

**HOUSE JOURNAL  
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THIRTY-SECOND LEGISLATIVE DAY**

Helena, Montana  
February 14, 2023

House Chambers  
State Capitol

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

Roll Call. All members present, except Representatives Oblander and F. Smith, excused, Representative Weatherwax, absent. Quorum present.

**BILLS** (C. Hinkle, Chair):

02/14/2023

Correctly printed: **HB 16, HB 29, HB 37, HB 118, HB 309, HB 316, HB 321, HB 334, HB 475, HB 476, HB 477, HB 478, HB 479, HB 480, HB 481, HB 482, HB 483, HB 484, HB 485, HB 486, HB 487, HB 488, HB 489, HB 490, HB 491, HB 492, SB 134, SB 135, SB 136.**

Correctly engrossed: **HB 128, HB 379.**

Transmitted to the Senate: **HB 16, HB 29, HB 37, HB 118, HB 309, HB 316, HB 334.**

**SPECIAL ORDERS OF THE DAY**

Speaker Regier moved the House revert to Order of Business #11, Special Orders of the Day, for the purpose of receiving a proclamation.

Sergeant-at-Arms Murfitt escorted the 2023 Youth of the Year into the Chamber.

Majority Leader Vinton addressed the House: I am honored today to present a joint proclamation of the Montana Legislature honoring the Boys and Girls Club 2023 Youth of the Year:

**A JOINT PROCLAMATION OF THE MONTANA LEGISLATURE**

**WHEREAS**, There are Boys & Girls Clubs in 17 communities in the State of Montana providing services to over 13,000 youth each year, including Malmstrom Air Force Base and Native American Reservations; and

**WHEREAS**, Since opening doors in Billings on February 4, 1971 the Boys and Girls Clubs of Montana strive to enable all young people, especially those in the most need, to realize their full potential as productive, caring and responsible citizens; and

**WHEREAS**, Since 1947, Youth of the Year has been Boys and Girls Clubs of America's premier recognition program, celebrating the achievements of club members. Each year one exceptional club member is selected to be the National Youth of the Year. The National Youth of the Year serves as both an exemplary ambassador for Boys and Girls Club youth, and as a strong voice for all our nation's young people; and

**WHEREAS**, Being named Youth of the Year is the highest honor a Boys and Girls Club member can receive. The journey to being named National Youth of the Year begins locally and progresses to the state, regional and national levels. To achieve the title of Youth of the Year on any level, club members must embody the values of: leadership and service, academic excellence, and healthy lifestyles. They should exemplify the critical impact that Boys and Girls Clubs have on the lives of young people.

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**WHEREAS**, It is fitting that our outstanding young people and the organizations that support them are recognized for making Montana a better place, so in this year of 2023, we honor the following young persons who have made an indelible impression on their communities. Our Montana Youths of the Year are:

***Bayleigh Ruff, Boys & Girls Club of Yellowstone County***  
***Braden Rolfe, Boys and Girls Club of the Flathead Reservation & Lake County***  
***Sarah Faulk, Malmstrom Air Force Base Youth Program***

**THEREFORE**, be it resolved that the Legislature of the State of Montana recognizes and commends the Boys and Girls Clubs of Montana and congratulates the young people who have been named Youth of the Year. We thank all the people involved who have contributed selflessly to their communities, served as role models, and committed themselves to doing more for our state. We extend to the awardees our best wishes for success and hope the Boys and Girls Clubs continue their fine work shaping the lives of Montanans.

Sergeant-at-Arms Murfitt escorted the honored guests from the House Chamber.

### REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

**BUSINESS AND LABOR** (Buttrey, Chair): 02/14/2023  
**HB 128**, introduced bill, be amended with [HB0128.001.001](#) and as amended, do pass. Report adopted.  
**HB 358**, introduced bill, be amended with [HB0358.001.004](#) and as amended, do pass. Report adopted.  
**HB 379**, introduced bill, be amended with [HB0379.001.001](#) and as amended, do pass. Report adopted.

### MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

**Senate bills** passed and transmitted to the House for concurrence: 02/10/2023

**SB 60**, introduced by R. Tempel  
**SB 190**, introduced by F. Mandeville  
**SB 201**, introduced by G. Hertz  
**SB 215**, introduced by S. Fitzpatrick  
**SB 219**, introduced by W. Curdy  
**SB 220**, introduced by C. Glimm

**House bills** concurred in and returned to the House: 02/10/2023

**HB 133**, introduced by R. Miner

**FIRST READING AND COMMITMENT OF BILLS**

The following House bills were introduced, read first time, and referred to committees:

**HB 492**, introduced by K. Zolnikov, D. Zolnikov, referred to Energy, Technology and Federal Relations.

**HB 493**, introduced by J. Dooling, J. Carlson, referred to State Administration.

**HB 494**, introduced by J. Hamilton, J. Cohenour, D. Fern, J. Karlen, referred to Taxation.

**HB 495**, introduced by L. Sheldon-Galloway, referred to State Administration.

**HB 496**, introduced by K. Walsh, F. Anderson, R. Marshall, G. Oblander, T. Welch, referred to Taxation.

**HB 497**, introduced by F. Anderson, T. Brockman, S. Essmann, J. Etchart, J. Fitzpatrick, P. Green, J. Hinkle, S. Kerns, D. Loge, R. Marshall, G. Oblander, A. Regier, W. Rusk, K. Walsh, M. Yakawich, K. Zolnikov, referred to Taxation.

**HB 498**, introduced by E. Kerr-Carpenter, M. Binkley, L. Bishop, A. Buckley, J. Gillette, D. Harvey, D. Hawk, M. Yakawich, W. McKamey, referred to Human Services.

**HB 499**, introduced by E. Kerr-Carpenter, J. Small, referred to Business and Labor.

**HB 500**, introduced by K. Seekins-Crowe, referred to Judiciary.

**HB 501**, introduced by K. Seekins-Crowe, referred to Education.

**HB 502**, introduced by K. Seekins-Crowe, referred to Education.

**HB 503**, introduced by N. Hastings, K. Seekins-Crowe, referred to Education.

**HB 504**, introduced by N. Hastings, K. Seekins-Crowe, referred to Education.

**HB 505**, introduced by N. Nicol, J. Karlen, C. Friedel, referred to Business and Labor.

**HB 506**, introduced by N. Nicol, C. Friedel, referred to Business and Labor.

**HB 507**, introduced by E. Stafman, G. Frazer, L. Smith, M. Yakawich, referred to Human Services.

**HB 508**, introduced by J. Hinkle, F. Anderson, L. Brewster, L. Deming, S. Essmann, J. Etchart, P. Fielder, R. Fitzgerald, J. Gillette, P. Green, C. Hinkle, M. Hopkins, S. Kerns, G. Kmetz, C. Knudsen, M. Malone, R. Marshall, G. Oblander, A. Regier, T. Welch, K. Zolnikov, B. Brown, M. Cuffe, J. Ellsworth, C. Friedel, referred to Taxation.

**HB 509**, introduced by S. Kerns, P. Fielder, S. Gunderson, R. Marshall, B. Mitchell, N. Nicol, J. Read, T. Smith, K. Zolnikov, C. Friedel, D. Zolnikov, referred to Human Services.

**HB 510**, introduced by K. Kortum, C. Sprunger, referred to State Administration.

**HB 511**, introduced by D. Harvey, K. Abbott, L. Bishop, A. Buckley, D. Hawk, S. Howell, E. Kerr-Carpenter, J. Lynch, E. Matthews, T. Running Wolf, K. Sullivan, E. Boldman, P. Flowers, R. Lynch, S. Morigeau, referred to State Administration.

**HB 512**, introduced by B. Mercer, referred to Judiciary.

**HB 513**, introduced by J. Carlson, referred to Human Services.

**HB 514**, introduced by M. Romano, referred to Education.

**HB 515**, introduced by J. Carlson, referred to Taxation.

The following Senate bills were introduced, read first time, and referred to committees:

**SB 8**, introduced by S. O'Brien (by request of the Education Interim Committee), referred to Education.

**SB 12**, introduced by R. Lynch (by request of the Law and Justice Interim Committee), referred to Judiciary.

**SB 17**, introduced by J. Welborn (by request of the Water Policy Interim Committee), referred to Natural Resources.

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- SB 23**, introduced by J. Trebas (by request of the Department of Revenue), referred to Local Government.
- SB 29**, introduced by W. McKamey (by request of the State Administration and Veterans' Affairs Interim Committee), referred to State Administration.
- SB 30**, introduced by W. McKamey (by request of the Commissioner of Political Practices), referred to State Administration.
- SB 32**, introduced by M. Cuffe (by request of the Department of Public Service Regulation), referred to Energy, Technology and Federal Relations.
- SB 33**, introduced by M. Cuffe (by request of the Department of Public Service Regulation), referred to Energy, Technology and Federal Relations.
- SB 37**, introduced by G. Hertz (by request of the Department of Livestock), referred to Agriculture.
- SB 43**, introduced by W. Curdy (by request of the Department of Natural Resources and Conservation), referred to Natural Resources.
- SB 48**, introduced by C. Pope (by request of the Department of Environmental Quality), referred to Natural Resources.
- SB 56**, introduced by E. McClafferty (by request of the State Administration and Veteran Affairs Interim Committee), referred to State Administration.
- SB 58**, introduced by S. Hinebauch (by request of the Department of Fish, Wildlife, and Parks), referred to Fish, Wildlife and Parks.
- SB 59**, introduced by S. Fitzpatrick (by request of the Department of Revenue), referred to Business and Labor.
- SB 61**, introduced by J. Ellis (by request of the Commissioner of Political Practices), referred to State Administration.
- SB 63**, introduced by D. Zolnikov (by request of the Department of Revenue), referred to Business and Labor.
- SB 66**, introduced by M. Fox (by request of the Department of Military Affairs), referred to State Administration.
- SB 67**, introduced by T. McGillvray (by request of the Department of Justice), referred to Human Services.
- SB 71**, introduced by D. Salomon (by request of the Department of Livestock), referred to Agriculture.
- SB 74**, introduced by W. McKamey (by request of the Public Employees' Retirement Board), referred to State Administration.
- SB 75**, introduced by S. Fitzpatrick (by request of the Department of Revenue), referred to Business and Labor.
- SB 76**, introduced by E. McClafferty (by request of the Department of Fish, Wildlife, and Parks), referred to Fish, Wildlife and Parks.
- SB 77**, introduced by S. Morigeau (by request of the Montana Districting and Apportionment Commission), referred to State Administration.
- SB 78**, introduced by B. Gillespie (by request of the Livestock Loss Board), referred to Agriculture.
- SB 84**, introduced by B. Brown (by request of the Department of Fish, Wildlife, and Parks), referred to Fish, Wildlife and Parks.
- SB 85**, introduced by M. Lang (by request of the Department of Fish, Wildlife, and Parks), referred to Fish, Wildlife and Parks.
- SB 86**, introduced by S. Morigeau (by request of the Montana Districting and Apportionment Commission), referred to State Administration.
- SB 88**, introduced by W. Curdy (by request of the Department of Fish, Wildlife, and Parks), referred to Fish, Wildlife and Parks.

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**SB 89**, introduced by R. Lynch (by request of the Criminal Justice Oversight Council), referred to Judiciary.

**SB 112**, introduced by T. McGillvray, referred to Human Services.

**SB 113**, introduced by D. Lenz, referred to Human Services.

**SB 130**, introduced by F. Mandeville, M. Dunwell, C. Friedel, G. Hertz, J. Trebas, D. Zolnikov, referred to Local Government.

**SB 131**, introduced by F. Mandeville, C. Friedel, G. Hertz, J. Trebas, D. Zolnikov, referred to Local Government.

**SB 207**, introduced by B. Brown, referred to Natural Resources.

**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. Speaker Regier in the chair.

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

**HB 245** - Majority Leader Vinton moved **HB 245** do pass. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Abbott, Anderson, Barker, Baum, Bedey, Bergstrom, Bertoglio, Binkley, Bishop, Brewster, Brockman, Buckley, Butcher, Buttrey, Caferro, Carlson, Carter, Cohenour, Deming, Dooling, Duram, Essmann, Etchart, Fern, Fielder, Fitzgerald, Fitzpatrick, France, Frazer, Galloway, Gist, Green, Gunderson, Harvey, Hastings, Hawk, Hopkins, Howell, Jones, Karlen, Kassmier, Keogh, Kerns, Kerr-Carpenter, Kmetz, Knudsen C, Knudsen R, Kortum, Ler, Loge, Lynch, Malone, Marler, Marshall, Matthews, Miner, Mitchell, Nave, Nicol, Nikolakakos, Oblander, Parry, Phalen, Read, Regier A, Reksten, Romano, Running Wolf, Rusk, Seekins-Crowe, Sheldon-Galloway, Smith F, Smith L, Smith T, Sprunger, Stafman, Stewart Peregoy, Sullivan, Thane, Tuss, Vinton, Walsh, Welch, Windy Boy, Wirth, Yakawich, Zephyr, Zolnikov, Mr. Speaker.

Total 89

Nays: Falk, Gillette, Hamilton, Hellegaard, Hinkle C, Hinkle J, Keenan, Mercer, Moore T, Schillinger.

Total 10

Voted absentee: Oblander, Smith F, Aye.

Excused: Oblander, Smith F.

Total 2

Absent or not voting: Weatherwax.

Total 1

**HB 114** - Majority Leader Vinton moved **HB 114** do pass. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Abbott, Anderson, Barker, Baum, Bedey, Bergstrom, Bertoglio, Binkley, Bishop, Brewster, Brockman, Buckley, Butcher, Buttrey, Caferro, Carlson, Carter, Cohenour, Deming, Dooling, Duram, Essmann, Etchart, Falk, Fern, Fielder, Fitzgerald, Fitzpatrick, France, Frazer, Galloway,

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Total 99

Nays: None.  
Total 0

Voted absentee: Oblander, Smith F, Aye.

Excused: Oblander, Smith F.  
Total 2

Absent or not voting: Weatherwax.  
Total 1

**HB 242** - Representative Buttrey moved **HB 242** do pass. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Abbott, Barker, Baum, Bedey, Bergstrom, Bertoglio, Binkley, Bishop, Brockman, Buckley, Buttrey, Carlson, Carter, Cohenour, Deming, Dooling, Essmann, Etchart, Fern, Fitzgerald, Fitzpatrick, Frazer, Gillette, Gist, Green, Hamilton, Harvey, Hastings, Hawk, Hopkins, Howell, Jones, Karlen, Kassmier, Keogh, Kerr-Carpenter, Knudsen C, Knudsen R, Loge, Lynch, Malone, Marler, Marshall, Matthews, Mercer, Miner, Mitchell, Moore T, Nave, Nikolakakos, Oblander, Parry, Phalen, Read, Regier A, Reksten, Romano, Running Wolf, Rusk, Seekins-Crowe, Smith L, Sprunger, Stafman, Stewart Peregoy, Thane, Tuss, Vinton, Walsh, Welch, Yakawich, Zephyr, Zolnikov, Mr. Speaker.  
Total 73

Nays: Anderson, Brewster, Butcher, Caferro, Duram, Falk, Fielder, France, Galloway, Gunderson, Hellegaard, Hinkle C, Hinkle J, Keenan, Kerns, Kmetz, Kortum, Ler, Nicol, Schillinger, Sheldon-Galloway, Smith F, Smith T, Sullivan, Windy Boy, Wirth.  
Total 26

Voted absentee: Oblander, Aye; Smith F, No.

Excused: Oblander, Smith F.  
Total 2

Absent or not voting: Weatherwax.  
Total 1

**HB 276** - Representative Malone moved **HB 276** do pass. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Abbott, Anderson, Barker, Baum, Bedey, Bergstrom, Bertoglio, Binkley, Bishop, Brewster, Brockman, Buckley, Butcher, Buttrey, Caferro, Carter, Cohenour, Deming, Dooling, Duram, Essmann, Fern, Fielder, Fitzgerald, Fitzpatrick, France, Frazer, Gillette, Gist, Green, Gunderson,

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Total 87

Nays: Carlson, Falk, Galloway, Hinkle C, Hinkle J, Keenan, Knudsen R, Moore T, Regier A, Schillinger, Sheldon-Galloway.

Total 11

Voted absentee: Oblander, Smith F, Aye.

Excused: Oblander, Smith F.

Total 2

Absent or not voting: Etchart, Weatherwax.

Total 2

**HB 314** - Representative Brockman moved **HB 314** do pass. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Abbott, Anderson, Barker, Baum, Bedey, Bergstrom, Bertoglio, Binkley, Bishop, Brewster, Buckley, Butcher, Buttrey, Caferro, Carter, Cohenour, Deming, Dooling, Duram, Essmann, Etchart, Falk, Fern, Fielder, Fitzgerald, Fitzpatrick, France, Frazer, Galloway, Gist, Green, Gunderson, Hamilton, Harvey, Hastings, Hawk, Hellegaard, Hinkle C, Hinkle J, Hopkins, Howell, Jones, Karlen, Kassmier, Keogh, Kerns, Kerr-Carpenter, Kmetz, Knudsen C, Knudsen R, Kortum, Ler, Loge, Lynch, Malone, Marler, Marshall, Matthews, Mercer, Miner, Mitchell, Moore T, Nicol, Nikolakakos, Oblander, Parry, Phalen, Read, Regier A, Reksten, Romano, Running Wolf, Rusk, Seekins-Crowe, Sheldon-Galloway, Smith F, Smith L, Smith T, Sprunger, Stafman, Stewart Peregoy, Sullivan, Thane, Tuss, Vinton, Walsh, Welch, Windy Boy, Wirth, Yakawich, Zephyr, Zolnikov, Mr. Speaker.

Total 93

Nays: Carlson, Gillette, Keenan, Nave, Schillinger.

Total 5

Voted absentee: Oblander, Smith F, Aye.

Excused: Oblander, Smith F.

Total 2

Absent or not voting: Brockman, Weatherwax.

Total 2

**HB 325** - Representative Hellegaard moved **HB 325** do pass. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Anderson, Barker, Baum, Bedey, Bergstrom, Bertoglio, Binkley, Brewster, Brockman, Butcher, Buttrey, Carlson, Deming, Dooling, Duram, Essmann, Etchart, Falk, Fern, Fielder, Fitzgerald, Fitzpatrick, Frazer, Galloway, Gillette, Gist, Green, Gunderson, Hastings, Hawk,

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Total 77

Nays: Abbott, Bishop, Buckley, Caferro, Carter, Cohenour, France, Hamilton, Harvey, Howell, Keogh, Kortum, Lynch, Marler, Matthews, Romano, Running Wolf, Smith F, Stafman, Stewart Peregoy, Windy Boy, Zephyr.

Total 22

Voted absentee: Oblander, Aye; Smith F, No.

Excused: Oblander, Smith F.

Total 2

Absent or not voting: Weatherwax.

Total 1

**HB 343** - Representative Brockman moved **HB 343** do pass. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Abbott, Anderson, Barker, Baum, Bedey, Bergstrom, Bertoglio, Binkley, Bishop, Brewster, Brockman, Buckley, Butcher, Buttrey, Caferro, Carlson, Carter, Cohenour, Deming, Dooling, Duram, Essmann, Etchart, Falk, Fern, Fielder, Fitzgerald, Fitzpatrick, France, Frazer, Galloway, Gillette, Gist, Green, Gunderson, Hamilton, Harvey, Hastings, Hawk, Hellegaard, Hinkle C, Hinkle J, Hopkins, Howell, Jones, Karlen, Keogh, Kerns, Kerr-Carpenter, Kmetz, Knudsen C, Knudsen R, Kortum, Ler, Loge, Lynch, Malone, Marler, Marshall, Matthews, Miner, Mitchell, Moore T, Nave, Nicol, Nikolakakos, Oblander, Parry, Phalen, Read, Regier A, Reksten, Romano, Running Wolf, Rusk, Schillinger, Seekins-Crowe, Smith F, Smith L, Sprunger, Stafman, Stewart Peregoy, Sullivan, Thane, Tuss, Vinton, Walsh, Welch, Windy Boy, Wirth, Yakawich, Zephyr, Zolnikov, Mr. Speaker.

Total 94

Nays: Keenan, Sheldon-Galloway, Smith T.

Total 3

Voted absentee: Oblander, Smith F, Aye.

Excused: Oblander, Smith F.

Total 2

Absent or not voting: Kassmier, Mercer, Weatherwax.

Total 3

**HB 345** - Representative Hamilton moved **HB 345** do pass. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Abbott, Anderson, Barker, Baum, Bedey, Bergstrom, Bertoglio, Binkley, Bishop, Brewster, Brockman, Buckley, Butcher, Buttrey, Caferro, Carlson, Carter, Cohenour, Deming, Dooling, Duram, Essmann, Etchart, Falk, Fern, Fielder, Fitzgerald, Fitzpatrick, France, Frazer, Galloway,



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Total 97

Nays: Gillette, Keenan.  
Total 2

Voted absentee: Oblander, Smith F, Aye.

Excused: Oblander, Smith F.  
Total 2

Absent or not voting: Weatherwax.  
Total 1

**HB 348** - Representative Walsh moved **HB 348** do pass. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Abbott, Anderson, Barker, Baum, Bedey, Bergstrom, Bertoglio, Binkley, Bishop, Brewster, Brockman, Buckley, Butcher, Buttrey, Caferro, Carlson, Carter, Cohenour, Deming, Dooling, Duram, Essmann, Etchart, Falk, Fern, Fielder, Fitzgerald, Fitzpatrick, France, Frazer, Galloway, Gillette, Gist, Green, Gunderson, Hamilton, Harvey, Hastings, Hawk, Hellegaard, Hinkle C, Hinkle J, Hopkins, Howell, Jones, Karlen, Kassmier, Keenan, Keogh, Kerns, Kerr-Carpenter, Kmetz, Knudsen C, Knudsen R, Kortum, Ler, Loge, Lynch, Malone, Marler, Marshall, Matthews, Mercer, Miner, Mitchell, Moore T, Nave, Nicol, Nikolakakos, Oblander, Parry, Phalen, Read, Regier A, Reksten, Romano, Running Wolf, Rusk, Schillinger, Seekins-Crowe, Sheldon-Galloway, Smith F, Smith L, Smith T, Sprunger, Stafman, Stewart Peregoy, Sullivan, Thane, Tuss, Vinton, Walsh, Welch, Windy Boy, Wirth, Yakawich, Zephyr, Zolnikov, Mr. Speaker.  
Total 99

Nays: None.  
Total 0

Voted absentee: Oblander, Smith F, Aye.

Excused: Oblander, Smith F.  
Total 2

Absent or not voting: Weatherwax.  
Total 1

**HB 353** - Representative Carlson moved **HB 353** do pass. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Abbott, Anderson, Barker, Baum, Bedey, Bergstrom, Bertoglio, Binkley, Bishop, Brewster, Brockman, Buckley, Butcher, Buttrey, Caferro, Carlson, Carter, Cohenour, Deming, Dooling, Duram, Essmann, Etchart, Falk, Fern, Fielder, Fitzgerald, Fitzpatrick, France, Frazer, Galloway,

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Total 99

Nays: None.

Total 0

Voted absentee: Oblander, Smith F, Aye.

Excused: Oblander, Smith F.

Total 2

Absent or not voting: Weatherwax.

Total 1

**HB 366** - Representative Hawk moved **HB 366** do pass. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Anderson, Barker, Baum, Bedey, Bergstrom, Bertoglio, Binkley, Bishop, Brewster, Brockman, Buckley, Butcher, Buttrey, Caferro, Carlson, Carter, Cohenour, Deming, Dooling, Duram, Essmann, Etchart, Falk, Fern, Fielder, Fitzgerald, Fitzpatrick, France, Frazer, Galloway, Gist, Green, Gunderson, Hamilton, Harvey, Hastings, Hawk, Hellegaard, Hinkle C, Hinkle J, Hopkins, Jones, Karlen, Kassmier, Keenan, Keogh, Kerns, Kerr-Carpenter, Kmetz, Knudsen R, Kortum, Ler, Loge, Lynch, Malone, Marler, Marshall, Matthews, Mercer, Miner, Mitchell, Nave, Nicol, Nikolakakos, Oblander, Parry, Phalen, Read, Regier A, Reksten, Romano, Running Wolf, Rusk, Schillinger, Seekins-Crowe, Sheldon-Galloway, Smith L, Smith T, Sprunger, Stafman, Stewart Peregoy, Sullivan, Thane, Tuss, Vinton, Walsh, Weatherwax, Welch, Windy Boy, Wirth, Yakawich, Zolnikov, Mr. Speaker.

Total 93

Nays: Abbott, Gillette, Howell, Knudsen C, Moore T, Smith F, Zephyr.

Total 7

Voted absentee: Oblander, Aye; Smith F, No.

Excused: Oblander, Smith F.

Total 2

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

**SB 20** - Representative Zolnikov moved **SB 20** be concurred in. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Abbott, Anderson, Barker, Baum, Bedey, Bergstrom, Bertoglio, Binkley, Bishop, Brewster, Brockman, Buckley, Butcher, Buttrey, Caferro, Carlson, Carter, Cohenour, Deming, Dooling, Duram, Essmann, Etchart, Falk, Fern, Fielder, Fitzgerald, Fitzpatrick, France, Frazer, Galloway,

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Gillette, Gist, Green, Gunderson, Hamilton, Harvey, Hastings, Hawk, Hellegaard, Hinkle C, Hinkle J, Hopkins, Howell, Jones, Karlen, Kassmier, Keenan, Keogh, Kerns, Kerr-Carpenter, Kmetz, Knudsen C, Knudsen R, Kortum, Ler, Loge, Lynch, Malone, Marler, Marshall, Matthews, Mercer, Miner, Mitchell, Moore T, Nave, Nicol, Nikolakakos, Oblander, Parry, Phalen, Read, Regier A, Reksten, Romano, Running Wolf, Rusk, Schillinger, Seekins-Crowe, Smith L, Smith T, Sprunger, Stafman, Stewart Peregoy, Sullivan, Thane, Tuss, Vinton, Walsh, Weatherwax, Welch, Wirth, Yakawich, Zolnikov, Mr. Speaker.

Total 96

Nays: Sheldon-Galloway, Smith F, Windy Boy, Zephyr.

Total 4

Voted absentee: Oblander, Aye; Smith F, No.

Excused: Oblander, Smith F.

Total 2

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

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

Yeas: Abbott, Anderson, Barker, Baum, Bedey, Bergstrom, Bertoglio, Binkley, Bishop, Brewster, Brockman, Buckley, Buttrey, Carlson, Carter, Cohenour, Deming, Dooling, Duram, Essmann, Etchart, Falk, Fern, Fielder, Fitzgerald, Fitzpatrick, France, Frazer, Galloway, Gillette, Gist, Green, Gunderson, Hamilton, Harvey, Hastings, Hawk, Hellegaard, Hinkle C, Hinkle J, Hopkins, Howell, Jones, Karlen, Kassmier, Keenan, Keogh, Kerns, Kerr-Carpenter, Kmetz, Knudsen C, Knudsen R, Kortum, Ler, Loge, Lynch, Malone, Marler, Marshall, Matthews, Miner, Mitchell, Moore T, Nave, Nicol, Nikolakakos, Parry, Phalen, Read, Regier A, Reksten, Romano, Running Wolf, Rusk, Schillinger, Seekins-Crowe, Sheldon-Galloway, Smith L, Smith T, Sprunger, Stafman, Stewart Peregoy, Sullivan, Thane, Tuss, Vinton, Walsh, Weatherwax, Welch, Windy Boy, Wirth, Yakawich, Mr. Speaker.

Total 93

Nays: Butcher, Zephyr, Zolnikov.

Total 3

Voted absentee: None.

Excused: Oblander, Smith F.

Total 2

Absent or not voting: Caferro, Mercer.

Total 2

**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 16** passed as follows:

Yeas: Abbott, Anderson, Barker, Baum, Bedey, Bergstrom, Bertoglio, Binkley, Bishop, Brewster, Brockman, Buckley, Butcher, Buttrey, Caferro, Carlson, Carter, Cohenour, Deming, Dooling, Duram, Essmann, Etchart, Falk, Fern, Fielder, Fitzgerald, Fitzpatrick, France, Frazer, Galloway, Gillette, Gist, Green, Gunderson, Hamilton, Harvey, Hastings, Hawk, Hellegaard, Hinkle C, Hinkle J, Hopkins, Howell, Jones, Karlen, Kassmier, Keenan, Keogh, Kerns, Kerr-Carpenter, Kmetz, Knudsen C, Knudsen R, Kortum, Ler, Loge, Lynch, Malone, Marler, Marshall, Matthews, Mercer, Miner, Mitchell, Moore T, Nave, Nicol, Nikolakakos, Parry, Phalen, Read, Regier A, Reksten, Romano, Running Wolf, Rusk, Schillinger, Seekins-Crowe, Sheldon-Galloway, Smith L, Smith T, Sprunger, Stafman, Stewart Peregoy, Sullivan, Thane, Tuss, Vinton, Walsh, Weatherwax, Welch, Windy Boy, Wirth, Yakawich, Zephyr, Zolnikov, Mr. Speaker.

Total 98

Nays: None.

Total 0

Voted absentee: None.

Excused: Oblander, Smith F.

Total 2

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

**HB 29** passed as follows:

Yeas: Abbott, Anderson, Barker, Baum, Bedey, Bergstrom, Bertoglio, Binkley, Bishop, Brewster, Brockman, Buckley, Butcher, Buttrey, Caferro, Carlson, Carter, Cohenour, Deming, Dooling, Duram, Essmann, Etchart, Falk, Fern, Fielder, Fitzgerald, France, Galloway, Gillette, Gist, Green, Gunderson, Hamilton, Hastings, Hellegaard, Hinkle C, Hinkle J, Hopkins, Howell, Jones, Karlen, Kassmier, Keenan, Keogh, Kerns, Kerr-Carpenter, Kmetz, Knudsen C, Kortum, Ler, Loge, Malone, Marler, Marshall, Mercer, Miner, Mitchell, Moore T, Nave, Nicol, Nikolakakos, Parry, Phalen, Read, Regier A, Reksten, Romano, Running Wolf, Rusk, Schillinger, Seekins-Crowe, Sheldon-Galloway, Smith L, Smith T, Sprunger, Stafman, Stewart Peregoy, Sullivan, Thane, Tuss, Vinton, Walsh, Weatherwax, Welch, Windy Boy, Wirth, Yakawich, Zephyr, Zolnikov, Mr. Speaker.

Total 91

Nays: Fitzpatrick, Frazer, Harvey, Hawk, Lynch, Matthews.

Total 6

Voted absentee: None.

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Excused: Oblander, Smith F.  
Total 2

Absent or not voting: Knudsen R.  
Total 1

**HB 37** passed as follows:

Yeas: Abbott, Anderson, Barker, Baum, Bedey, Bergstrom, Bertoglio, Binkley, Bishop, Brewster, Brockman, Buckley, Butcher, Buttrey, Caferro, Carlson, Carter, Cohenour, Deming, Dooling, Duram, Essmann, Etchart, Falk, Fern, Fielder, Fitzgerald, France, Frazer, Galloway, Gillette, Gist, Green, Gunderson, Hamilton, Harvey, Hastings, Hawk, Hellegaard, Hinkle C, Hinkle J, Hopkins, Howell, Jones, Karlen, Kassmier, Keenan, Keogh, Kerns, Kerr-Carpenter, Kmetz, Knudsen C, Knudsen R, Kortum, Ler, Loge, Lynch, Malone, Marler, Marshall, Matthews, Miner, Mitchell, Moore T, Nave, Nicol, Nikolakakos, Parry, Phalen, Read, Regier A, Reksten, Romano, Running Wolf, Rusk, Schillinger, Seekins-Crowe, Sheldon-Galloway, Smith L, Smith T, Sprunger, Stafman, Stewart Peregoy, Sullivan, Thane, Tuss, Vinton, Walsh, Weatherwax, Welch, Windy Boy, Wirth, Yakawich, Zephyr, Zolnikov, Mr. Speaker.  
Total 96

Nays: Fitzpatrick, Mercer.  
Total 2

Voted absentee: None.

Excused: Oblander, Smith F.  
Total 2

Absent or not voting: None.  
Total 0

**HB 118** passed as follows:

Yeas: Abbott, Anderson, Barker, Baum, Bedey, Bergstrom, Bertoglio, Binkley, Bishop, Brewster, Brockman, Buckley, Butcher, Buttrey, Caferro, Carlson, Carter, Cohenour, Deming, Dooling, Duram, Essmann, Etchart, Falk, Fern, Fielder, Fitzgerald, Fitzpatrick, France, Frazer, Galloway, Gillette, Gist, Green, Gunderson, Hamilton, Harvey, Hastings, Hawk, Hellegaard, Hinkle C, Hinkle J, Hopkins, Howell, Jones, Karlen, Kassmier, Kerns, Kerr-Carpenter, Kmetz, Knudsen C, Kortum, Ler, Loge, Lynch, Malone, Marler, Marshall, Matthews, Mercer, Miner, Mitchell, Moore T, Nave, Nicol, Nikolakakos, Parry, Phalen, Read, Regier A, Reksten, Romano, Running Wolf, Rusk, Schillinger, Seekins-Crowe, Sheldon-Galloway, Smith L, Smith T, Sprunger, Stafman, Stewart Peregoy, Sullivan, Thane, Tuss, Vinton, Walsh, Welch, Windy Boy, Wirth, Yakawich, Zephyr, Zolnikov, Mr. Speaker.  
Total 94

Nays: Keenan, Keogh, Knudsen R, Weatherwax.  
Total 4

Voted absentee: None.

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Excused: Oblander, Smith F.  
Total 2

Absent or not voting: None.  
Total 0

**HB 309** passed as follows:

Yeas: Anderson, Barker, Bedey, Bergstrom, Bertoglio, Binkley, Brockman, Butcher, Buttrey, Carlson, Deming, Dooling, Duram, Essmann, Etchart, Falk, Fielder, Fitzgerald, Fitzpatrick, Frazer, Galloway, Gillette, Gist, Green, Gunderson, Hastings, Hellegaard, Hinkle C, Hinkle J, Hopkins, Jones, Kassmier, Keenan, Kerns, Kmetz, Knudsen C, Knudsen R, Ler, Loge, Malone, Marshall, Mercer, Miner, Mitchell, Moore T, Nicol, Nikolakakos, Parry, Phalen, Read, Regier A, Reksten, Rusk, Schillinger, Seekins-Crowe, Sheldon-Galloway, Smith T, Sprunger, Vinton, Walsh, Welch, Wirth, Yakawich, Zolnikov, Mr. Speaker.  
Total 65

Nays: Abbott, Baum, Bishop, Brewster, Buckley, Caferro, Carter, Cohenour, Fern, France, Hamilton, Harvey, Hawk, Howell, Karlen, Keogh, Kerr-Carpenter, Kortum, Lynch, Marler, Matthews, Nave, Romano, Running Wolf, Smith L, Stafman, Stewart Peregoy, Sullivan, Thane, Tuss, Weatherwax, Windy Boy, Zephyr.  
Total 33

Voted absentee: None.

Excused: Oblander, Smith F.  
Total 2

Absent or not voting: None.  
Total 0

**HB 316** passed as follows:

Yeas: Abbott, Anderson, Barker, Baum, Bedey, Bergstrom, Bertoglio, Binkley, Bishop, Brewster, Brockman, Butcher, Buttrey, Caferro, Carlson, Cohenour, Deming, Dooling, Duram, Essmann, Etchart, Falk, Fern, Fielder, Fitzgerald, Fitzpatrick, France, Frazer, Galloway, Gillette, Gist, Green, Gunderson, Hamilton, Hastings, Hellegaard, Hinkle C, Hinkle J, Hopkins, Howell, Jones, Karlen, Kassmier, Keenan, Keogh, Kerns, Kerr-Carpenter, Kmetz, Knudsen C, Knudsen R, Kortum, Ler, Loge, Malone, Marler, Marshall, Mercer, Miner, Mitchell, Moore T, Nave, Nicol, Nikolakakos, Parry, Phalen, Read, Regier A, Reksten, Romano, Running Wolf, Rusk, Schillinger, Seekins-Crowe, Sheldon-Galloway, Smith L, Smith T, Sprunger, Stafman, Stewart Peregoy, Thane, Tuss, Vinton, Walsh, Weatherwax, Welch, Windy Boy, Wirth, Yakawich, Zephyr, Zolnikov, Mr. Speaker.  
Total 91

Nays: Buckley, Carter, Harvey, Hawk, Lynch, Matthews, Sullivan.  
Total 7

Voted absentee: None.

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Excused: Oblander, Smith F.  
Total 2

Absent or not voting: None.  
Total 0

**HB 334** passed as follows:

Yeas: Abbott, Anderson, Barker, Baum, Bedey, Bergstrom, Binkley, Bishop, Buckley, Buttrey, Caferro, Carlson, Carter, Cohenour, Deming, Dooling, Falk, Fern, Fitzgerald, Frazer, Gillette, Gist, Green, Hamilton, Harvey, Hastings, Hawk, Hopkins, Howell, Jones, Karlen, Kassmier, Keenan, Keogh, Kerr-Carpenter, Knudsen C, Kortum, Loge, Lynch, Marler, Matthews, Miner, Nicol, Nikolakakos, Parry, Romano, Running Wolf, Rusk, Schillinger, Seekins-Crowe, Smith L, Sprunger, Stafman, Stewart Peregoy, Sullivan, Thane, Tuss, Walsh, Weatherwax, Welch, Windy Boy, Yakawich, Zephyr.  
Total 63

Nays: Bertoglio, Brewster, Brockman, Butcher, Duram, Essmann, Etchart, Fielder, Fitzpatrick, Galloway, Gunderson, Hellegaard, Hinkle C, Hinkle J, Kerns, Kmetz, Knudsen R, Ler, Malone, Marshall, Mercer, Mitchell, Moore T, Nave, Phalen, Read, Regier A, Reksten, Sheldon-Galloway, Smith T, Vinton, Wirth, Zolnikov, Mr. Speaker.  
Total 34

Voted absentee: None.

Excused: Oblander, Smith F.  
Total 2

Absent or not voting: France.  
Total 1

**MOTIONS**

Majority Leader Vinton moved to re-refer **HB 276** to the Appropriations Committee. Without objection, so ordered.

Majority Leader Vinton moved to re-refer **HB 314** to the Appropriations Committee. Without objection, so ordered.

Majority Leader Vinton moved to re-refer **HB 325** to the Appropriations Committee. Without objection, so ordered.

Majority Leader Vinton moved to re-refer **HB 345** to the Appropriations Committee. Without objection, so ordered.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

Mr. Speaker, I move that the following undersigned name be **ADDED** as sponsor to **HB 421**.  
Motion carried.

**HB 421** (J. Karlen, Chief Sponsor)  
A. Buckley, R. Carter, T. France, T. Running Wolf

Mr. Speaker, I move that the following undersigned name be **ADDED** as sponsor to **HB 462**.  
Motion carried.

**HB 462** (M. Bertoglio, Chief Sponsor)  
J. Fitzpatrick

Mr. Speaker, I move that the following undersigned name be **ADDED** as sponsor to **HB 508**.  
Motion carried.

**HB 508** (J. Hinkle, Chief Sponsor)  
E. Buttrey, L. Jones

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Committee meetings were announced by the committee chairs.

Majority Leader Vinton moved the House adjourn until 1:00 p.m., Wednesday, February 15, 2023.  
Motion carried.

House adjourned at 2:04 p.m.

CAROLYN TSCHIDA  
Chief Clerk of the House

MATT REGIER  
Speaker of the House