

## 63rd Senate Business Meeting October 1, 2024

Vice President Mellen calls the meeting to order at 6:01.

Secretary Chen calls roll and determines that quorum is met with 39 Senators.

Senator Joiner makes a motion to add Senator Biggerstaff to the roll. Secretary Boudreaux seconds.

Senator Wamble makes a motion to adopt Bill 10. Senator Morgan seconds.

Senator Hulbert presents Bill 10.

Senator Wamble makes a motion to enter a period of discussion. Senator Gipson seconds.

Senator Keyes makes a motion to previous questions. Senator Smith seconds.

Speaker Howell sends out a poll for Bill 10. Passes: 39 yay, 0 nay, 2 present.

Senator Joiner makes a motion to add Senator Cummings, Senator Tillery, Senator Khadgi, and Senator Daniels to the roll. Senator Haab seconds.

Senator Wamble makes a motion to adopt Bill 11. Senator Reeves seconds.

Senator Hulbert presents Bill 11.

Senator Wamble makes a friendly amendment to add "except in the event of University closures." Senator Hulbert accepts the friendly amendment.

Speaker Howell makes a motion to enter a period of discussion. Senator Denton seconds.

Senator Heering makes a motion to previous question. Senator Morgan seconds.

Speaker Howell sends a poll for Bill 11; needs <sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub> vote. Passes: 43 yay, 0 nay, 2 present.

Senator Wamble makes a motion to add Senator Heathcock to the roll. Senator Berish seconds.

Senator Joiner makes a motion to add Senator Black and Senator Blakeney to the roll. Senator Haab seconds.

Senator Wamble makes a motion to add Senator Ellis to the roll. Senator Bourdreaux seconds.

Senator Keyes makes a motion to adopt Bill 12. Senator Reeves seconds.

Senator Denton presents Bill 12.

Senator Boudreaux makes a friendly amendment to change "Article 2" to "Article 3". Senator Denton accepts the friendly amendment.

Senator Joiner makes a motion to enter period of discussion

Speaker Howell sends a poll for Bill 12 poll; needs <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> vote. Passes: 41 yay, 0 nay, 2 present.

Senator Joiner makes a motion to adopt Bill 13. Senator Lin seconds.

Senator Hulbert presents Bill 13.

Senator Keyes makes a motion to enter a period of discussion. Senator Hester seconds.

Senator Boudreaux makes a motion to previous questions. Senator Martin seconds.

Speaker Howell sends out the poll for Bill 13; needs <sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub> vote. Passes: 41 yay, 4 nay, 0 present.

Senator Joiner makes a motion to adopt Bill 14. Senator Haab seconds.

Senator Hulbert presents Bill 14.

Senator Biggerstaff makes a motion to enter a period of discussion. Senator White seconds.

Senator Wamble makes a friendly amendment to add "At the discretion of the Vice President..". Senator Hulbert accepts.

Senator Wamble makes a motion to end previous questions. Senator Berish seconds.

Senator Keyes makes a motion to previous questions. Senator Wamble seconds.

Speaker Howell sends out a poll for Bill 14. Passes: 41 yay, 2 nay, 3 present.

Senator Joiner makes a motion to adopt Bill 15. Senator Porter seconds.

Senator Hulbert presents Bill 15.

Senator Heering makes a motion to previous questions. Senator Haab seconds.

Speaker Howell sends out a poll for Bill 15. Passes: 43 yay, 3 nay, 1 present.

Senator Keyes makes a motion to adopt Bill 16. Senator Joiner seconds.

Senator Denton presents Bill 16.

Senator Wamble makes a motion to enter a period of discussion. Speaker Howell seconds.

Senator Keyes makes a motion to previous questions. Senator Moore seconds.

Speaker Howell sends out a poll for Bill 16; needs <sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub> vote. Passes: 45 yay, 0 nay, 1 present.

Senator Joiner makes a motion to adopt Bill 17. Senator Wamble seconds.

Senator Denton presents Bill 17.

Senator Boudreaux makes a friendly amendment to remove the partial sentence, "Any absence that.." Senator Denton accepts the friendly amendment.

Senator Heering makes a motion to enter a period of discussion. Senator Sanders seconds.

Senator Keyes makes a motion to previous questions. Senator Houston seconds.

Speaker Howell sends out a poll for Bill 17. Passes: 47 yay, 0 nay, 0 present.

Senator Joiner makes a motion to adopt Bill 18. Senator White seconds.

Speaker Howell presents Bill 18.

Senator Heering makes a motion to enter a period of discussion. Senator Wamble seconds.

Senator Heering makes a motion to previous questions. Senator Figureoa seconds.

Speaker Howell sends out a poll for Bill 18; needs <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> vote. Passes: 42 yay, 0 nay, 2 present.

Senator Keyes makes a motion to adjourn the meeting after Executive Council updates.

Executive updates are made.

Meeting adjourned.