

“Need to Know”

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<p>Governor Abbott on DeWayne Burns: “You need to know what his record is... He joined with a bunch of Democrats... increasing property taxes.”</p>	<p>Twitter, 2/21/2024</p>
<p>Abbott told Burns directly: “I don’t trust you on... any issue.</p>	<p>Twitter, 2/17/2024</p>
<p>Abbott: “You masquerade as a Republican but... vote with Democrats.”</p>	<p>Twitter, 2/17/2024</p>
<p>Abbott: “You need to know what his record is - and that is...”</p>	<p>Twitter, 2/21/2024</p>
<p>Burns blocked education freedom and is soft on crime.</p>	<p>“The Texas House on Friday voted to strip school vouchers from the chamber’s massive education funding bill, taking an ax to Gov. Greg Abbott’s top legislative priority of the year. “The House voted 84-63 in favor of an amendment offered by Rep. John Raney, R-College Station, which removed the provision of the bill allowing some parents to use tax dollars to send their children to private and religious schools. Twenty-one Republicans, most of whom represent rural districts, joined all Democrats in support. “They are:... DeWayne Burns of Cleburne.” (The Texas Tribune, 11/16/2023)</p> <p><i>HB 905 was sponsored by Texas Rep. Joe Moody, a Democrat: HB 905 Fiscal Note, 3/6/2023; The Texas Tribune, “Joe Moody” <i>DeWayne Burns Vote for HB 905: Texas House Journal, 5/5/2023</i></i></p> <p>“H.B. 905 amends the Code of Criminal Procedure to require the judge of the court</p>

in which a defendant is convicted to give credit on the defendant's sentence for the time that the defendant spent confined in jail or prison for another case if that confinement occurred after the commission of the offense for which the defendant is convicted and before the date of the defendant's sentencing.” ([HB 905 Bill Analysis](#), 9/1/2023)

“While the fiscal implications cannot be determined, the bill may result in reduced demands upon local correctional resources due to a possible decrease in the number of individuals placed and the amount of time spent under supervision in the community or sentenced to a term of confinement.” ([HB 905 Fiscal Note](#), 3/6/2023)