

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

COMMITTEE: Homeland Security, Public Safety & Veterans' Affairs

TIME & DATE: 10:45 AM, Monday, April 14, 2025

PLACE: E2.010

CHAIR: Rep. Cole Hefner

The length of public testimony and the number of witnesses may be limited at the discretion of the chair.

HB 259 Hayes | et al.
Relating to the prohibition of short-barrel firearms.

HB 1128 Isaac | et al.
Relating to the applicability to election judges of a prohibition on the carrying of a concealed handgun at a polling place.

HB 1337 Isaac | et al.
Relating to the recognition of a handgun license issued by another state.

HB 1506 Ashby
Relating to the issuance of a license to carry a handgun to certain retired county court judges.

HB 1794 Tepper | et al.
Relating to the carrying of concealed handguns by handgun license holders on the premises of a polling place on the day of an election or while early voting is in progress.

HB 2215 LaHood
Relating to the carrying or possession of a handgun by certain retired attorneys representing the state.

HB 2470 Virdell | et al.
Relating to the age at which a person not otherwise prohibited by state or federal law from possessing a firearm may carry a handgun or is eligible for a license to carry a handgun.

HB 2771 Hayes | et al.
Relating to the possession of a firearm by persons convicted of certain felony offenses.

HB 2882 Isaac
Relating to the definition of short-barrel firearm for purposes of certain criminal offenses.

HB 2993 Guillen
Relating to the carrying of a handgun by a county commissioner in certain locations.

HB 3053 Virdell | et al.
Relating to municipal and county firearm buyback programs.

HB 3428 Tinderholt
Relating to the required notice regarding the possession of a firearm on the premises of certain businesses; providing an administrative penalty.

HB 3669 Guillen
Relating to the definition of firearm for purposes of certain criminal offenses.

HB 3789 Hefner
Relating to the issuance of a license to carry a handgun to certain active and retired judicial officers.

HB 3924 Slawson
Relating to the open carrying of a handgun by a uniformed school marshal.

HB 4201 Schatzline
Relating to the locations where a handgun license holder may carry a handgun.

HB 4675 Hefner
Relating to the unlawful possession of a firearm by a person not lawfully present in the United States.

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