

EIGHTH DAY - JANUARY 18, 2022
LEGISLATIVE JOURNAL
ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH LEGISLATURE
SECOND SESSION

EIGHTH DAY

Legislative Chamber, Lincoln, Nebraska
Tuesday, January 18, 2022

PRAYER

The prayer was offered by Senator Clements.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was offered by Senator Blood.

ROLL CALL

Pursuant to adjournment, the Legislature met at 10:00 a.m., President Foley presiding.

The roll was called and all members were present except Senators Aguilar, Day, Dorn, Geist, and Slama who were excused; and Senators Albrecht, Bostar, Briese, Halloran, Hunt, Linehan, Pansing Brooks, Vargas, Wayne, and Wishart who were excused until they arrive.

CORRECTIONS FOR THE JOURNAL

The Journal for the seventh day was approved.

COMMITTEE REPORT(S)
Enrollment and Review

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 14. Placed on Select File.

(Signed) Terrell McKinney, Chairperson

MESSAGE(S) FROM THE GOVERNOR

January 7, 2022

Mr. President, Speaker Hilgers
and Members of the Legislature

State Capitol
Lincoln, NE 68509

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Hilgers and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individual is being reappointed to the Nebraska Investment Council:

Richard A. DeFusco, 6611 S. 41 Street, Lincoln, NE 68516

The aforementioned appointee is respectfully submitted for your consideration. Copies of the certificate and background information are included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Pete Ricketts
Governor

Enclosures

January 12, 2022

Mr. President, Speaker Hilgers
and Members of the Legislature
State Capitol
Lincoln, NE 68509

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Hilgers and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individual is being appointed to the Nebraska Power Review Board:

Bridget Troxel Peck, CPA, CCBIA, 1129 Meadowlark Drive, Scottsbluff, NE 69361

The aforementioned appointee is respectfully submitted for your consideration. Copies of the certificate and background information are included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Pete Ricketts
Governor

Enclosures

January 12, 2022

Mr. President, Speaker Hilgers
and Members of the Legislature
State Capitol
Lincoln, NE 68509

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Hilgers and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individuals are being
reappointed to the Nebraska Educational Telecommunications Commission:

Darrin Scott Good, Ph.D., 1010 Piedmont Road, Lincoln, NE 68510
Nicholas Baxter, 6501 Prairie Avenue, Omaha, NE 68132

The aforementioned appointees are respectfully submitted for your
consideration. Copies of the certificate and background information are
included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Pete Ricketts
Governor

Enclosures

January 14, 2022

Mr. President, Speaker Hilgers
and Members of the Legislature
State Capitol
Lincoln, NE 68509

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Hilgers and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individual is being
reappointed to the Tax Equalization and Review Commission:

Robert W. Hotz, 8117 Imperial Circle, Lincoln, NE 68506

The aforementioned appointee is respectfully submitted for your
consideration. Copies of the certificate and background information are
included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Pete Ricketts
Governor

Enclosures

UNANIMOUS CONSENT - Room Change

Senator B. Hansen asked unanimous consent that the Business and Labor Committee conduct its hearing on Monday, January 24, 2022, in Room 1003 instead of Room 1524. No objections. So ordered.

NOTICE OF COMMITTEE HEARING(S)

Judiciary
Room 1113 1:30 PM

Wednesday, January 26, 2022

LB918
LB920
LB952
LB980

Thursday, January 27, 2022

LB831
LB886
LB896
LB921

Friday, January 28, 2022

LB748
LB808
LB816
LB878
LB1010

(Signed) Steve Lathrop, Chairperson

RESOLUTION(S)

Pursuant to Rule 4, Sec. 5(b), LRs 265, 267, 270, and 273 were adopted.

PRESIDENT SIGNED

While the Legislature was in session and capable of transacting business, the President signed the following: LRs 265, 267, 270, and 273.

MOTION - Suspend Rules

Senator Kolterman offered his motion, found on page 293, to suspend the rules, Rule 5, Section 15(a), to permit introduction of Req. 3750 by the Nebraska Retirement Systems Committee.

The Kolterman motion to suspend the rules prevailed with 34 ayes, 1 nay, 6 present and not voting, and 8 excused and not voting.

BILLS ON FIRST READING

The following bills were read for the first time by title:

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1043. Introduced by Kolterman, 24.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to retirement; to amend section 79-920, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, section 84-1301, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2020, and section 79-902, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2021; to change provisions of the School Employees Retirement Act and the State Employees Retirement Act; to define and redefine terms; to change provisions relating to termination of employment for certain school employees as prescribed; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original sections; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1044. Introduced by Hilkemann, 4.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to public health and welfare; to adopt the Care Team Innovation Grant Pilot Project Act; and to state intent regarding funding.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1045. Introduced by Bostelman, 23.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to public power and irrigation districts; to amend section 70-619, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change qualifications to be eligible to serve as a member of the board of directors; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1046. Introduced by Bostelman, 23.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to public power districts; to amend sections 32-512, 70-610, 70-612, 70-615, 70-616, 70-619, and 70-620.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to qualifications, eligibility, and election of members of the board of directors; to provide for creation of new election subdivisions for certain districts as prescribed; to provide for appointment of certain directors and chief executive officers by the Governor; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1047. Introduced by Bostelman, 23.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Power Review Board; to amend sections 70-1001, 70-1001.01, and 70-1025, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change a declaration of policy; to define a term; to change requirements for an annual report as prescribed; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1048. Introduced by Blood, 3.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate federal funds to the University of Nebraska; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1049. Introduced by Kolterman, 24.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate funds to the Supreme Court; to state intent regarding appropriations; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1050. Introduced by Flood, 19.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to education; to prohibit postsecondary education institutions from discriminating against student organizations based on their viewpoints, beliefs, and missions; to provide for a civil action and a defense or counterclaim; and to define terms.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1051. Introduced by Cavanaugh, J., 9; McKinney, 11.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to criminal procedure; to amend section 29-2523, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2020; to provide for setting aside and expunging records relating to convictions and adjudications for concealed weapon offenses; to define a term; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1052. Introduced by Cavanaugh, J., 9.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate federal funds to the Department of Health and Human Services; and to declare an emergency.

SELECT FILE

LEGISLATIVE BILL 496. Senator Hunt offered her amendment, [AM1283](#), found on page 1293, First Session, 2021.

Senator Hunt moved for a call of the house. The motion prevailed with 13 ayes, 2 nays, and 34 not voting.

Senator Hunt requested a roll call vote on her amendment.

Voting in the affirmative, 0.

Voting in the negative, 37:

Albrecht	Cavanaugh, M.	Hansen, B.	Linehan	Pansing Brooks
Arch	Clements	Hansen, M.	Lowe	Sanders
Blood	DeBoer	Hilgers	McCollister	Vargas
Bostar	Erdman	Hilkemann	McDonnell	Walz
Bostelman	Flood	Hughes	McKinney	Williams
Brandt	Friesen	Kolterman	Moser	
Brewer	Gragert	Lathrop	Murman	
Cavanaugh, J.	Groene	Lindstrom	Pahls	

Present and not voting, 2:

Hunt Wayne

Absent and not voting, 1:

Stinner

Excused and not voting, 9:

Aguilar	Day	Geist	Morfeld	Wishart
Briese	Dorn	Halloran	Slama	

The Hunt amendment lost with 0 ayes, 37 nays, 2 present and not voting, 1 absent and not voting, and 9 excused and not voting.

The Chair declared the call raised.

Pending.

BILLS ON FIRST READING

The following bills were read for the first time by title:

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1053. Introduced by Lathrop, 12.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to courts; to amend section 43-278, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 24-303, 24-734, and 25-2704, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2020; to change, provide, and eliminate provisions relating to conducting court proceedings by virtual conferencing and telephone or videoconferencing; to define a term; to provide for rules; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1054. Introduced by McDonnell, 5.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate federal funds to the University of Nebraska; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1055. Introduced by McDonnell, 5.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate federal funds to the Department of Health and Human Services; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1056. Introduced by Brewer, 43.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to counties; to amend sections 23-114 and 23-114.05, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 23-172, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2021; to change provisions relating to zoning regulations, violations, and codes; to provide for regulation of industrial wind turbines; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1057. Introduced by Brewer, 43.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to schools; to amend section 79-499, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2020; to change provisions relating to Class III school district membership and under what conditions such school may continue to operate; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1058. Introduced by Brewer, 43.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to public power; to provide requirements for public power suppliers relating to retiring or shutting down base load units as prescribed.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1059. Introduced by Flood, 19.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Open Meetings Act; to amend sections 84-1409 and 84-1411, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2021; to exempt the Judicial Resources Commission and its subcommittees or subgroups from the act; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1060. Introduced by Briese, 41.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Community Development Law; to amend sections 18-2116 and 18-2142.01, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2020; to change provisions relating to certain findings and the validity and enforceability of certain agreements; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1061. Introduced by Albrecht, 17.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to insurance; to amend section 44-211, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to the board of directors of an insurance corporation; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1062. Introduced by Albrecht, 17.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Act; to amend section 48-121, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to compensation for total disability; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1063. Introduced by Morfeld, 46.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate federal funds to the Department of Labor; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1064. Introduced by Arch, 14.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to state government; to amend sections 81-153 and 81-1120, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change powers and duties of the materiel division and provisions relating to the Materiel Division Revolving Fund; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1065. Introduced by Groene, 42.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Community Development Law; to amend section 18-2155, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2020, and sections 18-2101.02 and 18-2147, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2021; to change provisions relating to redevelopment plans receiving an expedited review; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1066. Introduced by Stinner, 48.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate federal funds to the Department of Health and Human Services and the University of Nebraska; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1067. Introduced by Stinner, 48.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate funds to the University of Nebraska; to state intent relating to appropriations to the University of Nebraska as prescribed; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1068. Introduced by Stinner, 48.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Behavioral Health Workforce Act; to amend sections 71-829 and 71-830, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to state intent; to provide for additional residencies and training experiences for certain behavioral health providers in rural and underserved areas; to provide funding; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original sections; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1069. Introduced by Williams, 36.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Rural Workforce Housing Investment Act; to amend sections 81-1228, 81-1229, 81-1230, and 81-1231, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2020; to redefine terms; to change provisions relating to the workforce housing grant program, annual fund certification, an annual audit, and return of funds; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original sections; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1070. Introduced by Williams, 36.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate federal funds to the Department of Economic Development; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1071. Introduced by Williams, 36.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate funds to the Department of Economic Development; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1072. Introduced by McDonnell, 5.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate federal funds to the Department of Economic Development; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1073. Introduced by Wayne, 13; DeBoer, 10; Hansen, M., 26; McKinney, 11.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to state government; to amend sections 58-226, 58-241, 58-703, 58-705, 58-708, 58-709, 58-711, 68-1603, 71-15,141, and 81-1281, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 19-5504, 81-101, 81-102, 81-1228, 81-1233, 81-1237, and 81-1242, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2020; to state legislative findings; to create the Department of Housing and Urban Development; to provide duties; to provide for a director and staff; to create the Housing Advisory Commission; to provide for an annual report; to transfer duties, functions, responsibilities, and jurisdiction as prescribed; to provide for an updated housing affordability strategy; to harmonize provisions; to provide a duty for the Revisor of Statutes; to provide an operative date; to repeal the original sections; and to outright repeal section 58-704, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1074. Introduced by Bostelman, 23; Stinner, 48.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to irrigation districts; to amend section 84-612, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2021; to create a fund; to create a grant program; to provide powers and duties to the Department of Natural Resources; to provide for a transfer of funds; and to repeal the original

section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1075. Introduced by Stinner, 48.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate federal funds to the Department of Health and Human Services; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1076. Introduced by Stinner, 48.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate federal funds to the Department of Health and Human Services; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1077. Introduced by Hansen, B., 16; Albrecht, 17; Brewer, 43; Clements, 2; Erdman, 47; Friesen, 34; Groene, 42; Halloran, 33; Lowe, 37; Murman, 38.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to government; to provide restrictions and requirements for governmental entities, public postsecondary institutions, and public schools conducting mandatory staff or student training or education involving certain concepts relating to race and sex; to define terms; to provide for enforcement by the Attorney General; to provide for withholding of funds for violations; and to provide duties for the Board of Regents, Coordinating Commission for Postsecondary Education, State Department of Education, and State Treasurer.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1078. Introduced by Hansen, B., 16.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to schools; to state findings; to define terms; and to prohibit possession of personal electronic devices by students in public schools as prescribed.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1079. Introduced by Hansen, B., 16.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to state intent to appropriate funds to the Department of Revenue for distribution to residents of Nebraska as prescribed; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1080. Introduced by Sanders, 45.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to homestead exemptions; to amend sections 77-3513 and 77-3522, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, section 77-3506, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2020, and section 77-3512, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2021; to change provisions relating to veterans who qualify for exemption, application requirements, and penalties; to harmonize provisions; to provide an operative date; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1081. Introduced by Bostar, 29.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to water; to state intent to appropriate federal funds; to create a grant program for the design, construction, and implementation of water transport infrastructure as prescribed; and to provide powers and duties for the Department of Natural Resources.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1082. Introduced by Gragert, 40.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to organ and tissue donation; to amend section 71-4822, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to provide powers and duties to the Game and Parks Commission; to require the Game and Parks Commission to provide certain information relating to organ and tissue donation on applications for certain hunting and fishing permits; to require the Game and Parks Commission to transfer certain hunting and fishing permit information relating to organ and tissue donation; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1083. Introduced by Business and Labor Committee: Hansen, B., 16, Chairperson; Blood, 3; Gragert, 40; Halloran, 33; Hansen, M., 26; Hunt, 8; Lathrop, 12.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to claims against the state; to appropriate funds for the payment of certain claims; to provide for payment of the claims; to authorize agencies to write off certain claims as prescribed; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1084. Introduced by Business and Labor Committee: Hansen, B., 16, Chairperson; Blood, 3; Gragert, 40; Halloran, 33; Hansen, M., 26; Hunt, 8; Lathrop, 12.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to claims against the state; to disapprove certain claims.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1085. Introduced by Pansing Brooks, 28; Hilkemann, 4; McDonnell, 5; Wayne, 13.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate federal funds to the State Department of Education; to declare legislative intent to appropriate funds; and to declare an emergency.

NOTICE OF COMMITTEE HEARING(S)
Government, Military and Veterans Affairs
Room 1507 1:30 PM

Wednesday, January 26, 2022

LB843

LB858

LB785
LB849

Thursday, January 27, 2022

LB823
LR271
LB778

Friday, January 28, 2022

LB807
LB765
LB847
LB791
LR263CA

(Signed) Tom Brewer, Chairperson

Appropriations
Room 1524 1:30 PM

Tuesday, January 25, 2022

LB1014

(Signed) John Stinner, Chairperson

Urban Affairs
Room 1510 1:30 PM

Tuesday, January 25, 2022

LB695
LB796
LB797
LB798

(Signed) Justin Wayne, Chairperson

Agriculture
Room 1003 1:30 PM

Tuesday, January 25, 2022

LB848
LB889

(Signed) Steve Halloran, Chairperson

AMENDMENT(S) - Print in Journal

Senator Blood filed the following amendment to LB694:

AM1591

1 1. Strike the original sections and insert the following new

2 sections:

3 Section 1. Section 25-224, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is

4 amended to read:

5 25-224 (1) All product liability actions, except one governed by

6 subsection (5) or (6) of this section, shall be commenced within four

7 years next after the date on which the death, injury, or damage

8 complained of occurs.

9 (2)(a) Notwithstanding subsection (1) of this section or any other

10 statutory provision to the contrary, any product liability action, except

11 one governed by section 2-725, Uniform Commercial Code or by subsection

12 (5) or (6) of this section, shall be commenced as follows:

13 (i) For products manufactured in Nebraska, within ten years after

14 the date the product which allegedly caused the personal injury, death,

15 or damage was first sold or leased for use or consumption; or

16 (ii) For products manufactured outside Nebraska, within the time

17 allowed by the applicable statute of repose, if any, of the state or

18 country where the product was manufactured, but in no event less than ten

19 years. If the state or country where the product was manufactured does

20 not have an applicable statute of repose, then the only limitation upon

21 the commencement of an action for product liability shall be as set forth

22 in subsection (1) of this section.

23 (b) If the changes made to this subsection by Laws 2001, LB 489, are

24 declared invalid or unconstitutional, this subsection as it existed prior

25 to September 1, 2001, shall be deemed in full force and effect and shall

26 apply to all claims in which a final order has not been entered.

27 (3) The limitations contained in subsection (1), (2), ~~or (5)~~, or (6)

1 of this section shall not be applicable to indemnity or contribution

2 actions brought by a manufacturer or seller of a product against a person

3 who is or may be liable to such manufacturer or seller for all or any

4 portion of any judgment rendered against a manufacturer or seller.

5 (4) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsections (1) and (2) of

6 this section, any cause of action or claim which any person may have on

7 July 22, 1978, may be brought not later than two years following such

8 date.

9 (5) Any action to recover damages based on injury allegedly

10 resulting from exposure to asbestos composed of chrysotile, amosite,

11 crocidolite, tremolite, anthrophyllite, actinolite, or any combination

12 thereof, shall be commenced within four years after the injured person

13 has been informed of discovery of the injury by competent medical

14 authority and that such injury was caused by exposure to asbestos as

15 described herein, or within four years after the discovery of facts which

16 would reasonably lead to such discovery, whichever is earlier. No action

17 commenced under this subsection based on the doctrine of strict liability

18 in tort shall be commenced or maintained against any seller of a product

19 which is alleged to contain or possess a defective condition unreasonably

20 dangerous to the buyer, user, or consumer unless such seller is also the

21 manufacturer of such product or the manufacturer of the part thereof

22 claimed to be defective. Nothing in this subsection shall be construed to

23 permit an action to be brought based on an injury described in this

24 subsection discovered more than two years prior to August 30, 1981.

25 (6)(a) An action to recover damages based on injury or death that is

26 caused by exposure to a hazardous or toxic chemical shall be commenced

27 within ten years next after the cause of action accrues.

28 (b) Such a cause of action accrues upon the earlier of the date on

29 which the plaintiff
 30 (i) Is informed by competent medical authority that the injury or
 31 death is related to the exposure to such chemical; or
 1 (ii) By the exercise of reasonable diligence, should have known that
 2 the injury or death is related to the exposure to such chemical.
 3 (c) This subsection does not apply to actions described in
 4 subsection (5) of this section.
 5 Sec. 2. Original section 25-224, Reissue Revised Statutes of
 6 Nebraska, is repealed.

Senator Pansing Brooks filed the following amendment to LB568:
AM1510

(Amendments to E&R amendments, ER93)

1 1. Strike section 12.
 2 2. On page 2, line 18, strike "habitually", show as stricken, and
 3 insert "excessively".
 4 3. On page 7, line 10, strike "habitually truant", show as stricken,
 5 and insert "excessively absent", strike the underscored semicolon, and
 6 reinstate the stricken "or school" and after the reinstated "school"
 7 insert an underscored semicolon.
 8 4. On page 8, strike beginning with "This" in line 13 through line
 9 15.
 10 5. On page 21, strike beginning with "make" in line 1 through the
 11 first "to" in line 2, show as stricken, and insert "exhaust all available
 12 and appropriate"; in line 2 strike "available" and show as stricken; in
 13 line 4 after the period insert "The county attorney shall include in any
 14 such petition a description of the efforts required by this subsection.
 15 The efforts required by the county attorney by this subsection shall be
 16 separate and distinct from the efforts required under subsection (2) of
 17 section 79-209."; strike "describe", show as stricken, and insert
 18 "provide"; and strike lines 6 through 11.
 19 6. On page 40, in line 3, reinstate the stricken "and", and after
 20 the reinstated "and" insert "excessive absenteeism"; and reinstate the
 21 stricken matter beginning with "under" in line 3 through "43-247" in line
 22 4.
 23 7. Renumber the remaining sections and correct the repealer
 24 accordingly.

RESOLUTION(S)

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 275. Introduced by Williams, 36.

WHEREAS, Vernon Waldren of Papillion was a lifelong educator dedicated to service, mentoring, and leadership in his communities; and

WHEREAS, Vernon was an invaluable member of the Elkhorn Grange, Carver Grange, and State Grange Executive Board and helped charter the Carver Grange; and

WHEREAS, Vernon received the Nebraska State Grange Distinguished Service Award in 2019; and

WHEREAS, Vernon was the unit leader for the Douglas-Sarpy 4-H Program, the largest such program in Nebraska, from 1976 through 2013; and

WHEREAS, Vernon was a committed member of the National Association of Extension 4-H Agents, attending his first conference in 1977 and eventually serving as Treasurer in 1994 and President in 2000; and

WHEREAS, Vernon was inducted into the National 4-H Hall of Fame in 2018; and

WHEREAS, Vernon provided immense service to his communities as an extension educator for thirty-seven years; and

WHEREAS, Vernon Waldren passed away on January 7, 2022.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, SECOND SESSION:

1. That the Legislature recognizes Vernon Waldren for his service and leadership to the communities of Nebraska.

2. That the Legislature offers its condolences to the family of Vernon Waldren.

3. That a copy of this resolution be sent to the family of Vernon Waldren.

Laid over.

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 276. Introduced by Blood, 3.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this resolution is to study the circumstances in which conditional use permits can be approved or revoked. This study shall include, but not be limited to:

(1) Examining the abilities of Nebraska municipalities regarding the approval of conditional use permits;

(2) Determining whether a property owner or the conditional use permit holder being in arrears to the city, state, or federal government enables revocation of such conditional use permits; and

(3) Deciding if more clarification for the use of conditional use permits in state statute is necessary.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, SECOND SESSION:

1. That the Executive Board of the Legislative Council shall designate a special committee of the Legislature to conduct an interim study to carry out the purposes of this resolution.

2. That the committee shall upon the conclusion of its study make a report of its findings, together with its recommendations, to the Legislative Council or Legislature.

Referred to the Executive Board.

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 277. Introduced by Blood, 3.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this resolution is to determine what is needed to develop a plan to protect managed and native Nebraskan pollinators from current harmful practices. This study shall include, but not be limited to:

(1) Analyzing the effects of neonicotinoids on pollinators such as bees, butterflies, moths, and bats;

(2) Understanding the population decline of managed and native pollinators in Nebraska;

(3) Outlining better practices for entities engaged in activities that can affect pollinator viability, as well as practices that enhance and create habitats to support and grow Nebraska's population of pollinators;

(4) Determining efficient and cost-effective practices to protect pollinators; and

(5) Providing leadership and guidance relating to the protection of pollinators to localities and the private sector.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, SECOND SESSION:

1. That the Executive Board of the Legislative Council shall designate a special committee of the Legislature to conduct an interim study to carry out the purposes of this resolution.

2. That the committee shall upon the conclusion of its study make a report of its findings, together with its recommendations, to the Legislative Council or Legislature.

Referred to the Executive Board.

MOTION(S) - Print in Journal

Senator Groene filed the following motion to LB790:

[MO126](#)

Withdraw LB790.

Senator Wayne filed the following motion to LB496:

[MO127](#)

Reconsider the vote taken on AM1283.

COMMITTEE REPORT(S)

Enrollment and Review

LEGISLATIVE BILL 310. Placed on Select File with amendment.

[ER99](#)

1 1. On page 1, strike line 4 and insert "to require a report; to

2 harmonize provisions; to provide a duty for the Revisor of Statutes; and

3 to repeal the original sections."

(Signed) Terrell McKinney, Chairperson

UNANIMOUS CONSENT - Add Cointroducer(s)

Unanimous consent to add Senator(s) as cointroducer(s). No objections. So ordered.

Senator Lowe name added to LB773.

Senator Hunt name added to LB864.

Senator Wayne name added to LB1026.

VISITOR(S)

The Doctor of the Day was Dr. Rachel Blake of Lincoln.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:01 p.m., on a motion by Senator Erdman, the Legislature adjourned until 9:00 a.m., Wednesday, January 19, 2022.

Patrick J. O'Donnell
Clerk of the Legislature