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TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2023

EIGHTY-SECOND DAY
Senate Chamber, Columbus, Ohio
Tuesday, September 19, 2023, 9:30 a.m.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Pursuant to Senate Rule No. 3, the Clerk called the Senate to order.

Senator DeMora was selected to preside according to the rule.

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

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST CONSIDERATION OF BILLS

The following bills were introduced and considered for the first time:

S. B. No. 156 - Senators Reineke, Hackett.

To amend sections 505.82, 1514.10, 1517.01, 1517.02, 1517.021, 1517.11, 1531.04, 1546.01, 1546.02, 1546.04, 1547.73, 1547.75, 1547.81, 1547.82, 1547.83, 1547.84, 1547.85, 1547.86, 3714.03, and 4501.24 and to amend, for the purpose of adopting new section numbers as indicated in parentheses, sections 1547.81 (1517.14), 1547.82 (1517.15), 1547.83 (1517.16), 1547.84 (1517.17), 1547.85 (1517.18), and 1547.86 (1517.19) of the Revised Code to revise the law governing the designation of wild, scenic, and recreational rivers.

S. B. No. 157 - Senator Lang.

To amend sections 1317.05 and 3905.426 and to enact section 1310.251 of the Revised Code to modify the law governing debt suspension products, extended wear and use waivers, motor vehicle ancillary product protection contracts, and vehicle protection agreements.

S. B. No. 158 - Senator Cirino.

To amend section 705.19 of the Revised Code regarding the disbursement of municipal funds by residents and to declare an emergency.

S. B. No. 159 - Senator O'Brien.
Cosponsors: Senators Johnson, Schaffer, Antani.

To amend sections 5747.98 and 5751.98 and to enact sections 5747.74 and 5751.55 of the Revised Code to authorize a nonrefundable tax credit for donations to certain pregnancy resource centers.

OFFERING OF RESOLUTIONS

Pursuant to Senate Rule No. 55, the following resolutions were offered:

S. R. No. 204 - Senator Ingram.
Honoring Corinthian Baptist Church on its One Hundred Fifty-fifth

Anniversary.

S. R. No. 205 - Senator Romanchuk.
Honoring the Mansfield Noon Optimist Club on its One Hundredth Anniversary.

S. R. No. 206 - Senators Romanchuk, Schuring.
Honoring Terry Burke on receiving the 2023 ODRC Correctional Officer of the Year Award.

S. R. No. 207 - Senator Gavarone.
Honoring Andrew Uxley for outstanding service to the State of Ohio.

The question being, "Shall the resolutions listed under the President's prerogative be adopted?"
So the resolutions were adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR

The President handed down the following messages from the Governor which were read by the Clerk:

STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
COLUMBUS

I, Mike DeWine, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Omer S. Ashruf, from Solon, Cuyahoga County, Ohio, as a Member of the Northeast Ohio Medical University Board of Trustees for a term beginning June 30, 2023 and ending at the close of business June 29, 2025, replacing Sanjay Jinka, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 30th day of June in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Three.

[Seal]

Mike DeWine,
Governor.

STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
COLUMBUS

I, Mike DeWine, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Kevin

P. Bishop, from Toledo, Lucas County, Ohio, as a Member of the University of Toledo Board of Trustees for a term beginning July 28, 2023 and ending at the close of business July 1, 2025, replacing Anjali Atul Phadke, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 28th day of July in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Three.

[Seal] Mike DeWine,
Governor.

STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
COLUMBUS

I, Mike DeWine, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Hannah Blythe, from West Union, Adams County, Ohio, as a Member of the Shawnee State University Board of Trustees for a term beginning July 28, 2023 and ending at the close of business June 30, 2025, replacing Slater Twain Bakenhaster, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 28th day of July in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Three.

[Seal] Mike DeWine,
Governor.

STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
COLUMBUS

I, Mike DeWine, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Lara M. Boman, from Ashland, Ashland County, Ohio, as a Member of the Kent State University Board of Trustees for a term beginning July 28, 2023 and ending at the close of business May 16, 2025, replacing Haley M. Crews, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 28th day of July in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Three.

[Seal] Mike DeWine,

Governor.

STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
COLUMBUS

I, Mike DeWine, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Nikki C. Byrd, from Shaker Heights, Cuyahoga County, Ohio, as a Member of the Cleveland State University Board of Trustees for a term beginning June 30, 2023 and ending at the close of business May 1, 2032, replacing Stephen F. Kirk, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 30th day of June in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Three.

[Seal] Mike DeWine,
Governor.

STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
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COLUMBUS

I, Mike DeWine, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Renato Camacho, from North Canton, Stark County, Ohio, as a Member of the Kent State University Board of Trustees for a term beginning June 30, 2023 and ending at the close of business May 16, 2032, replacing Stephen A. Perry, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 30th day of June in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Three.

[Seal] Mike DeWine,
Governor.

STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
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COLUMBUS

I, Mike DeWine, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Nicholas K. Campana, from Dayton, Montgomery County, Ohio, as a Member of the University of Akron Board of Trustees for a term beginning July 28, 2023 and ending at the close of business July 1, 2025, replacing

Brooke Campbell, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 28th day of July in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Three.

[Seal] Mike DeWine,
Governor.

STATE OF OHIO
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I, Mike DeWine, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Joseph Benedict Cortas, from Cincinnati, Hamilton County, Ohio, as a Member of the University of Cincinnati Board of Trustees for a term beginning June 30, 2023 and ending at the close of business May 13, 2025, replacing Andrew J. Wessel, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 30th day of June in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Three.

[Seal] Mike DeWine,
Governor.

STATE OF OHIO
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COLUMBUS

I, Mike DeWine, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Madisyn Crabtree, from Beavercreek, Greene County, Ohio, as a Member of the Wright State University Board of Trustees for a term beginning July 28, 2023 and ending at the close of business June 30, 2025, replacing Rahul Shah, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 28th day of July in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Three.

[Seal] Mike DeWine,
Governor.

STATE OF OHIO
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COLUMBUS

I, Mike DeWine, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Natalie Marie Dando, from Uniontown, Summit County, Ohio, as a Member of the Youngstown State University Board of Trustees for a term beginning June 30, 2023 and ending at the close of business April 30, 2025, replacing Elsa Kahn, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 30th day of June in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Three.

[Seal]

Mike DeWine,
Governor.

STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
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I, Mike DeWine, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Dale Gibson Foerster, from Warren, Trumbull County, Ohio, as a Member of the Eastern Gateway Community College Board of Trustees for a term beginning January 18, 2023 and ending at the close of business October 16, 2025, replacing Pearl Kathryn Mills, who resigned.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 24th day of February in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Three.

[Seal]

Mike DeWine,
Governor.

STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
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COLUMBUS

I, Mike DeWine, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Phillip Alan Greenberg, from Hilliard, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the Bowling Green State University Board of Trustees for a term beginning June 30, 2023 and ending at the close of business May 17, 2032, replacing Marylin A. Eisele, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 30th day of June in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Three.

[Seal] Mike DeWine,
Governor.

STATE OF OHIO
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COLUMBUS

I, Mike DeWine, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Joshua H.B. Kerner, from Avon Lake, Lorain County, Ohio, as a Member of the The Ohio State University Board of Trustees for a term beginning July 28, 2023 and ending at the close of business May 13, 2025, replacing Tanner Hunt, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 28th day of July in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Three.

[Seal] Mike DeWine,
Governor.

STATE OF OHIO
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I, Mike DeWine, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Nicholas W. McNeil, from Milford, Clermont County, Ohio, as a Member of the Miami University Board of Trustees for a term beginning July 28, 2023 and ending at the close of business February 28, 2025, replacing Dawson Cosgrove, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 28th day of July in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Three.

[Seal] Mike DeWine,
Governor.

STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
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I, Mike DeWine, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Cole A. Nemeth, from Bowling Green, Wood County, Ohio, as a Member of the Bowling Green State University Board of Trustees for a term beginning June 30, 2023 and ending at the close of business May 17, 2025, replacing Joshua Auten, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 30th day of June in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Three.

[Seal] Mike DeWine,
Governor.

STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
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COLUMBUS

I, Mike DeWine, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Markee L. Osborne, from Columbus, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the Shawnee State University Board of Trustees for a term beginning June 30, 2023 and ending at the close of business June 30, 2025, replacing George F. White, who resigned.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 30th day of June in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Three.

[Seal] Mike DeWine,
Governor.

STATE OF OHIO
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I, Mike DeWine, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Sallie Schisler, from Portsmouth, Scioto County, Ohio, as a Member of the Shawnee State University Board of Trustees for a term beginning July 1, 2023 and ending at the close of business June 30, 2032, replacing Joseph J. Watson, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 30th day of June in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Three.

[Seal] Mike DeWine,
Governor.

STATE OF OHIO
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COLUMBUS

I, Mike DeWine, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Akshat Shah, from Eastlake, Lake County, Ohio, as a Member of the Cleveland State University Board of Trustees for a term beginning June 30, 2023 and ending at the close of business May 1, 2025, replacing Brittany N. Sommers, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 30th day of June in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Three.

[Seal] Mike DeWine,
Governor.

STATE OF OHIO
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I, Mike DeWine, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Joseph Alan Starkey, from Waterford, Washington County, Ohio, as a Member of the Technical Advisory Council on Oil and Gas for a new term beginning April 27, 2023 and ending at the close of business January 31, 2026, replacing Joseph Alan Starkey, whose term expired.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 27th day of April in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Three.

[Seal] Mike DeWine,
Governor.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Pursuant to Section 127.12 of the Ohio Revised Code, the President of the Senate appoints Senator Andrew O. Brenner to temporarily replace Senator Jerry C. Cirino on the Controlling Board for the purposes of the September 18, 2023 meeting.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Pursuant to Rules No. 19 and 20, the President of the Senate removes Senator Paula Hicks-Hudson and temporarily appoints Senator Vernon Sykes as a member of the Government Oversight and Reform Committee for the purposes of the September 20, 2023 meeting.

On the motion of Senator Lang, the Senate adjourned until Wednesday, September 20, 2023 at 9:30 a.m.

Attest: VINCENT L. KEERAN,
Clerk.