

AGENDA

House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs

Thursday, April 9, 2026

Committee Room 6

9:00 a.m.

Chair: Foy Bryan Gadberry
Vice Chair: Barbara Reich Freiberg

Staff: Tina Righteous, attorney
Blake Byrom, analyst
Jairelle Ross, committee administrative assistant
Sarah Baker, committee assistant

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL

III. DISCUSSION OF LEGISLATION

_____	HB 136	ILLG	CIVIL SERVICE/FIRE & POL Provides relative to the classified police service in the city of Harahan
_____	HB 150	BOURRIAQUE	LOCAL GOVERNMENT Authorizes Cameron Parish to establish a local insurance program
_____	HB 204	MCKIN	LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR Provides for monthly financial reports to the Louisiana Legislative Auditor from certain East Baton Rouge Parish agencies
_____	HB 273	FREIBERG	TAX/SALES-USE, LOCAL Repeals authority of certain parishes to distribute sales and use tax revenue collected on admission tickets to certain events
_____	HB 376	KERNER	CIVIL SERVICE/FIRE & POL Provides relative to provisional appointments in the classified service
_____	HB 377	KERNER	CIVIL SERVICE/FIRE & POL Provides relative to the pay range for the state examiner and deputy state examiner of the municipal fire and police civil service
_____	HB 415	DEWITT	MUNICIPAL Requires certain training for certain local officials
_____	HB 431	CARLSON	MUNICIPAL Requires certain training for certain local officials

_____	HB 444	MARCELLE	DISTRICTS/RECREATION Provides relative to the Recreation and Park Commission for the Parish of East Baton Rouge
_____	HB 450	KERNER	CIVIL SERVICE/FIRE & POL Provides relative to points awarded to veterans in competitive fire and police civil service employment
_____	HB 530	BERAULT	LOCAL GOVERNMENT (Constitutional Amendment) Provides for home rule charter or plan of government provisions affecting certain parish officials and school boards
_____	HB 664	LACOMBE	LOCAL GOVT/ORDINANCES Provides relative to maximum penalties imposed for violations of parish ordinances
_____	HB 822	NEWELL	DISTRICTS/ECONOMIC DEVEL Provides relative to nonprofit entities that appoint members to the board of commissioners of certain economic development districts
_____	HB 864	KNOX	HIGHWAYS Establishes a fire limit to prohibit the storage of flammable materials above ground beneath certain structures owned and operated by the state or municipality
_____	HB 867	LACOMBE	LOCAL OFFL/POLICE CHIEFS Provides for an appointed chief of police in the town of Fordoche
_____	HB 1068	VILLIO	PUBLIC CONTRACT/BIDS Provides relative to contracts for garbage collection in parishes and municipalities

IV. OTHER BUSINESS

V. ANNOUNCEMENTS

VI. ADJOURNMENT

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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