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Commissioner Sergio “Chico” Rodriguez Testifies Before County Affairs Committee at Texas State Capitol

Bexar County Commissioner Sergio “Chico” Rodriguez joined Commissioner Tommy Adkisson in Austin to testify before the Texas House of Representatives County Affairs Committee in support of HB 2023 filed by Representative Ruth Jones McClendon. This bill would bring authority to Bexar County to address exceptionally loud noise that exceeds 85 decibels between the hours of 10:00pm and 6:00am. Currently counties do not have statutory authority to control noise pollution in the unincorporated areas.

Commissioner Rodriguez and Commissioner Adkisson also provided testimony in support and HB 1132 filed by Representative Lyle Larson that would shorten the time permitted a land and property owner for the abatement of public nuisance.

“Currently, my precinct is the largest in square mileage and every year my precinct experiences exponential growth,” said County Commissioner Sergio “Chico” Rodriguez. “Whether I attend a neighborhood meeting or am just working in the office, the issue of noise and a resident’s inability to get the matter resolved is becoming a priority issue for the quality of life of our residents and businesses.”

