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SECOND DAY, TUESDAY, JUNE 10, 2025

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

Representative Vernetti in the Chair.

Prayer by Representative Burt Whaley.

Let us call upon the Lord, Oh, Holy Father gracious in mercy and abounding in Love for us. Holy is Your name. The Alpha and Omega. You see from each of our beginnings to our endings. You see our sorrows and our joys. You see all that we say and do, and You look into each one of our hearts.

Search us Oh God and cleanse us of our iniquities so that we may come to You and be forgiven of our many sins. Make us right with You dear Father so we will not be led captive by the enemy. Guide us and direct us in each task we do. Pull out every cured thing that be. We love You Oh Lord and we submit to Your authority.

And this I pray, that our love more abounds, still more and more in real knowledge and all discernment. I thank You for the safe arrival of all who are in this chamber. We pray our fellow representatives who are traveling today and tomorrow morning are safe and Your hedge of protection surrounds them. In the name of Jesus, we pray.

And the House says, "Amen!"

The Pledge of Allegiance to the flag was recited.

INTRODUCTION OF HOUSE BILLS

The following House Bills were read the first time and copies ordered printed:

HB 4, introduced by Representative Chappell, relating to real property valuation assessments.

HB 5, introduced by Representative Chappell, relating to the fair tax act of 2025, with a referendum clause.

HB 6, introduced by Representative Cupps, relating to the official professional baseball team in Missouri.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following House Joint Resolution was read the second time:

HJR 1, relating to constitutional amendments.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

The following House Bills were read the second time:

HB 1, relating to building permit applications.

HB 2, relating to the Missouri child tax credit, with an emergency clause.

HB 3, relating to utilities, with an emergency clause.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS - APPROPRIATIONS

The following Senate Bill was read the second time:

SS SB 1, to appropriate money for the several departments and offices of state government, and the several divisions and programs thereof, for planning and capital improvements, including but not limited to, major additions and renovations, new structures, and land improvements or acquisitions, and to transfer money among certain funds, to be expended only as provided in Article IV, Section 28 of the Constitution of Missouri for the fiscal period beginning July 1, 2025, and ending June 30, 2026.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

The following Senate Bills were read the second time:

SS#2 SCS SB 3, relating to taxation, with a severability clause.

SS SB 4, relating to the appropriation of funds to the Missouri housing trust fund for emergency aid, with an emergency clause.

REFERRAL OF SENATE BILLS - APPROPRIATIONS

The following Senate Bill was referred to the Committee indicated:

SS SB 1 - Budget

REFERRAL OF SENATE BILLS

The following Senate Bills were referred to the Committee indicated:

SS#2 SCS SB 3 - Economic Development

SS SB 4 - Special Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Committee on Budget, Chairman Deaton reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Budget, to which was referred **SS SB 1**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (28): Black, Boggs, Brown (149), Chappell, Crossley, Cupps, Davidson, Deaton, Douglas, Fogle, Kalberloh, Kimble, Lewis, Loy, Martin, Mayhew, Murray, Owen, Proudie, Riggs, Sharpe (4), Steinhoff, Steinmeyer, Taylor (48), Verneti, Voss, Warwick and Young

Noes (0)

Absent (3): Christensen, Hein and Taylor (84)

Committee on Economic Development, Chairman Gallick reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Economic Development, to which was referred **SS#2 SCS SB 3**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (11): Amato, Brown (16), Ealy, Gallick, Hruza, Jacobs, Johnson, Jones (12), Riggs, Thompson and Wilson

Noes (2): Dean and Titus

Present (1): Rush

Absent (3): Casteel, Martin and Verneti

*The following ex officio member was present: Aune

Special Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs, Chairman Byrnes reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Special Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs, to which was referred **SS SB 4**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (13): Amato, Black, Byrnes, Falkner, Fowler, Hales, Meirath, Mosley, Oehlerking, Reuter, Rush, Walsh Moore and Wellenkamp

Noes (0)

Absent (5): Brown (16), Gallick, Smith (68), Sparks and Wolfin

*The following ex officio member was present: Aune

REFERRAL OF SENATE BILLS - RULES

The following Senate Bills were referred to the Committee indicated:

SS#2 SCS SB 3 - Rules - Administrative

SS SB 4 - Rules - Legislative

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Committee on Rules - Administrative, Chairman Shields reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Administrative, to which was referred **SS#2 SCS SB 3**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (6): Christ, Griffith, Mackey, Perkins, Shields and Taylor (48)

Noes (3): Oehlerking, Proudie and Stinnett

Absent (1): Smith (46)

Committee on Rules - Legislative, Chairman Cupps reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Legislative, to which was referred **SS SB 4**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (9): Boggs, Bosley, Cupps, Dean, Ingle, Mayhew, Pollitt, Pouche and West

Noes (0)

Absent (1): Billington

REFERRAL OF SENATE BILLS

The following Senate Bills were referred to the Committee indicated:

SS#2 SCS SB 3 - Fiscal Review

SS SB 4 - Fiscal Review

COMMUNICATIONS

June 10, 2025

RE: Conflict of Interest Disclosure - SB 3 (Property Tax Amendment)

To Whom It May Concern,

As the elected State Representative for District 111, I am submitting this letter to formally disclose a potential conflict of interest concerning Senate Bill 3 (SB-3), which includes a proposed amendment related to property and real estate tax adjustments.

In addition to my responsibilities as a legislator, I also serve - by election of the same constituency - the Board of Directors for the Big River Ambulance District. This dual role presents a unique conflict in relation to SB-3, as the bill has direct implications for both the financial interests of the ambulance district and the tax burden on my constituents.

My intention in disclosing this conflict is to maintain open transparency, uphold the trust of those who elected me, and ensure that my actions are guided by both ethical standards and the best interests of the public I serve.

I will continue to engage in open dialogue with both constituents and colleagues to ensure that any decision I make reflects thoughtful consideration, informed judgment, and the balanced responsibilities I hold in both roles.

Respectfully,

/s/ Cecelie Williams
State Representative
District 111

The following members' presence was noted: Allen, Amato, Appelbaum, Aune, Banderman, Barnes, Billington, Black, Boggs, Bosley, Boykin, Boyko, Brown (16), Brown (149), Bush, Busick, Butz, Byrnes, Casteel, Caton, Chappell, Christ, Christensen, Clemens, Coleman, Collins, Cook, Crossley, Cupps, Davidson, Davis, Dean, Deaton, Dolan, Doll, Douglas, Durnell, Ealy, Elliott, Falkner, Fogle, Fountain Henderson, Fowler, Fuchs, Gallick, Gragg, Griffith, Hales, Haley, Harbison, Hardwick, Hausman, Hinman, Hovis, Hruza, Ingle, Irwin, Jacobs, Jobe, Johnson, Jones (88), Jones (12), Jordan, Kalberloh, Keathley, Kimble, Laubinger, Lewis, Loy, Lucas, Mackey, Mansur, Martin, Matthiesen, Mayhew, McGaugh, Meirath, Miller, Mosley, Murphy, Murray, Myers, Oehlerking, Overcast, Owen, Patterson, Perkins, Peters, Plank, Pollitt, Pouche, Price, Proudie, Reuter, Riggs, Riley, Roberts, Rush, Sassmann, Schmidt, Seitz, Self, Sharp (37), Sharpe (4), Shields, Smith (74), Sparks, Steinhoff, Steinmeyer, Stinnett, Strickler, Taylor (48), Terry, Thomas, Thompson, Titus, Van Schoiack, Verneti, Violet, Voss, Walsh Moore, Warwick, Weber, Wellenkamp, West, Whaley, Williams, Wilson, Woods, and Young.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Representative Verneti, the House adjourned until 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, June 11, 2025.

COMMITTEE HEARINGS

FISCAL REVIEW

Wednesday, June 11, 2025, 8:15 AM, House Hearing Room 4.

Executive session may be held on any matter referred to the committee.

Pending referral of SS#2 SCS SB 3 and SS SB 4.

RULES - LEGISLATIVE

Wednesday, June 11, 2025, 8:00 AM, House Hearing Room 7.

Executive session may be held on any matter referred to the committee.

Pending referral SS SB 4.

CANCELLED

HOUSE CALENDAR

THIRD DAY, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11, 2025

HOUSE BILLS FOR SECOND READING

HB 4 through HB 6

SENATE BILLS FOR THIRD READING - APPROPRIATIONS

SS SB 1 - Deaton

SENATE BILLS FOR THIRD READING

SS SB 4, (Fiscal Review 6/10/25), E.C. - Christ

SS#2 SCS SB 3, (Fiscal Review 6/10/25) - Brown (16)

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

SCR 1 - Riley