

Report to State 2018 in Austin, TX.

Theme: Scouting Across Texas! Celebrate the anniversary of the Scouting movement at the 69th annual Boy Scout Parade and Report to the State of Texas. Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, Varsity Scouts, Venturers, Sea Scouts, Explorers, and STEM Scouts from all over Texas will march up Congress Avenue to the Capitol. Scout Delegates from each council in Texas are seated in the House of Representatives and report to a member of the state government about Scouting accomplishments in their council from the past year.

Option 1: Delegate for \$120

Who: 20 Delegates from Rio Grande Council consisting of 4 registered scouters per district (Tip-O-Tex, Arroyo, Arrowhead, Rio Bravo) and 4 from OA plus 2 Adults. Delegates are approved by Council.

What: Transportation will be via Chartered Bus for \$120 per Delegate and Adult Delegate. Youth delegates will receive: Hotel breakfast, commemorative RTS patch, a Report to State cap and an electronic copy of the RTS Group Photo. Delegates and Non-Delegates will walk in the parade down Congress Avenue to the Capitol. Delegate Adult will receive the hotel breakfast and commemorative RTS patch. A total of 3 meals are included in the fees plus a visit to the Bob Bullock Museum and a short movie in the Texas Spirit Theater while at the museum.

Option 2: Non-Delegate for \$95 per person

Who: Any registered Scout, Venturer, Explorer, Sea Scout, Crew, Post from the Rio Grande Council plus 3 Registered Adults

What: Transportation will be via Chartered Bus for \$90 per Non-Delegate and Adult Non-Delegate. Non-Delegates will receive: Commemorative RTS patch. Non-Delegates will walk in the parade down Congress Avenue to the Capitol. Non-Delegate Adults will receive a commemorative RTS patch. A total of 3 meals are included in the fees plus a tour of the Capitol, a visit to the Bob Bullock Museum and a short movie in the Texas Spirit Theater while at the museum

When: Saturday, Feb. 3, 2018 in Austin, TX leaving 12 midnight and returning the same day at 10:30 pm

Itinerary for Saturday, February 3, 2017:

- 12:00 am Depart from Scout Office, Harlingen in Chartered Bus
- 6:00 am Arrive in Austin
- 7:00 am Delegate Breakfast at Stephen F. Austin Intercontinental Hotel, 701 Congress Ave, Austin
Non-Delegates will have breakfast (TBD)
- 8:30 am Line up for Parade
- 9:00 am Parade Steps Off
- 9:30 am Scout Spirit Rally (South Steps of Capitol)
- 9:30 am Eagle Recommitment Ceremony (South Steps of Capitol)
- 10:00 am Delegates and Non-Delegates enter through Capitol Security
- 10:00 am Youth Delegates enter to House Chamber (arm bands only). Non-Delegates will line up to take guided tour of the Capitol.
- 10:40 am Report to State begins with Delegates
- 11:00 am Non-Delegates exit Capitol and explore Capital grounds then walk to restaurant for lunch.
- 11:30 am Delegate Group Photo in House Representative Chamber (Youth Delegates only)

12:01 pm Delegate Report to State Concludes (approximate time). Group Photos will be emailed to Delegation Leader who will distribute to delegates at a later date.

12:10 pm Delegates walk to restaurant for Lunch

1:00 pm Non-Delegates and Delegates go to Bob Bullock Museum <https://www.thestoryoftexas.com/>

4:00 pm All depart Austin

7:30 pm Cici's Pizza at 5 Points at 4101 Five Points Road (361)241-2467

10:30 pm Arrive in Harlingen

All times are subject to change