

HB 2079 -- SALES TAX EXEMPTION FOR FOOD

SPONSOR: Keathley

Under the provisions of this bill, beginning August 28, 2026, there will be no state sales or use tax on retail food.

Beginning January 1, 2027, the rate of local sales and use tax on retail food will be annually reduced in four equal increments over a period of four years.

Beginning January 1, 2031, there will be no local sales or use tax on retail food.

This bill is similar to HB 345 (2025); HB 2055 (2024); and SB 1062 (2024).