

**OFFICIAL JOURNAL**  
**OF THE**  
**HOUSE OF**  
**REPRESENTATIVES**  
**OF THE**  
**STATE OF LOUISIANA**

**THIRD DAY'S PROCEEDINGS**

**Forty-ninth Regular Session of the Legislature  
Under the Adoption of the  
Constitution of 1974**

House of Representatives  
State Capitol  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Wednesday, April 12, 2023

The House of Representatives was called to order at 3:00 P.M., by the Honorable Clay Schexnayder, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

**Morning Hour**

**ROLL CALL**

The roll being called, the following members answered to their names:

**PRESENT**

Mr. Speaker	Frieman	Miguez
Adams	Gadberry	Miller, D.
Amedee	Gaines	Miller, G.
Bacala	Garofalo	Mincey
Bagley	Geymann	Moore
Beaullieu	Glover	Muscarello
Bishop	Goudeau	Nelson
Bourriaque	Green	Newell
Boyd	Harris	Orgeron
Brass	Hilferty	Owen, C.
Brown	Hodges	Owen, R.
Bryant	Horton	Phelps
Butler	Hughes	Pierre
Carpenter	Huval	Pressly
Carrier	Illg	Riser
Carter, R.	Jefferson	Romero
Carter, W.	Jenkins	Schamerhorn
Cormier	Johnson, M.	Schlegel
Coussan	Johnson, T.	Seabaugh
Cox	Jordan	Selders
Crews	Kerner	St. Blanc
Davis	Knox	Stagni
Deshotel	LaCombe	Stefanski
DeVillier	LaFleur	Tarver
DuBuisson	Landry	Thomas
Echols	Larvadain	Thompson
Edmonds	Lyons	Turner
Edmonston	Mack	Villio
Emerson	Magee	Wheat
Farnum	Marcelle	White
Firment	Marino	Willard
Fisher	McCormick	Wright
Fontenot	McFarland	Zeringue

Freeman  
Freiberg  
Total - 103

McKnight  
McMahen

The Speaker announced that there were 103 members present and a quorum.

**Prayer**

Prayer was offered by Rep. Riser.

**Pledge of Allegiance**

Rep. Wilford Carter led the House in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

**Reading of the Journal**

On motion of Rep. Turner, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Rep. Turner, the Journal of April 11, 2023, was adopted.

**Petitions, Memorials, and  
Communications**

The following petitions, memorials, and communications were received and read:

**Message from the Senate**

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

April 12, 2023

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has concurred in the following House Concurrent Resolutions:

House Concurrent Resolution No. 10  
Returned without amendments

House Concurrent Resolution No. 13  
Returned without amendments

House Concurrent Resolution No. 14  
Returned without amendments

House Concurrent Resolution No. 16  
Returned without amendments

Respectfully submitted,

YOLANDA J. DIXON  
Secretary of the Senate

**Message from the Senate**

**ASKING CONCURRENCE IN  
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

April 12, 2023

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted and asks your concurrence in the following Senate Concurrent Resolutions:

Senate Concurrent Resolution Nos. 9,10 and 12

Respectfully submitted,

YOLANDA J. DIXON  
Secretary of the Senate

**Senate Concurrent Resolutions  
Lying Over**

The following Senate Concurrent Resolutions contained in the message were taken up and acted upon as follows:

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9—**  
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To commend Bossier High School Principal David Thrash on the occasion of his retirement.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Crews, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was concurred in.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10—**  
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To commend and congratulate the Parkway High School Lady Panthers on winning the 2023 Louisiana High School Athletic Association Non-Select Division I State Championship.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Horton, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was concurred in.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12—**  
BY SENATOR PEACOCK

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To commend the Eta state chapter of Kappa Kappa Iota Sorority, Inc. on hosting the organization's seventy-fourth annual national convention and Phyllis Thomas on serving as their national president.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Horton, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was concurred in.

**Suspension of the Rules**

On motion of Rep. Stefanski, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Introduction of Resolutions, House and House Concurrent at this time.

**Introduction of Resolutions,  
House and House Concurrent**

The following members introduced the following entitled House and House Concurrent Resolutions, which were read the first time by their titles and placed upon the calendar for their second reading:

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 16—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE BRASS

**A RESOLUTION**

To commend John C. Brass for his educational and civic accomplishments.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Brass, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 17—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FIRMENT

**A RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the state Department of Education to study and make recommendations relative to school lunches.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 18—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FREEMAN

**A RESOLUTION**

To commend the Trinity Episcopal School Youth Legislature.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Freeman, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 18—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHEXNAYDER

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To commend the Council of State Governments Southern Office on the occasion of its 77<sup>th</sup> Southern Legislative Conference.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Magee, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 19—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHEXNAYDER, BRASS, AND GREGORY

MILLER AND SENATORS LAMBERT AND PRICE

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To commend the Lutcher High School Bulldogs football team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2022 Non-Select Division II state championship.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Magee, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

**Reports of Committees**

The following reports of committees were received and read:

Report of the Committee on  
Civil Law and Procedure

April 12, 2023

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to submit the following report:

House Bill No. 7, by Muscarello  
Reported favorably. (15-0)

House Bill No. 142, by Beaulieu  
Reported favorably. (14-0)

GREGORY A. MILLER  
Chairman

Report of the Committee on  
Commerce

April 12, 2023

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Commerce to submit the following report:

House Bill No. 74, by Thomas  
Reported with amendments. (14-0)

House Bill No. 77, by Schlegel  
Reported with amendments. (15-1)

House Bill No. 112, by Muscarello  
Reported with amendments. (10-0)

House Bill No. 341, by Davis  
Reported favorably. (12-0)

House Bill No. 393, by Gadberry  
Reported favorably. (11-0)

House Bill No. 395, by Hilferty  
Reported with amendments. (14-0)

House Bill No. 398, by Romero  
Reported with amendments. (12-0)

House Bill No. 583, by Davis  
Reported favorably. (11-0)

PAULA P. DAVIS  
Chairman

Report of the Committee on  
Transportation, Highways and Public Works

April 12, 2023

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to submit the following report:

House Bill No. 227, by Green  
Reported favorably. (14-0)

House Bill No. 301, by Romero  
Reported favorably. (11-3-1)

House Bill No. 322, by Willard  
Reported with amendments. (9-3-1)

House Bill No. 323, by Pierre  
Reported favorably. (12-0)

House Bill No. 343, by Bagley  
Reported favorably. (13-0)

MARK WRIGHT  
Chairman

Report of the Committee on  
Ways and Means

April 12, 2023

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Ways and Means to submit the following report:

House Bill No. 46, by Hughes (Joint Resolution)  
Reported with amendments. (16-0)

House Bill No. 111, by Hughes  
Reported with amendments. (15-0)

House Bill No. 155, by Butler  
Reported with amendments. (14-0)

House Bill No. 279, by Adams  
Reported with amendments. (16-0)

House Bill No. 336, by Bishop, S.  
Reported with amendments. (11-0)

House Bill No. 392, by Frieman  
Reported with amendments. (11-0)

STUART J. BISHOP  
Chairman

### House and House Concurrent Resolutions Lying Over

The following House and House Concurrent Resolutions lying over were taken up and acted upon as follows:

#### HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 10— BY REPRESENTATIVE AMEDEE A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the state Department of Education to revise the proposed early learning and development standards and to submit its version of the standards to the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education for consideration.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Education.

#### HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 13— BY REPRESENTATIVE HODGES A RESOLUTION

To urge and request each public elementary and secondary school and each public postsecondary education institution to report relative to the purpose of, and the funding and personnel used for, programs and activities related to critical race theory; diversity, equity, and inclusion; or transformative social emotional learning.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Education.

#### HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 17— BY REPRESENTATIVE MINCEY A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To continue and provide with respect to the Teacher Recruitment, Recovery, and Retention Task Force that was created pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution No. 39 of the 2021 Regular Session of the Legislature.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Education.

### House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading to be Referred

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The following House Bills and Joint Resolutions on second reading to be referred to committees were taken up, read, and referred to committees, as follows:

**HOUSE BILL NO. 609—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE EDMONSTON  
AN ACT

To appropriate monies to be used to pay the consent judgment captioned "Matthew Anders vs State of Louisiana through the Department of Transportation and Development" between the state of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development, and Matthew Anders; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

### House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading Reported by Committee

The following House Bills and Joint Resolutions on second reading reported by committee were taken up and acted upon as follows:

**HOUSE BILL NO. 11—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES GADBERRY, FREIBERG, GLOVER,  
LARVADAIN, MOORE, CHARLES OWEN, AND SCHAMERHORN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:251(B), relative to contract limitations for certain Department of Transportation and Development projects; to increase the contract limit from five hundred thousand dollars to one million dollars for certain construction, maintenance, or improvement projects; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

On motion of Rep. Wright, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 13—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MUSCARELLO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:1951(B)(2)(e), relative to the members of the South Tangipahoa Parish Port Commission; to change the name of the Hammond Chamber of Commerce to the Tangipahoa Chamber of Commerce; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

On motion of Rep. Wright, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 18—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE TARVER  
AN ACT

To designate a portion of Louisiana Highway 384 in Calcasieu Parish as the "Captain Brian Bourgeois Memorial Traffic Circle"; to designate a portion of Louisiana Highway 40 in Folsom, Louisiana, as the "Deputy Hilery Mayo Memorial Highway; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

### HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to Original House Bill No. 18 by Representative Tarver

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, after the semicolon ";" and before "and" insert "to designate a portion of Louisiana Highway 40 in Folsom, Louisiana, as the "Deputy Hilery Mayo Memorial Highway;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, between lines 7 and 8, insert the following:

"Section 2. The portion of Louisiana Highway 40 between Lee Road and Magee Road in Folsom, Louisiana, shall be known and is hereby designated as the "Deputy Hilery Mayo Memorial Highway"."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, at the beginning of line 8, change "Section 2." to "Section 3."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, at the end of line 9, change "this designation" to "these designations"

On motion of Rep. Wright, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Wright, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 28—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES CARRIER AND ROMERO  
AN ACT

To designate a portion of Louisiana Highway 383 in Jefferson Davis Parish as the "Sergeant Major William Arlen Marcantel Memorial Highway"; to designate a portion of Louisiana Highway 674 in Iberia Parish as the "Veterans Memorial Highway"; to redesignate a portion of Interstate 49 in St. Landry Parish as the "Hannah Lee Vincent Memorial Highway; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

### HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to Original House Bill No. 28 by Representative Carrier

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, after "Highway";" and before "and" insert "to designate a portion of Louisiana Highway 674 in Iberia Parish as the "Veterans Memorial Highway"; to redesignate a portion of Interstate 49 in St. Landry Parish as the "Hannah Lee Vincent Memorial Highway;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, between lines 8 and 9, insert the following:

"Section 2. The portion of Louisiana Highway 674 in Iberia Parish from Louisiana Highway 3212 to Highway 85 Patout Road shall be known and is hereby designated as the "Veterans Memorial Highway".

Section 3. The portion of Interstate 49 from mile marker fourteen to mile marker fifteen in St. Landry Parish shall be known and is hereby redesignated as the "Hannah Lee Vincent Memorial Highway"."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, at the beginning of line 9, change "Section 2." to "Section 4."

On motion of Rep. Wright, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Wright, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 50—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE WHEAT  
AN ACT

To designate a certain bridge in the highway system; to designate the bridge located on Interstate 55 service road between Lake Maurepas and Lake Pontchartrain as the "Robert E. Mayers, Jr. Memorial Bridge"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to Original House Bill No. 50 by Representative Wheat

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, after "E." and before the comma "," change "Meyers" to "Mayers"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 8, after "E." and before the comma "," change "Meyers" to "Mayers"

On motion of Rep. Wright, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Wright, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 57—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ORGERON  
AN ACT

To designate a portion of Louisiana Highway 657 in Larose, Louisiana, as the "Clarence Marts, Jr. Memorial Highway"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

On motion of Rep. Wright, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 73—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DUBUISSON  
AN ACT

To designate a portion of Louisiana Highway 433 in St. Tammany Parish as the "Captain Walter B. Abney Memorial Highway"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

On motion of Rep. Wright, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 407—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBERT OWEN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 2:2.1(A), (B)(1), (C), (D), and (F), relative to the Louisiana Drone Advisory Committee; to extend the existence of the Louisiana Drone Advisory Committee; to change the name of the Louisiana Drone Advisory Committee to the Louisiana Advanced Aviation and Drone Advisory Committee; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

On motion of Rep. Wright, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 532—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CHARLES OWEN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:490.9(B), 490.11(B), 490.13(B), 490.14(B), and 505(B)(2), relative to the office of motor vehicles; to remove fees and renewal requirements for certain military honor plates; to require notification of plate removals; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

On motion of Rep. Wright, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

**Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment**

April 12, 2023

To the honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Enrollment to submit the following report:

The following House Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 11—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUGHES  
A RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the House of Representatives upon the death of Lolita Althea Perez Dufauchard.

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## HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 12—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FREEMAN

### A RESOLUTION

To commend the Tulane University Green Wave football team on winning the 2023 Cotton Bowl Classic.

## HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 14—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HORTON AND HODGES

### A RESOLUTION

To recognize the month of June as Sanctity of Preborn Life Month in Louisiana.

## HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 15—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVIS

### A RESOLUTION

To commend the Louisiana Art & Science Museum (LASM) on the occasion of the twentieth anniversary of its Irene W. Pennington Planetarium.

Respectfully submitted,

STEPHANIE HILFERTY  
Chairwoman

The above House Resolutions contained in the report were signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the rules of the House.

## Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment

April 12, 2023

To the honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Enrollment to submit the following report:

The following House Concurrent Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

## HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BOURRIQUE, GOUDEAU, AND MIGUEZ AND SENATOR HENSGENS

### A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Wayne Touchet.

## HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BOURRIQUE AND SENATOR HENSGENS

### A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Mayor Mark Piazza of Abbeville on the occasion of his retirement from civil service.

## HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 14—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GAROFALO

### A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Lynn Blackwell Dean, former distinguished member of the Louisiana Senate.

Respectfully submitted,

STEPHANIE HILFERTY  
Chairwoman

The above House Concurrent Resolutions contained in the report were signed by the Speaker of the House and taken to the Senate by the Clerk of the House and were signed by the President of the Senate and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the rules of the House.

## Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Coussan, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Introduction of Resolutions, House and House Concurrent at this time.

## Introduction of Resolutions, House and House Concurrent

The following members introduced the following entitled House and House Concurrent Resolutions, which were read the first time by their titles and placed upon the calendar for their second reading:

## HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 20—

BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHEXNAYDER, ADAMS, AMEDEE, BACALA, BAGLEY, BEAULLIEU, BISHOP, BOURRIQUE, BOYD, BRASS, BROWN, BRYANT, BUTLER, CARPENTER, CARRIER, ROBBY CARTER, WILFORD CARTER, CORMIER, COUSSAN, COX, CREWS, DAVIS, DESHOTEL, DEVILLIER, DUBUISSON, ECHOLS, EDMONDS, EDMONSTON, EMERSON, FARNUM, FIRMENT, FISHER, FONTENOT, FREEMAN, FREIBERG, FRIEMAN, GADBERRY, GAINES, GAROFALO, GEYMAN, GLOVER, GOUDEAU, GREEN, HARRIS, HILFERTY, HODGES, HOLLIS, HORTON, HUGHES, HUVAL, ILLG, IVEY, JEFFERSON, JENKINS, MIKE JOHNSON, TRAVIS JOHNSON, JORDAN, KERNER, KNOX, LACOMBE, LAFLUR, LANDRY, LARVADAIN, LYONS, MACK, MAGEE, MARCELLE, MARINO, MCCORMICK, MCFARLAND, MCKNIGHT, MCMAHEN, MIGUEZ, DUSTIN MILLER, GREGORY MILLER, MINCEY, MOORE, MUSCARELLO, NELSON, NEWELL, ORGERON, CHARLES OWEN, ROBERT OWEN, PHELPS, PIERRE, PRESSLY, RISER, ROMERO, SCHAMERHORN, SCHLEGEL, SEABAUGH, SELDERS, ST. BLANC, STAGNI, STEFANSKI, TARVER, THOMAS, THOMPSON, TURNER, VILLIO, WHEAT, WHITE, WILLARD, WRIGHT, AND ZERINGUE

### A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Louisiana State University women's basketball team on winning the 2023 National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I women's basketball championship.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Coussan, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

## Adjournment

On motion of Rep. Thompson, at 3:25 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn until Thursday, April 13, 2023, at 3:00 P.M.

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned until 3:00 P.M., Thursday, April 13, 2023.

MICHELLE D. FONTENOT  
Clerk of the House

ANGELA S. SMITH  
Assistant Clerk of the House / Journal Clerk

## Committee Meeting Notices

The following committees posted notices as follows:

Committee on Appropriations

Will meet at: 9:00 a.m.

Date: Thursday, April 13, 2023

Location: Committee Room 5

Remarks:

Discussion for FY 23-24 Budget for:

LSU Health Care Services Division

Higher Education

Any person who does not feel comfortable giving testimony in person may submit a prepared statement in accordance with House Rule 14.33 in lieu of appearing before the committee:

A. 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.

B. Any person who files a prepared statement which contains data or statistical information shall include in such prepared statement sufficient information to identify the source of the data or statistical information. For the purposes of this Paragraph, the term "source" shall mean a publication, website, person, or other source from which the data or statistical information contained in the prepared statement was obtained by the person or persons who prepared the statement.

NOTE: Statements emailed to h-app@legis.la.gov and received prior to noon on April 12, 2023, will be distributed to the committee members prior to the meeting.

JEROME "ZEE" ZERINGUE  
Chairman

Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works

Will meet at: 10:00 a.m.

Date: Thursday, April 13, 2023

Location: Committee Room 3

Remarks:

- HB 201**    **MCCORMICK PORTS/HARBORS/TERMINALS** Provides relative to the boundaries of the Caddo-Bossier Port
- HB 390**    **ADAMS    TRANSPORTATION** Prohibits pedestrians from pushing carts on state highways
- HB 394**    **HILFERTY    MTR VEHICLE/LICEN PLATES** Establishes the "St. Mary's Dominican High School" special prestige license plate
- HB 501**    **HUVAL MTR VEHICLE/LICEN PLATES** Creates the "Electric Line Worker" specialty license plate
- HB 516**    **KERNER    MOTOR VEHICLES** Provides for placement of a special identification sticker or decal on a motor vehicle operated by a person with autism spectrum disorder or their guardian
- HB 520**    **CARRIER    MOTOR VEHICLES** Creates the "Utility Lineman" special prestige license plate
- HB 540**    **MIGUEZ    PORTS/HARBORS/TERMINALS** Establishes a port and harbor police force for ports meeting certain requirements
- HB 573**    **MC FARLAND PUBLIC CONTRACTS** Provides relative to prohibited provisions in certain public contracts

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NOTE: Statements emailed to h-thpw@legis.la.gov and received prior to noon on Wednesday, April 12, 2023, will be distributed to the committee members prior to the meeting.

MARK WRIGHT  
Chairman

Committee on Ways and Means

Will meet at: 10:00 a.m.

Date: Thursday, April 13, 2023

Location: Committee Room 6

Remarks:

- HB 285**    **TURNER    TAX INCREMENT FINANCING** Provides relative to the use of state sales tax increments in certain local tax increment financing initiatives
- HB 422**    **MARCELLE REVENUE DEPARTMENT** Limits the fees assessed by the office of debt recovery on delinquent debt that originates from certain criminal fines, fees, and costs
- HB 447**    **PIERRE REVENUE DEPARTMENT** Requires agency referrals of delinquent debt to the office of debt recovery for collection to include certain information
- HB 486**    **HILFERTY TAX/AD VALOREM-EXEMPTION** (Constitutional Amendment) Provides with respect to the applicability of the additional property tax exemptions for certain veterans with disabilities
- HB 500**    **HILFERTY TAX/AD VALOREM-EXEMPTION** Provides with respect to the applicability of the additional property tax exemptions for certain veterans with disabilities

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STUART J. BISHOP  
Chairman

**Weekly Committee Schedules**

The following committees posted weekly committee schedules as follows:

Committee on Insurance  
Thursday, April 20, 2023  
Committee Room 2  
9:30 a.m.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

- HB 110    FIRMENT INSURANCE/PROPERTY** Provides relative to fortified roof endorsements
- HB 113    WHITE, M HOUSING/AUTHORITIES** Provides relative to volunteer board members of certain interlocal risk management agencies
- HB 183    FIRMENT INSURANCE** Prohibits the assignment of certain benefits
- HB 281    GAROFALO INSURANCE** Provides relative to the Louisiana Automobile Theft and Insurance Fraud Prevention Authority
- HB 287    CORMIER INSURANCE/PROPERTY** Provides relative to insurance adjusters and property inspections
- HB 294    WILLARD INSURANCE/PROPERTY** Provides for certain insurance premium discounts
- HB 309    GAROFALO INSURANCE** Provides relative to fortified home and commercial standards
- HB 489    HUVAL    INSURANCE** Provides relative to ratemaking systems utilized by insurers and rate service organizations
- HB 604    GAROFALO INSURANCE** Provides for the appraisal process

OTHER BUSINESS:

Consideration and adoption of minutes of the 2022 Regular Session committee meetings held on March 23, April 6, April 12, April 13, April 19, April 27, May 3, May 4, May 11, May 17, and May 24.

Any person who does not feel comfortable giving testimony in person may submit a prepared statement in accordance with House Rule 14.33 in lieu of appearing before the committee:

A. 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 of such statement and the date and time thereof.

B. Any person who files a prepared statement which contains data or statistical information shall include in such prepared statement sufficient information to identify the source of the data or statistical information. For the purposes of this Paragraph, the term "source" shall mean a publication, website, person, or other source from which the data or statistical information contained in the prepared statement was obtained by the person or persons who prepared the statement.

NOTE: Statements emailed to h-ins@legis.la.gov and received prior to noon on Wednesday, April 19, 2023, will be distributed to the committee members prior to the meeting.

LEGISLATIVE INSTRUMENTS MAY BE DELETED (DOES NOT REQUIRE HOUSE RULES SUSPENSION) OR ADDED (REQUIRES HOUSE RULES SUSPENSION) PRIOR TO THE MEETING DATE. (HOUSE RULES 14.23 AND 14.24) SEE THE DAILY NOTICE OF COMMITTEE MEETINGS POSTED PRIOR TO MEETING DATE.

MIKE HUVAL  
Chairman