

Journal of the Senate

ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

OF THE

STATE OF MISSOURI

FIRST REGULAR SESSION

VETO SESSION

FIRST DAY - WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2025

The Senate was called to order in Veto Session by Lieutenant Governor David Wasinger.

The Reverend Stephen George offered the following prayer:

“The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases; His mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning; great is Your faithfulness.”
(Lamentations 3:22-23 ESV)

Almighty God, as we convene for our work today, we are reminded that Your steadfast love never ceases, and we thank You for Your great mercy and faithfulness. We ask now that You would help us to be faithful in the work that has been entrusted to us. We ask this in Your Holy Name, Amen.

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was recited.

Photographers from KSHB 41 News, St. Louis Public Radio, Gray Media, and Spectrum News were given permission to take pictures in the Senate Chamber.

The following Senators were present during the day’s proceedings:

Present—Senators

Bean	Beck	Bernskoetter	Black	Brattin	Brown (16)	Brown (26)
Burger	Carter	Cierpiot	Coleman	Crawford	Fitzwater	Gregory (15)
Gregory (21)	Henderson	Hough	Hudson	Lewis	Luetkemeyer	May
McCreery	Moon	Mosley	Nicola	Nurrenbern	O’Laughlin	Schnelting
Schroer	Trent	Washington	Webber	Williams—33		

Absent—Senators—None

Absent with leave—Senator Roberts—1

Vacancies—None

The Lieutenant Governor was present.

RESOLUTIONS

Senator Luetkemeyer offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1

BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate that the Secretary of Senate inform the House of Representatives that the Senate is duly convened and is now in session as provided by Article III, Section 32 of the Constitution and is ready for the consideration of its business.

The Senate observed a moment of silence for Bryan Michael Moon.

Senator Luetkemeyer offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2

BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate that the rules of the Senate, as adopted by the One Hundred and Third General Assembly, First Regular Session, be declared to be the rules of the Veto Session of the One Hundred and Third General Assembly.

On motion of Senator Luetkemeyer, the Senate recessed until 1:37 p.m.

RECESS

The time of recess having expired, the Senate was called to order by President Wasinger.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

The following messages were received from the House of Representatives through its Chief Clerk:

Madam President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House has taken up and adopted **HR 1**.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the One Hundred Third General Assembly, First Regular Session, inform the Governor and the Senate that the House is duly convened and is now in session in the 2025 Constitutional Veto Session and ready for consideration of its business.

Also,

Madam President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House has taken up and adopted **HR 2**.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 2

BE IT RESOLVED, by the House of Representatives, that the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives inform the Senate that the House, having been duly convened as provided by Article III, Section 32 of the Constitution, adopted no motions to override the Governor's vetoes on **CCS for SS for SCS for HCS for HB 2**, **CCS for SCS for HCS for HB 3**, **CCS for SCS for HCS for HB 4**, **CCS for SCS for HCS for HB 5**, **CCS for SS for SCS for HCS for HB 6**, **CCS for SS for SCS for HCS for HB 7**, **CCS for SS for SCS for HCS for HB 8**, **CCS for SS for SCS for HCS for HB 9**, **CCS for SS for SCS for HCS for HB 10**, **CCS for SS for SCS for HCS for HB 11**, **CCS for SS for SCS for HCS for HB 12**, and **CCS for SCS for HCS for HB 17**, when the bills were called by the Speaker.

COMMUNICATIONS

Senator Cierpiot submitted the following:

September 10, 2025

Secretary of the Senate Kristina C. Martin
Missouri State Capitol Room 325
Jefferson City, Missouri 65101
Dear Kristina C. Martin,

Pursuant to Rule 76, I am requesting to seek recognition while seated.



Senator Mike Cierpiot

Also,

Senator Roberts submitted the following:

September 10, 2025

Kristina Martin – Secretary of the Senate
State Capitol, Room 325
Jefferson City, Missouri 65101

Dear Secretary Martin,

I will be on active military duty during Veto Session and the Second Extraordinary Session beginning September 10, 2025, and ask that my absence from each be excused leave.

Yours in service,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'S. Roberts', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Steven Roberts

Missouri Senate -Fifth District

On motion of Senator Luetkemeyer, the Senate of the Veto Session of the First Regular Session of the 103rd General Assembly adjourned sine die, pursuant to the Constitution.

DAVID WASINGER

Lieutenant Governor

KRISTINA MARTIN

Secretary of Senate

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