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ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY-FOURTH DAY Hall of the House of Representatives, Columbus, Ohio **Thursday, June 30, 2016, 9:00 o'clock a.m.**

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

Pursuant to House Rule No. 23, the Clerk called the House to order.

Representative Sears was selected to preside under the Rule.

The journal of the previous legislative day was read and approved.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following bill was introduced:

H. B. No. 583 - Representative Becker.

Cosponsors: Representatives Antani, Hood, Thompson, Vitale, Brinkman, Roegner, Dean, Buchy, Zeltwanger.

To amend sections 9.81, 124.14, 124.15, 3345.31, 4117.03, 4117.04, 4117.05, 4117.09, 4117.10, 4117.11, 4121.03, 4121.121, 4121.69, and 5501.20 of the Revised Code to remove any requirement under the Public Employees Collective Bargaining Law that public employees join or pay dues to any employee organization, to prohibit public employers from requiring public employees to join or pay dues to any employee organization, to prohibit an employee organization from being required to represent public employees who are not members of the employee organization, and to make an appropriation.

Said bill was considered the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Representative Blessing moved that the following resolutions be read by title only and brought up for immediate adoption:

H. R. No. 444 - Representative O'Brien, S.

Honoring the Girard High School Robocats robotics team on winning the 2016 Ohio State FIRST Robotics Championship.

H. R. No. 445 - Representative Ruhl

Honoring the Fredericktown High School FFA environmental and natural resources team on winning the 2016 FFA State ENR Contest.

H. R. No. 446 - Representative Butler

Honoring the Oakwood High School Academic Decathlon team on placing first at the 2016 Division III National Championship.

H. R. No. 447 - Representative Schaffer

Honoring the Pickerington High School North baseball team as the 2016 Division I State Champion.

H. R. No. 448 - Representative Green

Honoring the Village of Aberdeen on its Bicentennial.

The motion was agreed to.

The question being, "Shall the resolutions be adopted?"

The resolutions were adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE SPEAKER

June 29, 2016

Dear Speaker Rosenberger,

As you know I have been offered, and agreed to accept, the position of President of the Toledo Metropolitan Area Council of Governments (TMACOG).

While the decision to leave the Legislature is bitter sweet, I will continue to serve the citizens of Wood County and the Toledo Metropolitan area in our region's council of governments.

I want to thank you for allowing me to serve as Chairman of the Government Accountability and Oversight Committee. You placed great trust in me and I appreciate you allowing me to serve you and our colleagues in this capacity. I also want to thank my aide Daniel James for his hard work and dedication to the citizens I have been elected to represent. Mr. James as you know has been with me since my first day on the job and I appreciate his loyal service.

Participating in our Nation's great Democracy will be among the highlights of my life! Public service is an honorable calling and I could not be more humbled by the experience of serving in the Ohio House of Representatives on behalf of the citizens of Ohio's 3rd District.

It is with a heavy heart that I respectfully tender my resignation from the Ohio House of Representatives, 3rd Ohio House District, effective Sunday, July 17th, 2016.

Thank you again for all that you have done for me, I will always be grateful.

Tim W. Brown, State Representative Ohio House of Representatives 77 South High Street, 13th Floor Columbus, OH 43215-6111

MESSAGE FROM THE SPEAKER

June 30, 2016

Representative Tim Brown Ohio House of Representatives 77 South High Street, 13th Floor Columbus, Ohio 43215

Dear Representative Brown,

This is to acknowledge receipt and acceptance of your letter of resignation from the Ohio House of Representatives, effective July 17, 2016.

It has been an honor working with you over the years and I especially appreciate the value you've provided as Chairman of the House Government Accountability and Oversight Committee. You have served your constituents and the state of Ohio well and I am confident you will continue to do so as President of the Toledo Metropolitan Area Council of Governments.

Best Regards,

Clifford A. Rosenberger Speaker, Ohio House of Representatives

On motion of Representative Blessing, the House adjourned until Wednesday, July 6, 2016 at 9:00 o'clock a.m.

Attest:	BRADLEY J. YOUNG,
	Clerk