

EIGHTH DAY - SEPTEMBER 22, 2021**LEGISLATIVE JOURNAL****ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH LEGISLATURE
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION****EIGHTH DAY**

Legislative Chamber, Lincoln, Nebraska
Wednesday, September 22, 2021

PRAYER

The prayer was offered by Senator Erdman.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was offered by Senator Lindstrom.

ROLL CALL

Pursuant to adjournment, the Legislature met at 9:00 a.m., President Foley presiding.

The roll was called and all members were present except Senators M. Hansen, Hunt, Stinner, Vargas, and Wishart who were excused until they arrive.

CORRECTIONS FOR THE JOURNAL

The Journal for the seventh day was approved.

COMMITTEE REPORT(S)**Education**

The Education Committee desires to report favorably upon the appointment(s) listed below. The Committee suggests the appointment(s) be confirmed by the Legislature and suggests a record vote.

Christy Hovanetz - Technical Advisory Committee for Statewide Assessment

Aye: 6. Day, Linehan, Murman, Pansing Brooks, Sanders, Walz. Nay: 0.
Absent: 1. Morfeld. Present and not voting: 1. McKinney.

(Signed) Lynne Walz, Chairperson

MOTION(S) - Confirmation Report(s)

Senator Briese moved the adoption of the General Affairs Committee report for the confirmation of the following appointment(s) found on page 59:

Nebraska Commission on Problem Gambling

Paul Leckband

Dan Volnek

Todd Zohner

Voting in the affirmative, 37:

Aguilar	Cavanaugh, J.	Groene	Lowe	Sanders
Albrecht	Clements	Halloran	McCollister	Slama
Arch	Day	Hansen, B.	McDonnell	Walz
Blood	DeBoer	Hilkemann	Morfeld	Wayne
Bostar	Dorn	Hughes	Moser	Williams
Bostelman	Erdman	Kolterman	Murman	
Brandt	Friesen	Lathrop	Pahls	
Briese	Gragert	Lindstrom	Pansing Brooks	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 7:

Brewer	Flood	Hilgers	McKinney
Cavanaugh, M.	Geist	Linehan	

Excused and not voting, 5:

Hansen, M.	Hunt	Stinner	Vargas	Wishart
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The appointments were confirmed with 37 ayes, 0 nays, 7 present and not voting, and 5 excused and not voting.

Senator Briese moved the adoption of the General Affairs Committee report for the confirmation of the following appointment(s) found on page 60:

State Racing and Gaming Commission

Shane Greckel

Voting in the affirmative, 34:

Aguilar	Cavanaugh, J.	Halloran	Lowe	Pansing Brooks
Albrecht	Clements	Hansen, B.	McCollister	Sanders
Arch	Day	Hilkemann	McDonnell	Slama
Blood	DeBoer	Kolterman	Morfeld	Walz
Bostar	Dorn	Lathrop	Moser	Wayne
Brandt	Gragert	Lindstrom	Murman	Williams
Briese	Groene	Linehan	Pahls	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 10:

Bostelman	Cavanaugh, M.	Flood	Geist	Hughes
Brewer	Erdman	Friesen	Hilgers	McKinney

Excused and not voting, 5:

Hansen, M.	Hunt	Stinner	Vargas	Wishart
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The appointment was confirmed with 34 ayes, 0 nays, 10 present and not voting, and 5 excused and not voting.

Senator Briese moved the adoption of the General Affairs Committee report for the confirmation of the following appointment(s) found on page 60:

State Racing and Gaming Commission
Tony Fulton

Voting in the affirmative, 37:

Aguilar	Cavanaugh, J.	Halloran	Lowe	Sanders
Albrecht	Clements	Hansen, B.	McCollister	Slama
Arch	Day	Hilkemann	McDonnell	Walz
Blood	Dorn	Hughes	Morfeld	Wayne
Bostar	Erdman	Kolterman	Moser	Williams
Bostelman	Friesen	Lathrop	Murman	
Brandt	Gragert	Lindstrom	Pahls	
Briese	Groene	Linehan	Pansing Brooks	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 7:

Brewer	DeBoer	Geist	McKinney
Cavanaugh, M.	Flood	Hilgers	

Excused and not voting, 5:

Hansen, M. Hunt Stinner Vargas Wishart

The appointment was confirmed with 37 ayes, 0 nays, 7 present and not voting, and 5 excused and not voting.

Senator Briese moved the adoption of the General Affairs Committee report for the confirmation of the following appointment(s) found on page 60:

Nebraska Liquor Control Commission
Kim Lowe

Voting in the affirmative, 36:

Aguilar	Cavanaugh, J.	Halloran	Linehan	Sanders
Albrecht	Clements	Hansen, B.	McCollister	Slama
Arch	Day	Hilgers	McDonnell	Walz
Blood	Dorn	Hilkemann	Morfeld	Williams
Bostar	Erdman	Hughes	Moser	
Bostelman	Friesen	Kolterman	Murman	
Brandt	Gragert	Lathrop	Pahls	
Briese	Groene	Lindstrom	Pansing Brooks	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 8:

Brewer	DeBoer	Geist	McKinney
Cavanaugh, M.	Flood	Lowe	Wayne

Excused and not voting, 5:

Hansen, M. Hunt Stinner Vargas Wishart

The appointment was confirmed with 36 ayes, 0 nays, 8 present and not voting, and 5 excused and not voting.

Senator B. Hansen moved the adoption of the Business and Labor Committee report for the confirmation of the following appointment(s) found on page 60:

Commission of Industrial Relations
William G. Blake

Voting in the affirmative, 37:

Aguilar	Cavanaugh, J.	Hansen, B.	Lowe	Sanders
Albrecht	Clements	Hilgers	McCollister	Slama
Arch	Day	Hilkemann	McDonnell	Walz
Blood	Dorn	Hughes	Morfeld	Williams
Bostar	Flood	Hunt	Moser	Wishart
Bostelman	Geist	Kolterman	Murman	
Brandt	Gragert	Lathrop	Pahls	
Briese	Groene	Lindstrom	Pansing Brooks	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 9:

Brewer	DeBoer	Friesen	McKinney	Wayne
Cavanaugh, M.	Erdman	Halloran	Vargas	

Excused and not voting, 3:

Hansen, M.	Linehan	Stinner
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The appointment was confirmed with 37 ayes, 0 nays, 9 present and not voting, and 3 excused and not voting.

Senator Walz moved the adoption of the Education Committee report for the confirmation of the following appointment(s) found on page 42:

Technical Advisory Committee for Statewide Assessment
 Jeffrey M. Nellhaus
 Linda Poole

Voting in the affirmative, 39:

Aguilar	Cavanaugh, J.	Gragert	Lathrop	Pansing Brooks
Albrecht	Clements	Groene	Lindstrom	Sanders
Arch	Day	Hansen, B.	McCollister	Slama
Blood	DeBoer	Hilgers	McDonnell	Vargas
Bostar	Dorn	Hilkemann	Morfeld	Walz
Bostelman	Flood	Hughes	Moser	Williams
Brandt	Friesen	Hunt	Murman	Wishart
Brewer	Geist	Kolterman	Pahls	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 6:

Briese	Erdman	McKinney
Cavanaugh, M.	Lowe	Wayne

Excused and not voting, 4:

Halloran Hansen, M. Linehan Stinner

The appointments were confirmed with 39 ayes, 0 nays, 6 present and not voting, and 4 excused and not voting.

Senator Walz moved the adoption of the Education Committee report for the confirmation of the following appointment(s) found on page 42:

Board of Educational Lands and Funds
James D. Scheer

Voting in the affirmative, 41:

Aguilar	Clements	Groene	Lowe	Slama
Albrecht	Day	Hansen, B.	McCollister	Vargas
Arch	DeBoer	Hilgers	McDonnell	Walz
Blood	Dorn	Hilkemann	Morfeld	Williams
Bostar	Erdman	Hughes	Moser	Wishart
Bostelman	Flood	Hunt	Murman	
Brandt	Friesen	Kolterman	Pahls	
Brewer	Geist	Lathrop	Pansing Brooks	
Cavanaugh, J.	Gragert	Lindstrom	Sanders	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 4:

Briese Cavanaugh, M. McKinney Wayne

Excused and not voting, 4:

Halloran Hansen, M. Linehan Stinner

The appointment was confirmed with 41 ayes, 0 nays, 4 present and not voting, and 4 excused and not voting.

Senator Walz moved the adoption of the Education Committee report for the confirmation of the following appointment(s) found on page 42:

Nebraska Educational Telecommunications Commission
Darrin Scott Good

Voting in the affirmative, 41:

Aguilar	Cavanaugh, M.	Groene	McCollister	Slama
Albrecht	Clements	Hansen, B.	McDonnell	Vargas
Arch	Day	Hilgers	McKinney	Walz
Bostar	DeBoer	Hilkemann	Morfeld	Williams
Bostelman	Dorn	Hughes	Moser	Wishart
Brandt	Flood	Hunt	Murman	
Brewer	Friesen	Kolterman	Pahls	
Briese	Geist	Lathrop	Pansing Brooks	
Cavanaugh, J.	Gragert	Lindstrom	Sanders	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 4:

Blood	Erdman	Lowe	Wayne
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Excused and not voting, 4:

Halloran	Hansen, M.	Linehan	Stinner
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The appointment was confirmed with 41 ayes, 0 nays, 4 present and not voting, and 4 excused and not voting.

Senator Walz moved the adoption of the Education Committee report for the confirmation of the following appointment(s) found in this day's Journal:

Technical Advisory Committee for Statewide Assessment
Christy Hovanetz

Voting in the affirmative, 39:

Aguilar	Briese	Geist	Lathrop	Pansing Brooks
Albrecht	Cavanaugh, J.	Gragert	Lindstrom	Sanders
Arch	Clements	Groene	McCollister	Slama
Blood	Day	Hansen, B.	McDonnell	Vargas
Bostar	Dorn	Hilkemann	Morfeld	Walz
Bostelman	Erdman	Hughes	Moser	Williams
Brandt	Flood	Hunt	Murman	Wishart
Brewer	Friesen	Kolterman	Pahls	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 6:

Cavanaugh, M.	Hilgers	McKinney
DeBoer	Lowe	Wayne

Excused and not voting, 4:

Halloran Hansen, M. Linehan Stinner

The appointment was confirmed with 39 ayes, 0 nays, 6 present and not voting, and 4 excused and not voting.

GENERAL FILE

LEGISLATIVE BILL 14. Title read. Considered.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 41 ayes, 0 nays, 5 present and not voting, and 3 excused and not voting.

COMMITTEE REPORT(S)

Enrollment and Review

LEGISLATIVE BILL 6. Placed on Select File.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 5. Placed on Select File.

(Signed) Terrell McKinney, Chairperson

ADJOURNMENT

At 10:27 a.m., on a motion by Senator Slama, the Legislature adjourned until 9:00 a.m., Thursday, September 23, 2021.

Patrick J. O'Donnell
Clerk of the Legislature