

ORDINANCE AND RESOLUTION FACT SHEET

CADDO PARISH COMMISSION

TITLE	
Resolution No. 14 _____ of 2022 A RESOLUTION URGING AND REQUESTING THE LOUISIANA LEGISLATURE TO MODIFY LA R.S. 42:17.1 TO ALLOW UNLIMITED AGENDA ITEMS DURING MEETINGS OF PUBLIC BODIES HELD VIA ELECTRONIC MEANS, AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO	
DATE: 1/27/2022	ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT: Legal for Commissioner Jackson
BACKGROUND INFORMATION	
Currently, the exception for electronic meetings in the open meetings law limits the items which can be placed on a public bodies' agenda. If the legislature changed the law as requested in the resolution, any item could be taken up by a public body meeting electronically under the statutory exception.	
FINANCIAL IMPACT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING	
None	
EFFECT(S) OF PROPOSED ACTION	
Passage of the resolution in will send the request to the state legislature.	
ALTERNATIVES/STAFF RECOMMENDATION	
Staff has no recommendation.	
KEY STAFF CONTACT	
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