

Journal of the Senate

SECOND REGULAR SESSION

FORTY-NINTH DAY - TUESDAY, APRIL 14, 2026

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

President Wasinger in the Chair.

Senator Hudson offered the following prayer:

"For I, the LORD thy God, will hold thy right hand, saying unto thee, Fear not; I will help thee." (Isaiah 41:13)

Father God,

Please help us. Before us are awesome responsibilities, numerous choices, and problems that need solving. Take hold of our hands, speak to our hearts, and sharpen our minds. The enemy of our soul wants to manipulate us with fear. Please give us courage. The flesh that we contend with would confine us to a comfortable rut. Please give us a desire for more than that. We ask that You pour out Your blessings upon us and that You make us worthy of those blessings.

And we ask these things in Jesus name. Amen!

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was recited.

A quorum being established, the Senate proceeded with its business.

The Journal of the previous day was read and approved.

The following Senators were present during the day's proceedings:

Present—Senators

Bean	Beck	Black	Brattin	Brown (16)	Brown (26)	Burger
Carter	Crawford	Fitzwater	Gregory (15)	Gregory (21)	Henderson	Hough
Hudson	Lewis	Luetkemeyer	McCreery	Moon	Mosley	Nicola
Nurrenbern	O'Laughlin	Schnelting	Schroer	Trent	Washington	Webber

Williams—29

Absent—Senators—None

Absent with leave—Senators

Bernskoetter	Cierpiot	Coleman	May	Roberts—5
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Vacancies—None

The Lieutenant Governor was present.

Senator Hudson assumed the Chair.

President Wasinger assumed the Chair.

RESOLUTIONS

Senator O'Laughlin offered Senate Resolution No. 922, regarding Gina Smith, Kirksville, which was adopted.

Senator Schroer offered Senate Resolution No. 923, regarding Hannah Halterman, Saint Charles, which was adopted.

Senator Schroer offered Senate Resolution No. 924, regarding Rhythm Kukreja, O'Fallon, which was adopted.

Senator Schroer offered Senate Resolution No. 925, regarding Grace Pointer, O'Fallon, which was adopted.

Senator Schroer offered Senate Resolution No. 926, regarding Sophia Boren, O'Fallon, which was adopted.

Senator Schroer offered Senate Resolution No. 927, regarding Adeline Law, O'Fallon, which was adopted.

On behalf of Senator Roberts, Senator Beck offered Senate Resolution No. 928, regarding Legal Services of Eastern Missouri, St. Louis, which was adopted.

REFERRALS

President Pro Tem O'Laughlin referred **SS No. 2** for **SCS** for **SB 1586** to the Committee on Fiscal Oversight.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

Senator Nicola introduced to the Senate, Stephanie, Adelaide, Colleen, Edwin, and Maggie Welch, Independence; and Creighton and Piper Harves, Blue Springs.

Senator Lewis introduced to the Senate, Bruce Frakes; and Myles Odom, Independence.

On motion of Senator Luetkemeyer, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Wednesday, April 15, 2026.

SENATE CALENDAR

FIFTIETH DAY—WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 2026

FORMAL CALENDAR

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

SB 1658-Nurrenbern
 SB 1659-Nurrenbern
 SB 1660-Nurrenbern
 SB 1661-Black
 SB 1662-May

SB 1663-Crawford
 SB 1664-Coleman
 SB 1665-Coleman
 SB 1666-Coleman
 SB 1667-Gregory (21)

SB 1668-Gregory (21)	SB 1713-McCreery
SB 1669-Carter	SB 1714-McCreery
SB 1670-Beck	SB 1715-McCreery
SB 1671-Gregory (21)	SB 1716-McCreery
SB 1672-Brown (16)	SB 1717-Nurrenbern
SB 1673-Burger	SB 1718-Hudson
SB 1674-Burger	SB 1719-Schroer
SB 1675-Lewis	SB 1720-Schroer
SB 1676-Burger	SB 1721-Schroer
SB 1677-Schnelting	SB 1722-Gregory (21)
SB 1678-Gregory (21)	SB 1723-Brown (16)
SB 1679-Gregory (21)	SB 1724-Brown (16)
SB 1680-McCreery	SB 1725-Beck
SB 1681-McCreery	SB 1726-Carter
SB 1682-McCreery	SB 1727-Carter
SB 1683-McCreery	SB 1728-Carter
SB 1684-McCreery	SB 1729-Henderson
SB 1685-McCreery	SB 1730-Henderson
SB 1686-McCreery	SB 1731-May
SB 1687-McCreery	SB 1732-Trent
SB 1688-Gregory (15)	SB 1733-Gregory (15)
SB 1689-Gregory (15)	SB 1734-Gregory (15)
SB 1690-Gregory (15)	SB 1735-Washington
SB 1691-Burger	SB 1736-Washington
SB 1692-Lewis	SB 1737-Washington
SB 1693-Lewis	SB 1738-Washington
SB 1694-Roberts	SB 1739-Washington
SB 1695-Webber	SB 1740-Washington
SB 1696-Webber	SB 1741-Washington
SB 1697-Schroer	SB 1742-Lewis
SB 1698-Schroer	SB 1743-Lewis
SB 1699-Gregory (21)	SB 1744-Lewis
SB 1700-Henderson	SB 1745-Lewis
SB 1701-Nurrenbern	SB 1746-Moon
SB 1702-Nurrenbern	SB 1747-McCreery
SB 1703-Carter	SB 1748-McCreery
SB 1704-Gregory (15)	SB 1749-McCreery
SB 1705-Lewis	SB 1750-McCreery
SB 1706-Lewis	SB 1751-Hough
SB 1707-McCreery	SB 1752-Hough
SB 1708-McCreery	SB 1753-Hough
SB 1709-McCreery	SB 1754-Hough
SB 1710-McCreery	SB 1755-Hough
SB 1711-McCreery	SB 1756-Hough
SB 1712-McCreery	SB 1757-Hough

SB 1758-Hough	SB 1786-Black
SB 1759-Hough	SB 1787-Black
SB 1760-Hough	SB 1788-Williams
SB 1761-Hough	SB 1789-Bean
SB 1762-Hough	SB 1790-Bean and Trent
SB 1763-Hough	SB 1791-Cierpiot
SB 1764-Hough	SB 1792-Webber
SB 1765-Hough	SB 1793-Webber
SB 1766-Hough	SB 1794-Webber
SB 1767-Brattin	SB 1795-Webber
SB 1768-Brattin	SB 1796-Trent
SB 1769-Brattin	SB 1797-Trent
SB 1770-Brattin	SB 1798-Trent
SB 1771-Brattin	SB 1799-Trent
SB 1772-Brattin	SB 1800-Schroer
SB 1773-Gregory (21)	SB 1801-Schroer
SB 1774-Gregory (21)	SB 1802-Carter
SB 1775-Gregory (21)	SB 1803-Carter
SB 1776-Coleman	SB 1804-Beck
SB 1777-Coleman	SB 1805-Lewis
SB 1778-Mosley	SB 1806-Washington
SB 1779-Henderson	SB 1807-Washington
SB 1780-Burger	SB 1808-Luetkemeyer
SB 1781-Burger	SJR 118-Nurrenbern
SB 1782-Schnelting	SJR 119-Lewis
SB 1783-Schnelting	SJR 120-Lewis
SB 1784-Schnelting	SJR 121-McCreery
SB 1785-Hudson	SJR 122-Moon

HOUSE BILLS ON SECOND READING

HCS for HBs 2122 & 1626	HCS for HB 2517
HCS for HB 1791	HB 1730-Costlow
HCS for HB 2465	HB 3107-Oehlerking
HCS for HBs 2913 & 3228	HCS for HB 2292
HCS for HB 3239	HB 2848-Dolan
HB 1772-Amato	HCS for HB 2711
HB 2096-Farnan	HCS for HB 3080
HCS for HB 2481	HCS for HB 2740
HCS for HB 1869	HB 2422-Haley
HB 2927-Parker	HCS for HB 3111
HCS for HBs 2387 & 2480	HCS for HB 3009
HB 2885-Hovis	

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

SS for SCS for SB 1534-Nicola
(In Fiscal Oversight)

SS#2 for SCS for SB 1586-Brown (26)
(In Fiscal Oversight)

SENATE BILLS FOR PERFECTION

1. SB 1376-Trent
2. SB 1083-Burger
3. SB 895-Brown (26)
4. SB 1477-Nicola
5. SB 942-Brown (16)
6. SB 1033-Bean

7. SB 1057-Schroer
8. SB 1392-Schroer
9. SB 1135-Henderson
10. SB 896-Brown (26), with SCS
11. SB 1393-Schroer

HOUSE BILLS ON THIRD READING

1. HB 2180-Griffith (Bernskoetter), with SCS
2. HCS for HJRs 173 & 174, with SCS (Trent)
3. HCS for HB 1870 (Crawford)
4. HCS for HB 2596 (Crawford)
5. HB 2593-Hardwick, with SCS
(Schnelting) (In Fiscal Oversight)
6. HCS for HB 2710, with SCS (Trent)
(In Fiscal Oversight)

7. HB 1786-Voss (Gregory (21))
8. HCS for HB 1866 (Gregory (15))
9. HCS for HBs 1664, 1610, 1645 & 2182 (Hudson)
10. HB 1644-Overcast, with SCS (Schroer)
11. HCS for HB 2974 (Burger)
12. HB 2125-Banderman
(In Fiscal Oversight)

INFORMAL CALENDAR

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

SS for SCS for SB 838-Cierpiot

SENATE BILLS FOR PERFECTION

- SB 836-Crawford, with SCS
SB 841-Bernskoetter, with SCS
SB 849-O'Laughlin
SB 856-Brattin and Coleman
SB 879-Fitzwater, with SS (pending)
SB 887-Schroer
SB 904-Gregory (15), with SS & SA 2 (pending)
SB 916-Burger, with SCS
SB 917-Burger, with SS & SA 1 (pending)
SB 918-Burger

- SB 919-Nicola, with SCS
SB 931-Crawford
SB 948-Brattin, with SS & SA 3 (pending)
SB 970-Fitzwater, with SCS & SS for SCS
(pending)
SBs 971 & 906-Trent, with SCS
SBs 984 & 968-Carter, with SCS
SB 996-Gregory (15), with SS (pending)
SB 998-Hudson, with SCS

SB 999-Hudson, et al, with SS, SA 1 &
 SA 1 to SA 1 (pending)
 SB 1003-Schnelting, with SCS, SS for SCS &
 SA 4 (pending)
 SB 1012-Nicola, with SCS & SS for SCS (pending)
 SB 1029-Brattin, with SCS & SS#2 for SCS
 (pending)
 SB 1064-Brown (26)
 SB 1065-Brown (26), with SCS

SB 1085-Nicola, with SCS & SS for SCS (pending)
 SB 1094-Crawford, with SCS, SS for SCS &
 SA 2 (pending)
 SBs 1410 & 853-Crawford, with SCS
 SB 1442-Hudson, with SCS & SS for SCS (pending)
 SB 1605-Henderson, with SS (pending)
 SBs 1653 & 1194-Trent, with SCS
 SJR 111-Hudson, with SCS, SS for SCS &
 SA 1 (pending)

RESOLUTIONS

SR 565-Beck
 SR 566-Beck

SR 567-Beck
 SR 668-Moon

ACTIONS PURSUANT TO ARTICLE IV, SECTION 27

SS for SB 1 - Hough

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