

**AGENDA**

**House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs**

Thursday, April 24, 2014

Committee Room 6

Upon Adjournment

Chairman: Austin J. Badon, Jr.  
Vice Chairman: Robert E. Billiot

Staff: Tina Righteous, Committee Attorney  
Valarie Banks, Committee Secretary  
Renita McKnight, Committee Clerk  
David Gauthier, Central Staff Legislative Analyst

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL

III. DISCUSSION OF LEGISLATION

_____	<b>HB 425</b>	<b>ANDERS</b>	<b>DISTRICTS/TAXING</b> Creates the Vidalia Tourism Development District
_____	<b>HB 699</b>	<b>CROMER</b>	<b>OFFICIAL JOURNALS</b> Relative to the qualifications a newspaper must meet in order to be selected to publish the official proceedings, legal notices, and advertisements of a political subdivision
_____	<b>HB 789</b>	<b>MORENO</b>	<b>LOCAL GOVT/ORDINANCES</b> Provides relative to penalties imposed for the violation of ordinances in the city of New Orleans
_____	<b>HB 1210</b>	<b>MORENO</b>	<b>TAX/LOCAL</b> Authorizes the parish of Orleans to levy a sales tax on tobacco products sold in the parish
_____	<b>HB 992</b>	<b>ROBIDEAUX</b>	<b>LEASES</b> Provides an exemption from the Louisiana Public Lease Law for lease or other alienation of certain property in Lafayette Parish
_____	<b>HB 1083</b>	<b>BROSSETT</b>	<b>TAX/LOCAL</b> Authorizes the governing authority of the city of New Orleans to levy an additional hotel occupancy tax
_____	<b>HB 1144</b>	<b>BROSSETT</b>	<b>HOUSING</b> Provides relative to fees charged by the La. Housing Corporation
_____	<b>HB 1093</b>	<b>ARNOLD</b>	<b>DISTRICTS/TAXING</b> Authorizes certain development districts that receive TIF funding from a municipality to provide for an audit of related financial activities of the municipality and other entities that provide such funding

_____	<b>HB 1097</b>	<b>NORTON</b>	<b>TAX/SALES-USE, LOCAL</b> Provides relative to the levy of an additional sales and use tax within the city of Shreveport
_____	<b>HB 1164</b>	<b>JACKSON</b>	<b>LOCAL FINANCE</b> Provides relative to fiscal administrators, including provisions for their powers and duties and prohibition of retroactive application of certain provisions of law relative to fiscal administrators
_____	<b>HB 1191</b>	<b>BURRELL</b>	<b>TAX/HOTEL OCCUPANCY</b> Authorizes the Shreveport-Bossier Convention and Tourist Bureau to levy and collect an additional hotel occupancy tax within the jurisdiction of the bureau
_____	<b>HB 1212</b>	<b>JAMES</b>	<b>MUNICIPAL/INCORPORATION</b> Provides relative to the election on a question of municipal incorporation
_____	<b>SB 59</b>	<b>SMITH, JOHN</b>	<b>LOCAL AGENCIES</b> Repeals special provisions relative to the Beauregard Electric Cooperative. (gov sig)
_____	<b>SB 174</b>	<b>PETERSON</b>	<b>MUNICIPALITIES</b> Provides relative to condemnation procedures for the removal of dangerous structures in parishes and municipalities. (gov sig)
_____	<b>SB 624</b>	<b>KOSTELKA</b>	<b>TAX/SALES</b> Authorizes by population certain municipalities to levy a sales tax not to exceed one percent. (gov sig)

IV. OTHER BUSINESS

V. ANNOUNCEMENTS

VI. ADJOURNMENT

PLEASE SUBMIT A WITNESS CARD TO THE SECRETARY BEFORE THE MEETING BEGINS IF YOU WANT TO TESTIFY BEFORE THE COMMITTEE.