



## LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD

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Jerry McGinty  
Director, Legislative Budget Board  
Robert E. Johnson Building, Fifth Floor  
1501 North Congress  
Austin, Texas 78701

Dear Mr. McGinty,

Pursuant to Texas Government Code, Section 316.004, you are directed to hold a public hearing to solicit testimony before December 1, 2024, regarding the proposed items of information and the methodology used in making the calculations to establish the Article VIII constitutional tax spending limit on appropriations from tax revenue not dedicated by the Constitution and the Government Code Chapter 316 statutory consolidated general revenue spending limit for the 2026-27 biennium.

Prior to the hearing, pursuant to Texas Government Code, Section 316.003, publish the proposed items of information and the methodology in the *Texas Register*. Upon conclusion of the hearing, please report testimony to the Board for our consideration.

Respectfully,

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Dan Patrick  
Lieutenant Governor  
Joint Chair, Legislative Budget Board

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Dade Phelan".

Dade Phelan  
Speaker of the House  
Joint Chair, Legislative Budget Board