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FIFTY-NINTH DAY

Hall of the House of Representatives, Columbus, Ohio

Tuesday, July 1, 2025, 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 Claggett was selected to preside under the Rule.

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

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following bills were introduced:

H. B. No. 383 - Representative Moore.

To enact section 5534.015 of the Revised Code to designate a portion of State Route 149 in Belmont County as the "Litten Brothers Memorial Highway."

H. B. No. 384 - Representative Moore.

To enact section 5534.102 of the Revised Code to designate a portion of U.S. Route 22 in Harrison County as the "Staff Sergeant Melvin Trushel, Sr. Memorial Highway."

H. B. No. 385 - Representative Moore.

To enact section 5534.668 of the Revised Code to designate a portion of U.S. Route 22 in Harrison County as the "PFC Thomas "Tommy" Pizzino Memorial Highway."

H. B. No. 386 - Representatives Odioso, Abrams.

To amend section 3101.05 of the Revised Code to require identity verification with photo identification when applying for a marriage license.

H. B. No. 387 - Representatives Sigrist, Daniels.

Cosponsors: Representatives Brennan, Piccolantonio, McNally, Jarrells, White, E., Rader, Somani, Brownlee, Hall, D., Synenberg, Miller, J., Thomas, C., Brewer, Lett, Upchurch, Barhorst, Plummer, Fischer, Hall, T., Williams, Deeter.

To amend section 4303.182 and to enact section 4301.392 of the Revised Code to authorize a municipal corporation or township to allow Sunday sales of intoxicating liquor without local option election approval.

H. B. No. 388 - Representatives Williams, Jarrells.

To enact section 124.826 of the Revised Code regarding reimbursements to state employees and elected state officials for GLP-1 drug costs.

H. B. No. 389 - Representatives Miller, J., Thomas, D.

Cosponsors: Representatives McNally, Brownlee, Rader, Brennan, Williams, Synenberg, Somani, Lawson-Rowe, Baker, Sims, Upchurch, Brent, Grim, Hall, D., White, E., Brewer, Mohamed, Jarrells, Tims.

To amend sections 4501.01 and 4503.10 of the Revised Code to eliminate the additional registration fee applicable to hybrid motor vehicles.

H. B. No. 390 - Representative Schmidt.

To enact section 3902.55 of the Revised Code to prohibit health plan issuers from requiring or inducing providers to collect copayments and other cost sharing amounts.

H. B. No. 391 - Representatives Daniels, Workman.

Cosponsors: Representatives Click, Dean, Deeter, Demetriou, Fischer, Gross, Hall, T., Hiner, Holmes, Johnson, King, Klopfenstein, Lear, Newman, Richardson, Roemer, Salvo, Thomas, D., Willis.

To amend sections 323.131 and 4503.06 and to enact section 5705.171 of the Revised Code to require tax rates to be expressed as a percentage of true value on tax bills and ballot language.

Said bills were considered the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

H. R. No. 174 - Representative Lawson-Rowe

Honoring Josiah Montgomery as a 2025 Division I State Track and Field Champion.

H. R. No. 175 - Representative Deeter

Honoring Ariannah Floyd as a 2025 Division II State Track and Field Champion.

H. R. No. 176 - Representative LaRe

Honoring Jenn Crank on her dog, Bee, being named a 2025 American Kennel Club National Agility Champion.

H. R. No. 177 - Representative McClain

Honoring Dostal and Kirk Insurance and Financial Services on its One Hundred Fiftieth Anniversary.

H. R. No. 178 - Representative Craig

Honoring Kaitlyn Carr as a 2025 Division III State Champion in track and field.

H. R. No. 179 - Representative Craig

Honoring the Waynedale High School baseball team as the 2025 Division V State Champion.

H. R. No. 180 - Representative King

Honoring Cade Shellhaas as a 2025 Division III State Track and Field Champion.

H. R. No. 181 - Representative Johnson

Honoring the Hocking County Courthouse on its Centennial.

H. R. No. 182 - Representative Lorenz

Honoring Blake Eichhorn on placing first in his competition at the 2025 SCTP Ohio Championships.

H. R. No. 183 - Representative John

Honoring the Ontario High School girls 4x400-meter relay team as the 2025 Division II State Champion.

H. R. No. 184 - Representative John

Honoring the Lexington High School boys 4x800-meter relay team as the 2025 Division I State Champion.

H. R. No. 185 - Representative John

Honoring the Mansfield Playhouse on its One Hundredth Anniversary.

H. R. No. 186 - Representative John

Honoring Madison Henkel on winning a 2025 Division II State Track and Field championship.

H. R. No. 187 - Representative Ghanbari

Honoring the Village of Tontogany on its Sesquicentennial.

The motion was agreed to.

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

The resolutions were adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE SPEAKER

Pursuant to House Rules 13, 30, and 32, the Speaker hereby makes the following changes to the following standing committees:

Finance: Remove Representative Isaacsohn; appoint Representative Abdullahi.

Financial Institutions: Remove Representative Synenberg; appoint Representative Russo and designate as Ranking Member.

General Government: Remove Representative Abdullahi; appoint Representative Russo.

Judiciary: Remove Representative Isaacsohn as Ranking Member;

designate Representative Synenberg as Ranking Member.

Message from the Senate

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on matters of difference between the two houses on:

Am. Sub. H. B. No. 96 - Representative Stewart – et al.

Attest:

Vincent L. Keeran,
Clerk.

Message from the Senate

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred in the passage of the following bills:

H. B. No. 51 - Representatives Klopfenstein, King

Cosponsors: Representatives Miller, K., Barhorst, Brennan, Click, Deeter, Fowler Arthur, Ghanbari, Grim, Holmes, Hoops, Jarrells, LaRe, Lear, Lorenz, Mathews, T., Miller, J., Newman, Peterson, Richardson, Robb Blasdel, Rogers, Russo, Schmidt, Sigrist, Thomas, C., Williams, Willis
Senators Antonio, Brenner, Cirino, Craig, DeMora, Gavarone, Hicks-Hudson, Johnson, Landis, Lang, O'Brien, Patton, Reineke, Romanchuk, Schaffer, Timken, Weinstein, Wilkin, Wilson

To enact section 5534.427 of the Revised Code to designate a portion of U.S. Route 33 in Auglaize County as the "Lt. James A. Kirkendall Memorial Highway."

H. B. No. 80 - Representative Stewart

Cosponsors: Representatives Mathews, A., Miller, J., Roemer, Abrams, Barhorst, Brennan, Ghanbari, Grim, Gross, Jarrells, Jones, Lampton, Lawson-Rowe, Mullins, Peterson, Piccolantonio, Robb Blasdel, Russo, Salvo, Sigrist, Sims, Swearingen, Teska, Troy, Upchurch, White, E., Williams, Willis
Senators Antonio, Craig, DeMora, Hicks-Hudson, Lang, O'Brien, Patton, Reineke, Schaffer, Weinstein, Wilkin

To make appropriations for the Industrial Commission for the biennium beginning July 1, 2025, and ending June 30, 2027, and to provide authorization and conditions for the operation of Commission programs.

Attest:

Vincent L. Keeran,
Clerk.

Message from the Senate

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed the following bills in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

S. B. No. 182 - Senator Patton

Cosponsors: Senators Antonio, Cirino, Craig, DeMora, Gavarone, Hicks-Hudson, Johnson, Landis, Lang, Liston, O'Brien, Reineke, Romanchuk, Schaffer, Smith, Timken, Weinstein, Wilkin

To enact section 5534.926 of the Revised Code to designate a portion of State Route 10 in Cleveland as "John E. Gallagher Way."

S. B. No. 212 - Senator Timken

Cosponsors: Senators Blackshear, Brenner, Cirino, DeMora, Gavarone, Hicks-Hudson, Ingram, Lang, Patton, Reineke, Timken, Weinstein, Wilson

To amend section 4501.21 and to enact section 4503.736 of the Revised Code to create the "Play Golf Ohio" license plate.

Attest:

Vincent L. Keeran,
Clerk.

Said bills were considered the first time.

MESSAGE FROM THE SPEAKER

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, on June 26, 2025, signed the following:

H. B. No. 51-Representatives Klopfenstein, King - et al.

H. B. No. 80-Representative Stewart - et al.

MESSAGE FROM THE SPEAKER

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, on June 26, 2025, signed the following:

Am. Sub. H. B. No. 96-Representative Stewart - et al.

CLERK'S NOTATION

This is to acknowledge receipt from the office of the Governor, on July 1, 2025, a statement of the reasons for the veto of items in Am. Sub. H.B. 96.

On motion of Representative LaRe, the House adjourned until Monday, July 7, 2025 at 9:00 o'clock a.m.

Attest:

ALI N. SAGRAVES,
Assistant Clerk.