

REQUEST:

Can you and your team put together a map of the TMC that shows what buildings would be exempt under the proposed legislation? The original request for this information came from the office of Representative Zerwas.

RESPONSE:

At this time, the TMC72 team was unable to identify all TMC area buildings that would definitely be exempt from the “campus carry” legislation before the Texas legislature. We have, however, identified and mapped buildings that would most likely not be exempt. All other buildings in the vicinity would, or could elect to be, exempt.

Attempts to work with Campus and local police departments, as well the Harris County District Attorney’s office, on this subject, proved unsuccessful. They declined to answer because the legislation had not yet been implemented. They also stated that, even if the legislation became law, they could not answer these questions over the telephone for security reasons.

A map of buildings in the TMC area that would not be exempt is attached to this response. It was constructed using an interactive Google Maps application. This map is also available through the Google Maps site: <https://www.google.com/maps/d/edit?hl=en&authuser=0&mid=z9qjWTVRtrzw.kLrx05iAl8zI> . It has been saved in a format that allows editing by the Institute for Health Policy team, as needed. This map can be updated and modified as more information about the campus carry law and TMC exemptions is received.