

HOUSE BILLS

Bill Info.	Caption	Committee/Chair
HB 365 11/09/20 Murr District 53 TRACK	Relating to liability arising from farm animals. COMPANION TO SB 1078 PASSED	Judiciary & Civil Jurisprudence Jeff Leach State Affairs Chris Paddie
HB 604 11/18/20 Noble District 89 PRIORITY	Relating to a microchip scan of animals in the custody of an animal shelter or releasing agency, including an animal rescue organization. "Mandatory Microchips" PASSED	County Affairs Garnet Coleman Local Government Paul Bettencourt
HB 1012 01/07/21 Dutton District 142 TRACK	Relating to access to a residence or former residence to retrieve certain personal property. PASSED	Juvenile Justice & Family Issues Victoria Neave Criminal Justice John Whitmire
HB 1071 01/12/21 Harris District 8 PRIORITY	Relating to the presence of a qualified facility dog or qualified therapy animal in certain court proceedings. "Courthouse Dogs" PASSED	Judiciary & Civil Jurisprudence Jeff Leach Criminal Justice John Whitmire

<p>HB 1259</p> <p>01/21/21 Darby District 72</p> <p>TRACK</p>	<p>Relating to the rural veterinarian incentive program.</p> <p>PASSED</p>	<p>Higher Education</p> <p>Jim Murphy</p> <hr/> <p>Higher Education</p> <p>Brandon Creighton</p>
<p>HB 1480</p> <p>01/29/21 Cyrier District 17</p> <p>PRIORITY</p>	<p>Relating to the protection of animal and crop facilities; creating a criminal offense.</p> <p>COMPANION TO SB 472</p> <p>“Ag Gag Bill”</p> <p>PASSED</p>	<p>Agriculture & Livestock</p> <p>DeWayne Burns</p> <hr/> <p>Water, Agriculture & Rural Affairs</p> <p>Charles Perry</p>
<p>HB 1560</p> <p>03/10/21 Goldman District 97</p> <p>PRIORITY</p>	<p>Relating to the continuation and functions of the Texas Department of Licensing and Regulation.</p> <p>COMPANION TO SB 714</p> <p>“TDLR Sunset Bill”</p> <p>PASSED</p>	<p>Licensing & Administrative Procedures</p> <p>Senfronia Thompson</p> <hr/> <p>Business & Commerce</p> <p>Kelly Hancock</p>
<p>HB 1677</p> <p>02/08/21 Holland District 33</p> <p>PRIORITY</p>	<p>Relating to the establishment of the Texas Police Service Animals Memorial Monument in the Capitol Complex</p> <p>“Texas Police Animal Monument”</p> <p>PASSED</p>	<p>Culture, Recreation & Tourism</p> <p>Ken King</p> <hr/> <p>Administration</p> <p>Charles Schwertner</p>

<p>HB 1699</p> <p>02/09/21 Raney District 14</p> <p>TRACK</p>	<p>Relating to the taking of unbanded pen-reared quail and pheasants by certain landowners.</p>	<p>Culture, Recreation & Tourism</p> <p>Ken King</p> <hr/> <p>Water, Agriculture & Rural Affairs</p> <p>Charles Perry</p>
<p>HB 1728</p> <p>02/09/21 Smithee District 86</p> <p>TRACK</p>	<p>Relating to partnerships between the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department and nonprofit entities to promote hunting and fishing by certain veterans.</p>	<p>Culture, Recreation & Tourism</p> <p>Ken King</p> <hr/> <p>Water, Agriculture & Rural Affairs</p> <p>Charles Perry</p>
<p>HB 1958</p> <p>02/19/21 González, Mary District 75</p> <p>TRACK</p>	<p>Relating to the regulation of livestock export-import processing facilities; creating a criminal offense</p>	<p>Agriculture & Livestock</p> <p>DeWayne Burns</p> <hr/> <p>Water, Agriculture & Rural Affairs</p> <p>Charles Perry</p>
<p>HB 2213</p> <p>02/24/21 Fullo District 84</p> <p>TRACK</p>	<p>Relating to the slaughter and processing of exotic animals for donation to a nonprofit food bank.</p>	<p>Public Health</p> <p>Stephanie Klick</p> <hr/> <p>Water, Agriculture & Rural Affairs</p> <p>Charles Perry</p>
<p>HB 2326</p> <p>02/25/21 Fullo District 84</p> <p>PRIORITY</p>	<p>Relating to the possession, transportation, and release of certain nonindigenous snakes; increasing a criminal penalty</p> <p>“Exotic Ownership”</p> <p>COMPANION TO SB 840</p> <p>PASSED</p>	<p>Culture, Recreation & Tourism</p> <p>Ken King</p> <hr/> <p>Administration</p> <p>Charles Schwertner</p> <hr/> <p>Water, Agriculture & Rural Affairs</p> <p>Charles Perry</p>

<p>HB 2850</p> <p>03/04/21 Kacal District 12</p> <p>TRACK</p>	<p>Relating to the liability of certain volunteers who provide veterinary care or treatment and certain confidential or privileged information related to veterinary care or treatment.</p> <p>PASSED</p>	<p>Agriculture & Livestock</p> <p>DeWayne Burns</p> <p>Water, Agriculture & Rural Affairs</p> <p>Charles Perry</p>
<p>HB 3081</p> <p>03/08/21 Krause District 93</p> <p>TRACK</p>	<p>Relating to the issuance of digital tags for the taking of certain animals.</p> <p>PASSED</p>	<p>Culture, Recreation & Tourism</p> <p>Ken King</p> <p>Water, Agriculture & Rural Affairs</p> <p>Charles Perry</p>
<p>HB 3132</p> <p>03/08/21 Smithee District 86</p> <p>TRACK</p>	<p>Relating to the performance of equine dentistry by students of equine dental provider certification programs.</p> <p>PASSED</p>	<p>Agriculture & Livestock</p> <p>DeWayne Burns</p> <p>Water, Agriculture & Rural Affairs</p> <p>Charles Perry</p>
<p>HB 3340</p> <p>03/09/21 Swanson District 150</p> <p>PRIORITY</p>	<p>Relating to the appeal of certain orders regarding dangerous dogs.</p> <p>“Dangerous Dogs”</p> <p>PASSED</p>	<p>Judiciary & Civil Jurisprudence</p> <p>Jeff Leach</p> <p>Local Government</p> <p>Paul Bettencourt</p>
<p>HB 3799</p> <p>03/11/21 Metcalf District 16</p> <p>TRACK</p>	<p>Relating to the exemption from sales and use taxes for items sold by a nonprofit organization at a county fair.</p> <p>PASSED</p>	<p>Ways & Means</p> <p>Morgan Meyer</p> <p>Finance</p> <p>Jane Nelson</p>

SENATE BILLS

Bill Info.	Caption	Committee/Chair
<p>SB 48</p> <p>11/09/20 Zaffirini District 21</p> <p>PRIORITY</p>	<p>Relating to conditions of community supervision for defendants convicted of certain criminal offenses involving animals.</p> <hr/> <p>“ALDF Possession Ban Bill”</p> <p>COMPANION TO HB 91</p> <p>PASSED</p>	<p>Criminal Justice</p> <p>John Whitmire</p> <hr/> <p>Corrections</p> <p>Andrew Murr</p>
<p>SB 197</p> <p>11/16/20 Nelson District 12</p> <p>PRIORITY</p>	<p>Relating to a sales and use tax exemption for animals adopted from or sold by nonprofit animal welfare organizations.</p> <hr/> <p>COMPANION TO HB 2510</p> <p>PASSED</p>	<p>Finance</p> <p>Jane Nelson</p> <hr/> <p>Ways & Means</p> <p>Morgan Meyer</p>
<p>SB 424</p> <p>01/25/21 Hinojosa District 49</p> <p>TRACK</p>	<p>Relating to state agency enforcement of laws regulating small businesses.</p> <hr/> <p>PASSED</p>	<p>Business & Commerce</p> <p>Kelly Hancock</p> <hr/> <p>State Affairs</p> <p>Chris Paddie</p>
<p>SB 675</p> <p>02/12/21 Kolkhorst District 18</p> <p>TRACK</p>	<p>Relating to special open season hunting of certain migratory game birds by veterans and members of the United States armed forces on active duty.</p> <hr/> <p>COMPANION TO HB 2040</p> <p>PASSED</p>	<p>Water, Agriculture & Rural Affairs</p> <p>Charles Perry</p> <hr/> <p>Culture, Recreation & Tourism</p> <p>Ken King</p>

<p>SB 700</p> <p>02/09/21 Buckingham, Hall, Lucio, Paxton Districts 24, 2, 27, 8</p> <p>TRACK</p>	<p>Relating to the continuation and functions of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.</p> <hr/> <p>COMPANION TO HB 1615</p> <p>PASSED</p>	<p>Natural Resources & Economic Development</p> <p>Brian Birdwell</p> <hr/> <p>Culture, Recreation & Tourism</p> <p>Ken King</p>
<p>SB 705</p> <p>02/26/21 Lucio, Buckingham, Hall, Paxton Districts 27, 24, 2 & 8</p> <p>TRACK</p>	<p>Relating to the continuation and functions of the Texas Animal Health Commission.</p> <hr/> <p>PASSED</p>	<p>Water, Agriculture & Rural Affairs</p> <p>Charles Perry</p> <hr/> <p>Agriculture & Livestock</p> <p>DeWayne Burns</p>
<p>SB 1997</p> <p>03/12/21 Springer District 30</p> <p>TRACK</p>	<p>Relating to the control of diseases of swine.</p> <hr/> <p>PASSED</p>	<p>Water, Agriculture & Rural Affairs</p> <p>Charles Perry</p> <hr/> <p>Agriculture & Livestock</p> <p>DeWayne Burns</p>