

House Members Statement on Legislative Session

As members of the Texas House of Representatives, we believe that, because each member is elected by Texans in individual districts to represent their interests, each member and the views of his or her constituents should be respected. As such, every member must be allowed to participate in a legislative process that is fair, inclusive, respectful, and honors the independence of its members.

Because Speaker Joe Straus has repeatedly ensured a fair process and insists that members represent the interests of their constituents, we proudly support Speaker Joe Straus for another term as Speaker in the 84th Regular Session.

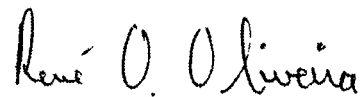
We believe that Texans do not want a Legislature that is divided and paralyzed like Congress in Washington, D.C. While we realize that we will disagree on approaches to solving the important issues impacting our state, we pledge to work in a bipartisan way to find common ground wherever possible. We believe that Speaker Straus has a proven record of promoting bipartisanship whenever possible, and that through his fair leadership the sanctity of each member representing his or her district's interests will be preserved.



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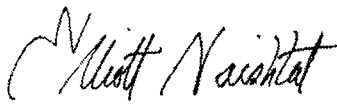
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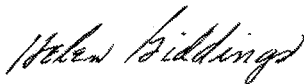
Sylvester Turner



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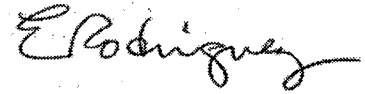
Roberto Alonzo



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Armando "Mando" Martinez




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Ana Hernandez



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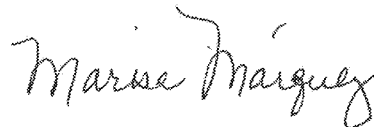
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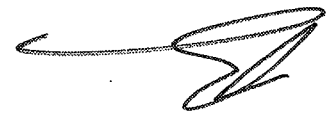
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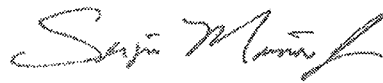
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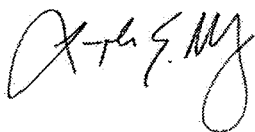
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Sergio Muñoz, Jr



Ron Reynolds



Joe Moody



Chris Turner



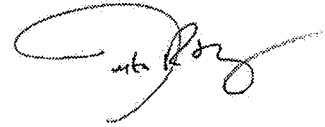
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Mary Gonzalez



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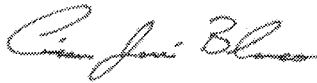
Terry Canales



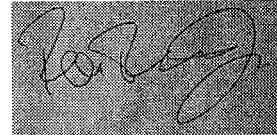
Poncho Nevarez



Celia Israel



Cesar Blanco



Ramon Romero