

SWAD Mock Committee Hearing Bill Guide

The last SWAD event of the day will be a Mock Committee Hearing from 1:45 - 4:00pm. At this time, you will have the opportunity to give a two-minute testimony in front of a mock committee curated just for SWAD. There will be 5 bills to choose from to testify on, but you can only choose one, so pick the one which interests you the most! In the morning there will be a sign up table outside of the LBJ auditorium to sign up to testify in front of the committee. Be sure you write whether your testimony will be opposing, supporting or staying neutral on your bill of choice.

Below, we have the bill options you can testify on from the 89th legislative session. You can only choose from these 5. Under the description, the bill text and bill summary will be hyperlinked. Click the hyperlinks to access them. The bill text is the language of the bill and the summary is a quick overview to help you understand what the bill accomplishes at first glance. If you don't see a bill summary (e.g, social work compact and paid practicum bill), it is because the bill was not passed. Feel free to check out the Texas Legislature Online website and type in the bill if you would like any additional information. Sign-ups usually fill up fast, so be sure you don't miss out. Don't forget to limit your testimony to 2 minutes. Last of all, HAVE FUN!

SB8 (892) - Requiring certain single-sex multiple-occupancy spaces in public facilities.

- [Bill Text](#)
- [Bill Summary](#)

HB 3503 (89R) -Relating to the Social Work Licensure Compact; authorizing fees.

- [Bill Text](#)

SB 153 (89R) - Relating to establishing a social work recruitment and retention program administered by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board.

- [Bill Text](#)

SB8 (89R) - Relating to agreements between certain sheriffs and the United States Immigration and Customs Enforcement to enforce federal immigration law and a grant program to cover the costs of implementing those agreements.

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SB 379 (89R) -Relating to prohibiting the purchase of sweetened drinks and candy under the supplemental nutrition assistance program.

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