

Hello Everyone,

Two years ago, we traveled as a group to Austin for the Jewish Communities Day at the State to advocate for the anti-BDS legislation that was being debated. That event was a huge success, and the BDS bill passed in both houses.

This January 30, we again will travel to Austin as a Jewish Community together with other Jewish organizations for the Day at the State with our friends from Dallas, Houston, San Antonio and Austin to meet with elected officials.

The day is slated to begin at 9:30 am and end at 3:30 pm. The cost is \$18 per person, which will include a kosher lunch. Transportation is available from Houston and Dallas.

The plan is that we will meet with the Governor, Lt. Governor, and Speaker of the House, as well as in small groups with influential legislators. Our primary advocacy issues are support for Israel, investment in local social services and access to high-quality early learning for all children.

Pre-Registration is Required. Please share with interested friends in your community and call or email with any questions. Thank you.

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Join with Jewish Leaders from around Texas for a

Day at the State

Jewish Communities Day at the State: Legislative Mission to Austin

Wednesday, January 30, 2019

9:30 AM—3:30 PM • Texas State Capitol

\$18 (includes kosher lunch)

The morning will begin at the Historic Supreme Courtroom for legislative briefings and meetings.

- Meeting with the Governor*, Lt. Governor* and Speaker of the House*

*Invited



In the afternoon, meet in small groups with influential legislators.

Important issues will include:

- Disaster Response
- Support for Israel
- Support for social services
- Quality Early Childhood Learning Opportunities

Transportation from Houston

- Optional bus transportation will be provided for participants travelling from the ERJCC, 5601 S. Braeswood (\$18).
- Bus will depart at promptly at 6 am please arrive by 5:45 am and return by 6:30 pm

Register at houstonjewish.org/dayatthestate

Day at the State Community Partners

