	Present
Young, Rashid Armand	Present

HCR35 by WYBLE

Urges and requests the Louisiana State Law Institute to study and make recommendations regarding expediting the sale of adjudicated tax-delinquent property

Motion made by: Wyble, John E.**Motion:** Favorably**Vote:** 15-0**Vote Date:** 4/7/2026 11:13:08 AM

Bacala, Tony	Yea
Brass, Ken	Yea
Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Gallé, Jr., Jack "Jay" William	Yea
Hebert, Troy Jude	Yea
Henry, Chance Keith	Yea
Jackson, Steven	Yea
Johnson, C. Travis	Yea
LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
McMahen, Wayne	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Wilder, III, Roger William	Yea
Wyble, John E.	Yea
Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

HCR35 by WYBLE**Final Action:** Reported favorably. (15-0)

HB440 by NEWELL

(Constitutional Amendment) Authorizes a parish governing authority to increase the amount of the homestead exemption

Amendment: HCAHB440 2709 1889

Motion made by: Brass, Ken

AMD Motion: Adopt

Vote: 12-0

Vote Date: 4/7/2026 10:26:47 AM

Brass, Ken	Yea
Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
Bryant, Marcus Anthony	Yea
Echols, Michael Charles	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Gallé, Jr., Jack "Jay" William	Yea
Hebert, Troy Jude	Yea
McMahen, Wayne	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Wilder, III, Roger William	Yea
Wyble, John E.	Yea
Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

Motion made by: Bryant, Marcus Anthony

Motion: With Amendments

Vote: 5-9

Vote Date: 4/7/2026 10:48:14 AM

Objection by: Wilder, III, Roger William

Bacala, Tony	Nay
Brass, Ken	Yea
Billings, Beth Anne	Nay
Bryant, Marcus Anthony	Yea
Echols, Michael Charles	Nay
Farnum, Les	Yea
Gallé, Jr., Jack "Jay" William	Nay
Hebert, Troy Jude	Nay
Henry, Chance Keith	Nay
Jackson, Steven	Yea
McMahen, Wayne	Nay
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Nay
Wilder, III, Roger William	Nay
Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

HB440 by NEWELL**HB515 by MARCELLE**

Authorizes a political subdivision to sell certain adjudicated property directly to a buyer

Amendment: HCAHB515 2709 1668

Motion made by: Bacala, Tony

AMD Motion: Adopt

Vote: 17-0

Vote Date: 4/7/2026 9:27:02 AM

Bacala, Tony	Yea
Brass, Ken	Yea
Bamburg, Jr., Dennis	Yea
Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
Echols, Michael Charles	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Gallé, Jr., Jack "Jay" William	Yea
Hebert, Troy Jude	Yea
Henry, Chance Keith	Yea
Jackson, Steven	Yea
Johnson, C. Travis	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
McMahen, Wayne	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Wilder, III, Roger William	Yea
Wyble, John E.	Yea
Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

HB515 by MARCELLE

Authorizes a political subdivision to sell certain adjudicated property directly to a buyer

Amendment: Originated in committee

Motion made by: Bacala, Tony

AMD Motion: Adopt

Vote:	16-0	Bacala, Tony	Yea
Vote Date:	4/7/2026 10:17:01 AM	Brass, Ken	Yea
		Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
		Bryant, Marcus Anthony	Yea
		Echols, Michael Charles	Yea
		Farnum, Les	Yea
		Gallé, Jr., Jack "Jay" William	Yea
		Hebert, Troy Jude	Yea
		Henry, Chance Keith	Yea
		Jackson, Steven	Yea
		Johnson, C. Travis	Yea
		McMahen, Wayne	Yea
		Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
		Wilder, III, Roger William	Yea
		Wyble, John E.	Yea
		Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

Motion made by: Jackson, Steven

Motion: With Amendments

Vote:	17-0	Bacala, Tony	Yea
Vote Date:	4/7/2026 10:19:45 AM	Brass, Ken	Yea
		Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
		Bryant, Marcus Anthony	Yea
		Echols, Michael Charles	Yea
		Farnum, Les	Yea
		Gallé, Jr., Jack "Jay" William	Yea
		Hebert, Troy Jude	Yea
		Henry, Chance Keith	Yea
		Jackson, Steven	Yea
		Johnson, C. Travis	Yea
		LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
		McMahen, Wayne	Yea
		Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
		Wilder, III, Roger William	Yea
		Wyble, John E.	Yea
		Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

HB515 by MARCELLE

Final Action: Reported with amendments. (17-0)

HB543 by NEWELL

Provides relative to the homestead exemption

Motion made by: Bacala, Tony

Motion: Defer Voluntary

Vote:	14-0	Bacala, Tony	Yea
Vote Date:	4/7/2026 10:48:31 AM	Brass, Ken	Yea
		Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
		Bryant, Marcus Anthony	Yea
		Echols, Michael Charles	Yea
		Farnum, Les	Yea
		Gallé, Jr., Jack "Jay" William	Yea
		Hebert, Troy Jude	Yea
		Henry, Chance Keith	Yea
		Jackson, Steven	Yea
		McMahen, Wayne	Yea
		Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
		Wilder, III, Roger William	Yea
		Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

HB543 by NEWELL

Final Action: Defer Voluntary. (14-0)

HB614 by JACKSON

Authorizes a rebate of state sales taxes paid by businesses on lodging and meals for persons performing disaster or emergency-related work

Amendment: HCAHB614 2709 2860

Motion made by: Jackson, Steven

AMD Motion: Adopt

Vote: 15-0

Vote Date: 4/7/2026 10:55:03 AM

Bacala, Tony	Yea
Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
Bryant, Marcus Anthony	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Gallé, Jr., Jack "Jay" William	Yea
Hebert, Troy Jude	Yea
Henry, Chance Keith	Yea
Jackson, Steven	Yea
Johnson, C. Travis	Yea
LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
McMahen, Wayne	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Wilder, III, Roger William	Yea
Wyble, John E.	Yea
Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

Motion made by: Young, Rashid Armand

Motion: With Amendments

Vote: 9-7

Vote Date: 4/7/2026 11:11:12 AM

Objection by: Farnum, Les

Bacala, Tony	Yea
Brass, Ken	Yea
Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
Bryant, Marcus Anthony	Yea
Farnum, Les	Nay
Gallé, Jr., Jack "Jay" William	Nay
Hebert, Troy Jude	Nay
Henry, Chance Keith	Nay
Jackson, Steven	Yea
Johnson, C. Travis	Yea
LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
McMahen, Wayne	Nay
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Nay
Wilder, III, Roger William	Nay
Wyble, John E.	Yea
Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

HB614 by JACKSON

Final Action: Reported with amendments. (9-7)

HB1010 by DESHOTEL

Requires annual reporting on amounts of ad valorem taxes collected in each parish

Amendment: Originated in committee

Motion made by: Bacala, Tony

AMD Motion: Adopt

Vote: 12-0

Vote Date: 4/7/2026 11:32:54 AM

Bacala, Tony	Yea
Brass, Ken	Yea
Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
Echols, Michael Charles	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Hebert, Troy Jude	Yea
Johnson, C. Travis	Yea
LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
McMahen, Wayne	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Wilder, III, Roger William	Yea
Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

HB1010 by DESHOTEL

Requires annual reporting on amounts of ad valorem taxes collected in each parish

Motion made by: Wilder, III, Roger William

Motion: With Amendments

Vote: 13-0

Vote Date: 4/7/2026 11:36:10 AM

Bacala, Tony	Yea
Brass, Ken	Yea
Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
Bryant, Marcus Anthony	Yea
Echols, Michael Charles	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Hebert, Troy Jude	Yea
Johnson, C. Travis	Yea
LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
McMahen, Wayne	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Wilder, III, Roger William	Yea
Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

HB1010 by DESHOTEL

Final Action: Reported with amendments. (13-0)

HB1039 by DESHOTEL

Provides for local sales and use tax audit procedures

Motion made by: Bacala, Tony

Motion: Defer Voluntary

Vote: 15-0

Vote Date: 4/7/2026 11:26:05 AM

Bacala, Tony	Yea
Brass, Ken	Yea
Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
Echols, Michael Charles	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Gallé, Jr., Jack "Jay" William	Yea
Hebert, Troy Jude	Yea
Jackson, Steven	Yea
Johnson, C. Travis	Yea
LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
McMahen, Wayne	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Wilder, III, Roger William	Yea
Wyble, John E.	Yea
Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

HB1039 by DESHOTEL

Final Action: Defer Voluntary. (15-0)

HB1088 by BACALA

Authorizes a state and local sales and use tax rebate on the purchase of certain items used in aerospace facilities and activities

Motion made by: Bacala, Tony

Motion: Favorably

Vote: 17-0

Vote Date: 4/7/2026 9:17:51 AM

Bacala, Tony	Yea
Brass, Ken	Yea
Bamburg, Jr., Dennis	Yea
Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
Bryant, Marcus Anthony	Yea
Echols, Michael Charles	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Gallé, Jr., Jack "Jay" William	Yea
Hebert, Troy Jude	Yea
Henry, Chance Keith	Yea
Johnson, C. Travis	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
McMahen, Wayne	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Wilder, III, Roger William	Yea
Wyble, John E.	Yea
Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

HB1088 by BACALA

Final Action: Reported favorably. (17-0)

HB1122 by BEAULLIEU

Establishes a calculation to be used for reducing the rate of the state tax levied on individuals

Motion made by: Bacala, Tony

Motion: Defer Voluntary

Vote: 17-0

Vote Date: 4/7/2026 9:23:07 AM

Bacala, Tony	Yea
Brass, Ken	Yea
Bamburg, Jr., Dennis	Yea
Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
Bryant, Marcus Anthony	Yea
Echols, Michael Charles	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Hebert, Troy Jude	Yea
Henry, Chance Keith	Yea
Jackson, Steven	Yea
Johnson, C. Travis	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
McMahen, Wayne	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Wilder, III, Roger William	Yea
Wyble, John E.	Yea
Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

HB1122 by BEAULLIEU

Final Action: Defer Voluntary. (17-0)

HB1179 by BACALA

Extends eligibility for the ad valorem tax exemption for certain manufacturing establishments to certain aerospace manufacturing establishments

Motion made by: Brass, Ken

Motion: Favorably

Vote: 17-0

Vote Date: 4/7/2026 9:19:55 AM

Bacala, Tony	Yea
Brass, Ken	Yea
Bamburg, Jr., Dennis	Yea
Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
Bryant, Marcus Anthony	Yea
Echols, Michael Charles	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Hebert, Troy Jude	Yea
Henry, Chance Keith	Yea
Jackson, Steven	Yea
Johnson, C. Travis	Yea
Landry, Mandie	Yea
McMahen, Wayne	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Wilder, III, Roger William	Yea
Wyble, John E.	Yea
Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

HB1179 by BACALA

Final Action: Reported favorably. (17-0)

HB1200 by BUTLER

Provides for the Louisiana Rural Infrastructure Revolving Loan Program

Motion made by: Jackson, Steven

Motion: Favorably

Vote: 14-0

Vote Date: 4/7/2026 11:25:21 AM

Bacala, Tony	Yea
Brass, Ken	Yea
Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
Echols, Michael Charles	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Gallé, Jr., Jack "Jay" William	Yea
Hebert, Troy Jude	Yea
Jackson, Steven	Yea
Johnson, C. Travis	Yea
LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
McMahen, Wayne	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Wilder, III, Roger William	Yea
Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

HB1200 by BUTLER

Final Action: Reported favorably. (14-0)

Motion made by: Hebert, Troy Jude

Motion: Adjourn

Vote: 13-0

Vote Date: 4/7/2026 11:36:29 AM

Bacala, Tony	Yea
Brass, Ken	Yea
Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
Bryant, Marcus Anthony	Yea
Echols, Michael Charles	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Hebert, Troy Jude	Yea
Johnson, C. Travis	Yea
LaCombe, Jeremy	Yea
McMahen, Wayne	Yea
Orgeron, Joseph A.	Yea
Wilder, III, Roger William	Yea
Young, Rashid Armand	Yea
