Civil Rights and Voting in Tennessee

The Tennessee Advisory Committee to the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights is hosting a series of public, online panel discussions regarding the “on the ground” perspectives on SB 8005, research perspectives on voting restrictions passed during or before the COVID-19 pandemic, and its impact on voting rights in the state.

Discussion Themes:
May 11, 2022—On the Ground Perspectives on SB 8005
May 25, 2022—Background & Context on Voting Access in TN

The Committee will accept written testimony submitted to vmoreno@usccr.gov by for thirty days following each briefing. Members of the public are encouraged, but not required, to register to provide public comment at: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/LHZ2WRZ.

Spanish language interpretation will be available at (866) 269-4260, confirmation code: 2687875. People who are deaf, deaf-blind, or hard of hearing may also follow the proceedings by first calling the Federal Relay Service at (800) 877-8339 and providing the Service with the above listed conference details. Individuals requiring other accommodations should contact the Regional Programs Coordination Unit at (434) 515-0204 five (5) business days prior to the meeting to make their request.

The Committee will issue findings and recommendations to the Commission after all testimony has been received.

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