

North Central Texas Council of Governments ■ Emergency Preparedness Department

UAS Working Group Meeting Agenda Six Flags Conference Room

May 18, 2023 - 1:30 PM to 3:30 PM

Welcome and Introductions

Discussion Items

- Open position, Co-Chair
- REPAC UAS Rep: Lee Richardson and Scott Eckstein
- UAS SB & HB. See attachment.
- Florida Senate Committee Meeting sUAS
 https://www.youtube.com/watch?app=desktop&v=XTcD1bWCjXI&feature=youtu.be&fbclid=IwAR2EINLSyDH2QbwhhWIWEs
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- New FAA Interpretation on Governmental Functions for PAO UAS https://www.faa.gov/sites/faa.gov/files/Fields%20-%202023%20Reconsideration%20of%20Legal%20Interpret
- Training needs for 2023 and 2024
- SHSP Ideas: UAS Training
- Recurrent test for 107 training. Go to https://www.faasafety.gov/ and take the [Part 107 Small UAS recurrent](https://www.faasafety.gov/gslac/ALC/CourseLanding.aspx...) training.
- Global Public Safety UAS/ Drone Program Registration https://survey123.arcgis.com/share/45e877dcd417474686e51b749d5cab02
- Global Public Safety UAS Programs
 https://droneresponders.maps.arcgis.com/apps/dashboards/5dd2710f19e24703823789eb9c2a7b70

Updates

- NTXPSURT Updates: (Training and Missions)
- Other Updates/Announcements Open to group

Upcoming Training

NTXPSURT Training
https://www.unmannedtacticalgroup.com/
Part 107 Ground School
First Responder UAS Operations

TBD

Aug 14 and 15. Aug 16 to 18

Next Meeting: July 20, 2023 1:30 to 3:30 PM

State	Bill	Sponsor	Status	Last Action	Introduced	Purpose	Link
Texas	HB 1516	Rep. Terry Wilson (R)	Referred to Defense & Veterans' Affairs	3-Mar- 23	23-Jan-23	Relating to the use of unmanned aircraft by the Texas military forces.	https://legiscan.com/TX/bill/HB1516/2023
Texas	HB 2159	Rep. Giovanni Capriglione (R)	Referred to State Affairs	9-Mar- 23	10-Feb-23	Relating to the prosecution of the criminal offense of operation of an unmanned aircraft over certain facilities.	https://legiscan.com/TX/bill/HB2159/2023
Texas	HB 2206	Rep. Jared Patterson (R)	Referred to State Affairs	9-Mar- 23	13-Feb-23	Relating to a prohibition of certain social media platforms developed or provided by certain foreign entities.	https://legiscan.com/TX/bill/HB2206/2023
Texas	HB 2365	Rep. Charlie Geren (R)	Referred to State Affairs	9-Mar- 23	15-Feb-23	Relating to the operation of an unmanned aircraft over an airport or military installation; creating a criminal offense.	https://legiscan.com/TX/bill/HB2365/2023
Texas	HB 2425	Rep. Carrie Isaac (R)	Referred to State Affairs	13- Mar-23	16-Feb-23	Relating to a prohibition on governmental contracts with Chinese companies.	https://legiscan.com/TX/bill/HB2425/2023
Texas	HB 2758	Rep. Dennis Paul (R)	Referred to State Affairs	13- Mar-23	23-Feb-23	Relating to a prohibition on state contracts with certain foreign companies or organizations; authorizing a civil penalty.	https://legiscan.com/TX/bill/HB2758/2023
Texas	HB 3075	Rep. Kyle Kacal (R)	Referred to Corrections	14- Mar-23	1-Mar-23	Relating to the operation of an unmanned aircraft over a correctional facility or detention facility; creating a criminal offense.	https://legiscan.com/TX/bill/HB3075/2023
Texas	HB 3489	Rep. Barbara Gervin- Hawkins (D)	Referred to Culture, Recreation & Tourism	16- Mar-23	3-Mar-23	Relating to the use of an unmanned aircraft to locate and retrieve wounded or killed wildlife.	https://legiscan.com/TX/bill/HB3489/2023
Texas	HB 4102	Rep. Ryan Guillen (D)	Filed	8-Mar- 23	8-Mar-23	Relating to prohibiting the acquisition or use of certain unmanned aircraft by a governmental entity.	https://legiscan.com/TX/bill/HB4102/2023
Texas	HB 4249	Rep. Eddie Morales (D)	Filed	8-Mar- 23	8-Mar-23	Relating to a law enforcement agency's use of deadly force by means of a drone.	https://legiscan.com/TX/bill/HB4249/2023
Texas	HB 4737	Rep. Tony Tinderholt (R)	Filed	10- Mar-23	10-Mar-23	Relating to prohibiting the acquisition and use of certain unmanned aircraft by a governmental entity.	https://legiscan.com/TX/bill/HB4737/2023

Texas	SB 423	Sen. Angela Paxton (R)	Left Pending in Committee	16- Mar-23	12-Jan-23	Allows for Texas military forces to capture images with drones	https://legiscan.com/TX/bill/SB423/2023
Texas	SB 541	Sen. Donna Campbell (R)	Left Pending in Committee	14- Mar-23	20-Jan-23	Relating to the barring of certain vendors from participation in certain contracts with the state or a political subdivision.	https://legiscan.com/TX/bill/SB541/2023
Texas	SB 1308	Sen. Kelly Hancock (R)	Scheduled for Public Hearing on March 21, 9:00 AM	21- Mar-23	28-Feb-23	Relating to the operation of an unmanned aircraft over an airport or military installation; creating a criminal offense.	https://legiscan.com/TX/bill/SB1308/2023
Texas	SB 1899	Sen. Brian Birdwell (R)	Filed	8-Mar- 23	8-Mar-23	Relating to a law enforcement agency's use of deadly force by means of a drone.	https://legiscan.com/TX/bill/SB1899/2023
Texas	SB 1986	Sen. Bryan Hughes (R)	Filed	8-Mar- 23	8-Mar-23	Relating to prohibiting the acquisition or use of certain unmanned aircraft by a governmental entity.	https://legiscan.com/TX/bill/SB1986/2023
Texas	SB 2405	Sen. Charles Creighton (R)	Filed	10- Mar-23	10-Mar-23	Relating to state contracts with Chinese companies and investments in Chinese companies and certain companies doing business with China; authorizing a civil penalty.	https://legiscan.com/TX/bill/SB2405/2023
Texas	SB 2484	Sen. Angela Paxton (R)	Filed	10- Mar-23	10-Mar-23	Relating to prohibiting contracts or other agreements involving the receipt of certain tax incentives by certain foreignowned companies.	https://legiscan.com/TX/bill/SB2484/2023