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House Chambers
State Capitol

House convened at 1:00 p.m. Mr. Speaker presiding. Invocation by Representative Skees. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Roll Call. All members present, except Representatives Nave and Running Wolf, excused. Quorum present.

BILLS (Hinkle, Chair): 1/14/2021
Correctly printed: **HB 23, HB 29, HB 55, HB 58, HB 81, HB 88, HB 102, HB 155, HB 156, HB 157.**
Correctly engrossed: **HB 21, HB 77.**
Transmitted to the Senate: **HB 23, HB 102.**

Representative Garner arose on a **Point of Personal Privilege** in recognition of Maverick Bench, a 9-year-old from Kila, Montana, who lost his life to a rare condition called Aplastic Anemia. Maverick's courage and strength brought together a community that stretched across Montana.

Speaker Galt ordered the House to stand for a moment of silence.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

APPROPRIATIONS (Jones, Chair): 1/13/2021
HB 21, introduced bill, be amended as follows:

1. Title, line 6.
Following: "FUND;"
Insert: "AMENDING TERMS OF LOANS;"

2. Page 4, line 4.
Strike: "95%"
Insert: "90%"

3. Page 4, line 5.
Following: "is"
Strike: "0.5% less than"

And, as amended, do pass. Report adopted.

HB 62, do pass. Report adopted.
HB 96, do pass. Report adopted.

EDUCATION (Berglee, Chair): 1/13/2021
HB 33, do pass. Report adopted.

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HB 68, do pass. Report adopted.

TRANSPORTATION (Loge, Chair):

1/13/2021

HB 77, introduced bill, be amended as follows:

1. Page 3, line 20.

Following: the first "trailer"

Insert: ", or the front bunk on a pole trailer,"

2. Page 3, line 21.

Strike: "Front overhang may not exceed 6 feet."

3. Page 16, line 12.

Following: "vehicle"

Insert: "or combination of vehicles having a gross weight of more than 10,000 pounds"

And, as amended, do pass. Report adopted.

HB 83, introduced bill, be amended as follows:

1. Page 9, line 28 through page 10, line 1.

Following: "the" on line 28

Strike: remainder of line 28 through "standard" on page 10, line 1

Insert: "NFPA 1192 standard on recreational vehicles"

2. Page 18, line 12.

Strike: "45"

Insert: "46"

3. Page 18, line 13.

Following: "vehicle;"

Insert: "and"

4. Page 18, line 14.

Strike: subsection (c) in its entirety

Renumber: subsequent subsection

5. Page 20, line 14.

Strike: "that is 20 years old or older"

Insert: "with a 2010 model year or earlier"

6. Page 20.

Following: line 14

Insert: "(b) a motor vehicle with a 2011 model year or later that is 20 years old or older;"

Renumber: subsequent subsections

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And, as amended, do pass. Report adopted.

HB 133, do pass. Report adopted.

FIRST READING AND COMMITMENT OF BILLS

The following House bill was introduced, read first time, and referred to committee:

HB 158, introduced by C. Hinkle, F. Anderson, B. Beard, S. Berglee, M. Binkley, M. Blasdel, K. Bogner, L. Brewster, B. Brown, P. Fielder, G. Frazer, S. Galloway, W. Galt, B. Gillespie, J. Gillette, S. Gist, C. Glimm, S. Gunderson, E. Hill, J. Hinkle, M. Hopkins, C. Knudsen, R. Knudsen, D. Lenz, B. Ler, D. Loge, T. Manzella, R. Marshall, B. Mitchell, B. Molnar, T. Moore, M. Noland, J. Patelis, B. Phalen, J. Read, A. Regier, V. Ricci, L. Sheldon-Galloway, D. Skees, J. Trebas, B. Tschida, K. Zolnikov, referred to State Administration.

HB 159, introduced by L. Jones, D. Bedey, F. Garner, K. Holmlund, D. Loge, M. Regier, referred to State Administration.

HB 160, introduced by S. Kerns, F. Anderson, B. Beard, M. Bertoglio, J. Carlson, J. Dooling, P. Fielder, R. Fitzgerald, G. Frazer, J. Fuller, S. Galloway, G. Hertz, D. Kary, D. Lenz, B. Ler, D. Loge, R. Marshall, T. McGillvray, B. Mitchell, J. Patelis, J. Read, A. Regier, K. Regier, K. Seekins-Crowe, D. Skees, J. Trebas, B. Tschida, B. Usher, referred to Fish, Wildlife and Parks.

**SECOND READING OF BILLS
(COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE)**

Majority Leader Vinton moved the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for consideration of business on second reading. Motion carried. Representative Sheldon-Galloway in the chair.

Mr. Speaker: We, your Committee of the Whole, having had under consideration business on second reading, recommend as follows:

HB 28 - Representative Fleming moved **HB 28** do pass.

HB 28 - Representative Fleming moved **HB 28**, second reading copy, be amended as follows:

1. Title, line 7.

Following: "COUNCIL;"

Strike: "AND"

Following: "MCA"

Insert: "; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE"

2. Page 2.

Following: line 12

Insert: "NEW SECTION. Section 3. Effective date. [This act] is effective July 1, 2021."

Amendment adopted as follows:

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Total 99

Nays: Duram.
Total 1

Voted absentee: Nave, Running Wolf, Aye.

Excused: Nave, Running Wolf.
Total 2

Absent or not voting: None.
Total 0

HB 28 - Representative Fleming moved **HB 28**, as amended, do pass. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Abbott, Anderson, Bartel, Bedey, Berglee, Bertoglio, Binkley, Bishop, Brewster, Buckley, Buttrey, Caferro, Carlson, Curdy, Custer, Dooling, Dunwell, Farris-Olsen, Fern, Fielder, Fitzgerald, Fleming, France, Frazer, Fuller, Funk, Garner, Gillette, Greef, Gunderson, Hamilton, Harvey, Hawk, Hayman, Hinkle C, Hinkle J, Holmlund, Hopkins, Jones, Karjala, Kassmier, Keane, Kelker, Keogh, Kerns, Kerr-Carpenter, Knudsen C, Knudsen R, Kortum, Lenz, Ler, Malone, Marler, Marshall, Mitchell, Moore, Nave, Novak, Olsen, Patelis, Phalen, Putnam, Regier A, Regier M, Running Wolf, Schillinger, Sheldon-Galloway, Skees, Stafman, Stromswold, Sullivan, Tenenbaum, Thane, Trebas, Tschida, Usher, Walsh, Welch, Whiteman Pena, Whitman, Zolnikov, Mr. Speaker.
Total 82

Nays: Beard, Duram, Galloway, Gist, Hill, Loge, McKamey, Mercer, Noland, Read, Reksten, Ricci, Seekins-Crowe, Smith, Stewart Peregoy, Vinton, Weatherwax, Windy Boy.
Total 18

Voted absentee: Nave, Running Wolf, Aye.

Excused: Nave, Running Wolf.
Total 2

Absent or not voting: None.
Total 0

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Majority Leader Vinton moved the Committee rise and report. Motion carried. Committee arose. House resumed. Mr. Speaker presiding. Chair Sheldon-Galloway moved the Committee of the Whole report be adopted. Report adopted as follows:

Yeas: Abbott, Anderson, Bartel, Beard, Bedey, Berglee, Bertoglio, Binkley, Bishop, Brewster, Buckley, Buttrey, Caferro, Carlson, Curdy, Custer, Dooling, Dunwell, Duram, Farris-Olsen, Fern, Fielder, Fitzgerald, Fleming, France, Frazer, Fuller, Funk, Galloway, Garner, Gillette, Gist, Greef, Gunderson, Hamilton, Harvey, Hawk, Hayman, Hill, Hinkle C, Hinkle J, Holmlund, Hopkins, Karjala, Kassmier, Keane, Kelker, Keogh, Kerns, Kerr-Carpenter, Knudsen C, Knudsen R, Kortum, Lenz, Ler, Loge, Malone, Marler, Marshall, McKamey, Mercer, Mitchell, Moore, Noland, Novak, Olsen, Patelis, Phalen, Putnam, Read, Regier A, Regier M, Reksten, Ricci, Schillinger, Seekins-Crowe, Sheldon-Galloway, Skees, Smith, Stafman, Stewart Peregoy, Stromswold, Sullivan, Tenenbaum, Thane, Trebas, Tschida, Usher, Vinton, Walsh, Weatherwax, Welch, Whiteman Pena, Whitman, Windy Boy, Zolnikov, Mr. Speaker.

Total 97

Nays: None.

Total 0

Voted absentee: None.

Excused: Nave, Running Wolf.

Total 2

Absent or not voting: Jones.

Total 1

THIRD READING OF BILLS

The following bills having been read three several times, title and history agreed to, were disposed of in the following manner:

HB 23 passed as follows:

Yeas: Abbott, Anderson, Bartel, Beard, Bedey, Berglee, Bertoglio, Binkley, Bishop, Brewster, Buckley, Buttrey, Caferro, Carlson, Curdy, Custer, Dooling, Dunwell, Duram, Farris-Olsen, Fern, Fielder, Fitzgerald, Fleming, France, Frazer, Fuller, Funk, Galloway, Garner, Gillette, Gist, Greef, Gunderson, Hamilton, Harvey, Hawk, Hayman, Hill, Hinkle C, Hinkle J, Holmlund, Hopkins, Jones, Karjala, Kassmier, Keane, Kelker, Keogh, Kerns, Kerr-Carpenter, Knudsen C, Knudsen R, Kortum, Lenz, Ler, Loge, Malone, Marler, Marshall, McKamey, Mercer, Mitchell, Moore, Noland, Novak, Olsen, Patelis, Phalen, Putnam, Read, Regier A, Regier M, Reksten, Ricci, Schillinger, Seekins-Crowe, Sheldon-Galloway, Skees, Smith, Stafman, Stewart Peregoy, Stromswold, Sullivan, Tenenbaum, Thane, Trebas, Tschida, Usher, Vinton, Walsh, Weatherwax, Welch, Whiteman Pena, Whitman, Windy Boy, Zolnikov, Mr. Speaker.

Total 98

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Nays: None.

Total 0

Voted absentee: None.

Excused: Nave, Running Wolf.

Total 2

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

HB 102 passed as follows:

Yeas: Anderson, Bartel, Beard, Bedey, Berglee, Bertoglio, Binkley, Brewster, Buttrey, Carlson, Custer, Dooling, Duram, Fielder, Fitzgerald, Fleming, Frazer, Fuller, Galloway, Garner, Gillette, Gist, Greef, Gunderson, Hill, Hinkle C, Hinkle J, Holmlund, Hopkins, Jones, Kassmier, Kerns, Knudsen C, Knudsen R, Lenz, Ler, Loge, Malone, Marshall, McKamey, Mercer, Mitchell, Moore, Noland, Patelis, Phalen, Putnam, Read, Regier A, Regier M, Reksten, Ricci, Schillinger, Seekins-Crowe, Sheldon-Galloway, Skees, Stromswold, Trebas, Tschida, Usher, Vinton, Walsh, Welch, Whitman, Zolnikov, Mr. Speaker.

Total 66

Nays: Abbott, Bishop, Buckley, Caferro, Curdy, Dunwell, Farris-Olsen, Fern, France, Funk, Hamilton, Harvey, Hawk, Hayman, Karjala, Keane, Kelker, Keogh, Kerr-Carpenter, Kortum, Marler, Novak, Olsen, Smith, Stafman, Sullivan, Tenenbaum, Thane, Weatherwax, Whiteman Pena, Windy Boy.

Total 31

Voted absentee: None.

Excused: Nave, Running Wolf.

Total 2

Absent or not voting: Stewart Peregoy.

Total 1

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Mr. Speaker, I move that the following undersigned name be **ADDED** as sponsor to **HB 157**.
Motion carried.

HB 157 (R. Marshall, Chief Sponsor)
D. Harvey.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Committee meetings were announced by the committee chairs.

Majority Leader Vinton moved the House adjourn until 1:00 p.m., Friday, January 15, 2021. Motion carried.

House adjourned at 1:36 p.m.

CAROLYN TSCHIDA
Chief Clerk of the House

WYLIE GALT
Speaker of the House