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THIRTY-SIXTH LEGISLATIVE DAY**

Helena, Montana
February 20, 2023

House Chambers
State Capitol

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

Roll Call. All members present, except Representatives Green, R. Knudsen, L. Smith and Sprunger, excused, and Hawk, absent. Quorum present.

BILLS (C. Hinkle, Chair):

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Correctly printed: **HB 158, HB 159, HB 291, HB 295, HB 299, HB 314, HB 325, HB 358, HB 378, HB 379, HB 400, HB 409, HB 419, HB 443, HB 641, HB 642.**

Correctly engrossed: **HB 284, HB 322, HB 436.**

MOTIONS

Majority Leader Vinton moved the House recess for the purpose of receiving the Formal Addresses from the U.S. Congressional Delegation and State of Montana Tribal Nations. Upon adjournment of the joint session, the House will adjourn until the hour of 1:00 p.m., Tuesday February 21, 2023.

Motion carried.

House recessed.

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES JOINT SESSION WITH THE SENATE

Members of the Senate were admitted into the House Chamber by Sergeant-at-Arms Murfitt.

President Ellsworth assumed the chair.

Senate Majority Leader Fitzpatrick moved the Senate and House of Representatives resolve itself into a joint session for the purpose of receiving the Address' from U.S. Senator Tester, U.S. Senator Daines, U.S. Representative Zinke, U.S. Representative Rosendale, and Chairman McDonald of the Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes.

Motion carried.

Sergeant-at-Arms Vance and Murfitt admitted U.S. Senator Tester into the House Chamber to present a formal address to the Legislature.

President Ellsworth directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to escort U.S. Senator Tester from the Chamber.

Sergeant-at-Arms Vance and Murfitt admitted U.S. Senator Daines into the House Chamber to present a formal address to the Legislature.

President Ellsworth directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to escort U.S. Senator Daines from the Chamber.

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Sergeant-at-Arms Vance and Murfitt admitted U.S. Representative Zinke into the House Chamber to present a formal address to the Legislature.

President Ellsworth directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to escort U.S. Representative Zinke from the Chamber.

Sergeant-at-Arms Vance and Murfitt admitted U.S. Representative Rosendale into the House Chamber to present a formal address to the Legislature.

President Ellsworth directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to escort U.S. Representative Rosendale from the Chamber.

Sergeant-at-Arms Vance and Murfitt admitted Chairman McDonald into the House Chamber to present a formal address to the Legislature.

President Ellsworth directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to escort Chairman McDonald from the Chamber.

Senate Majority Leader Fitzpatrick moved the joint session be adjourned. Motion Carried.

Joint session adjourned at 2:42 p.m.

The House adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Tuesday, February 21, 2023.

CAROLYN TSCHIDA
Chief Clerk of the House

MATT REGIER
Speaker of the House