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LEGISLATIVE JOURNAL

**ONE HUNDRED FIRST LEGISLATURE
FIRST SESSION**

FORTY-SIXTH DAY

Legislative Chamber, Lincoln, Nebraska
Thursday, March 19, 2009

PRAYER

The prayer was offered by Senator Wallman.

ROLL CALL

Pursuant to adjournment, the Legislature met at 9:00 a.m., Senator Langemeier presiding.

The roll was called and all members were present except Senators Campbell and Flood who were excused; and Senators Cornett, Dierks, Loudon, Nantkes, and White who were excused until they arrive.

SENATOR ROBERT PRESIDING

CORRECTIONS FOR THE JOURNAL

The Journal for the forty-fifth day was approved.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Enrollment and Review

LEGISLATIVE BILL 110. Placed on Final Reading.
LEGISLATIVE BILL 110A. Placed on Final Reading.
LEGISLATIVE BILL 165. Placed on Final Reading.
LEGISLATIVE BILL 168. Placed on Final Reading.
LEGISLATIVE BILL 177. Placed on Final Reading.
LEGISLATIVE BILL 184. Placed on Final Reading.
LEGISLATIVE BILL 207. Placed on Final Reading.
LEGISLATIVE BILL 377. Placed on Final Reading.

(Signed) Jeremy Nordquist, Chairperson

GENERAL FILE

LEGISLATIVE BILL 548. Title read. Considered.

Committee AM714, found on page 725, was considered.

PRESIDENT SHEEHY PRESIDING

Senator Nelson moved the previous question. The question is, "Shall the debate now close?" The motion prevailed with 25 ayes, 3 nays, and 21 not voting.

The committee amendment was adopted with 32 ayes, 5 nays, 8 present and not voting, and 4 excused and not voting.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 32 ayes, 3 nays, 10 present and not voting, and 4 excused and not voting.

RESOLUTIONS

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 59. Introduced by Langemeier, 23.

WHEREAS, the Mead Raiders won the 2009 Class D-1 Boys' State Basketball Championship; and

WHEREAS, Mead defeated Humphrey St. Francis 55-52 in the championship game, which gave Mead its first state title in boys' basketball since 1935; and

WHEREAS, Mead finished the season with a record of nineteen wins and six losses; and

WHEREAS, the Legislature should recognize the academic, athletic, and artistic achievements of the youth of our state.

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

1. That the Legislature congratulates the Mead Raiders on winning the 2009 Class D-1 Boys' State Basketball Championship.

2. That a copy of this resolution be sent to the Raiders and their head coach, P. J. Quinn.

Laid over.

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 60. Introduced by Langemeier, 23.

WHEREAS, The Bishop Neumann Cavaliers won the 2009 Class C-1 Girls' State Basketball Championship; and

WHEREAS, Bishop Neumann defeated Bennington 49-38 in the championship game, which gave Bishop Neumann its first girls' basketball state title; and

WHEREAS, Bishop Neumann finished the season with a record of twenty-five wins and one loss; and

WHEREAS, the Legislature should recognize the academic, athletic, and artistic achievements of the youth of our state.

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

1. That the Legislature congratulates the Bishop Neumann Cavaliers on winning the 2009 Class C-1 Girls' State Basketball Championship.

2. That a copy of this resolution be sent to the Cavaliers and their head coach, Rick Ahrens.

Laid over.

GENERAL FILE

LEGISLATIVE BILL 292. Title read. Considered.

Committee AM496, found on page 605, was adopted with 37 ayes, 0 nays, 9 present and not voting, and 3 excused and not voting.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 40 ayes, 0 nays, 6 present and not voting, and 3 excused and not voting.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 603. Title read. Considered.

Committee AM351, found on page 637, was adopted with 35 ayes, 0 nays, 7 present and not voting, and 7 excused and not voting.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 34 ayes, 0 nays, 8 present and not voting, and 7 excused and not voting.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 603A. Title read. Considered.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 32 ayes, 1 nay, 9 present and not voting, and 7 excused and not voting.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 547. Title read. Considered.

Committee AM365, found on page 484, was considered.

Pending.

NOTICE OF COMMITTEE HEARING

Natural Resources

Room 1510

Thursday, March 26, 2009 1:30 p.m.

LB561 (AM769)

(Signed) Chris Langemeier, Chairperson

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Revenue

LEGISLATIVE BILL 210. Placed on General File.**LEGISLATIVE BILL 233.** Placed on General File.**LEGISLATIVE BILL 234.** Placed on General File.**LEGISLATIVE BILL 26.** Placed on General File with amendment.
AM187

- 1 1. On page 2, line 14, after the underscored period
- 2 insert "Such special assessment perpetual liens, which include all
- 3 special assessments levied from the date of the tax sale through
- 4 the date the tax certificate owner files the foreclosure action,
- 5 shall not be extinguished.".

(Signed) Abbie Cornett, Chairperson

UNANIMOUS CONSENT - Add Cointroducers

Senator Dubas asked unanimous consent to add her name as cointroducer to LB72, LB653, and LB675. No objections. So ordered.

Senator Janssen asked unanimous consent to add his name as cointroducer to LB413. No objections. So ordered.

VISITORS

Visitors to the Chamber were Michael Krings from Hastings; members of Buffalo County Youth from Buffalo County; Gary, Janet, Amanda, and Emma Brandt from Kearney; former Senator Carol Hudkins from Malcolm; 75 fourth-grade students and teachers from Trinity Christian School, Omaha; 39 fourth-grade students, teachers, and sponsors from Sutton; and 44 fourth-grade students and teachers from Avery Elementary, Bellevue.

The Doctor of the Day was Dr. Preston Renshaw from O'Neill.

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:59 a.m., on a motion by Senator White, the Legislature adjourned until 9:00 a.m., Friday, March 20, 2009.

Patrick J. O'Donnell
Clerk of the Legislature

