

# HOUSE JOURNAL

**Second Regular Session of the Fifty-third Legislature**

**of the State of Oklahoma**

**Twenty-seventh Legislative Day, Wednesday, March 21, 2012**

The House was called to order by Speaker Steele.

The roll was called with 88 Members present.

The following Members were excused: Bennett, Glenn, Hickman, Kouplen, Peters, Ritze, Roberts (Dustin), Tibbs, Trebilcock, Williams, Wright.—11.

Vacancy: District 71, District 88.—2.

The Speaker declared a quorum present.

Prayer was offered by Reverend Allen Carson, First United Methodist Church, Chandler. Reverend Carson was sponsored by Representative Morgan.

Upon motion of Representative Thomsen, Reverend Carson was confirmed as House Chaplain for this legislative day.

The Journal for the last legislative day was approved.

## **FIRST READING**

The following was introduced and read for the first time:

**HJR 1107** – By Vaughan.

A Joint Resolution approving permanent rule of the Department of Wildlife Conservation; and directing distribution.

**RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced and read:

**HR 1051** – By Inman, Proctor, Scott and Virgin.

A Resolution recognizing and commending the Regional Food Bank of Oklahoma and the Community Food Bank of Eastern Oklahoma; encouraging Oklahoma residents to devote time to food banks; designating April 23, 2012, as Hold Out for Hunger Day; and directing distribution.

**RESOLUTION FOR CONSIDERATION**

**HR 1042** was called up for consideration.

Upon unanimous consent request of Representative Wesselhoft, all Members of the House were added as coauthors.

Upon motion of Representative Wesselhoft, **HR 1042** was considered and adopted.

**HR 1042** was referred for enrollment.

**SECOND READING**

Representative DeWitt moved pursuant to the list emailed this afternoon from the Majority Floor Leader's office to the membership of the House that said measures be considered read for the second time, which motion was declared adopted.

The following were read for the second time and referred to committee:

**SB 1031** – Appropriations and Budget

**SB 1040** – Agriculture, Wildlife and Environment

**SB 1043** – Agriculture, Wildlife and Environment

**SB 1082** – Economic Development, Tourism and Financial Services

**SB 1106** – Judiciary

**SB 1354** – Public Safety

**SB 1363** – Appropriations and Budget

**SB 1371** – Insurance

**SB 1381** – Common Education

**SB 1398** – Appropriations and Budget

**SB 1601** – Economic Development, Tourism and Financial Services

**SB 1624** – Appropriations and Budget

**SB 1716** – Judiciary

**SB 1903** – Judiciary

**SJR 80** – Rules

## **ADJOURNMENT CONSENT REQUEST**

Representative DeWitt moved that the House grant the request of the Honorable Senate to adjourn for more than three (3) days beginning Thursday, March 22, 2012, and ending Monday, March 26, 2012, pursuant to Article V, Section 30, which was the order.

## **RESOLUTION FOR CONSIDERATION**

**HR 1048** was called up for consideration.

Upon unanimous consent request of Representative Dorman, all Members of the House were added as coauthors.

Representative Reynolds moved to amend **HR 1048**, Page 3, Lines 2-4 by deleting “This is especially important in challenging economic times which impact the Red Cross and many people in our communities and across the nation.” and inserting in lieu thereof “This is especially important to all charitable organizations during challenging economic times.”, which amendment was declared adopted.

Upon motion of Representative Dorman, **HR 1048** was considered and adopted.

**HR 1048** was referred for enrollment.

## **MEASURE REASSIGNED**

The following measure was reassigned:

**SB 1943** – Withdrawn from Appropriations and Budget and referred to Public Safety.

Representative DeWitt moved that when the clerk's desk is clear, the House stand adjourned to reconvene at 1:30 p.m., Monday, March 26, 2012, which was the order.

Pursuant to the motion of Representative DeWitt, the House was adjourned at 2:15 p.m., to reconvene Monday, March 26, 2012, at 1:30 p.m.