JOURNAL OF THE HOUSE.

Thursday, April 25, 2013.

Met according to adjournment at eleven o'clock A.M., in an Informal Session, with Mr. Donato of Medford in the Chair (having been appointed by the Speaker, under authority conferred by Rule 5, to perform the duties of the Chair).

Pledge of allegiance.

At the request of the Chair (Mr. Donato), the members, guests and employees joined with him in reciting the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Resolutions.

The following resolutions (filed with the Clerk) were referred, under Rule 85, to the committee on Rules:

Resolutions (filed by Mr. Bradley of Hingham) congratulating the Hull Public Library on the occasion of its one hundredth anniversary;

Resolutions (filed by Mr. Calter of Kingston) congratulating Scott Richard Guidoboni on receiving the Eagle Award of the Boy Scouts of America;

Resolutions (filed by Mr. deMacedo of Plymouth) recognizing Comcast Cares Day in Plymouth;

Resolutions (filed by Mr. Roy of Franklin) congratulating Justin Chander on receiving the Eagle Award of the Boy Scouts of America; and

Resolutions (filed by Mr. Roy of Franklin) congratulating Adam Shanahan on receiving the Eagle Award of the Boy Scouts of America;

Resolutions (filed by Ms. Story of Amherst) congratulating the Hitchcock Center for the Environment on the occasion of its fiftieth anniversary;

Resolutions (filed by Ms. Story of Amherst) congratulating the University of Massachusetts Amherst on the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of its founding; and

Resolutions (filed by Ms. Story of Amherst) recognizing the town of Amherst's celebration of Stanley P. Ziomek Day on April 27, 2013;

Mr. Binienda of Worcester, for the committee on Rules, reported, in each instance, that the resolutions ought to be adopted. Under suspension of the rules, in each instance, on motion of Mr. Wong of Saugus, the resolutions (reported by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading to be correctly drawn) were considered forthwith; and they were adopted.

Reports of Committees.

Weymouth,—tax collector.

By Ms. Peake of Provincetown, for the committee on Municipalities and Regional Government, on a petition, a Bill validating the actions taken by assistant tax collector, Rosemarie Driscoll, in the town of Weymouth (House, No. 1868) [Local Approval Received]. Read; and referred, under Rule 7A, to the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling.

Mr. Kafka of Stoughton, for said committee, then reported that the matter be scheduled for consideration by the House.

Under suspension of the rules, on motion of the same member, the bill was read a second time forthwith; and it was ordered to a third reading.

Hull Public Library.

Richard Guidoboni.

Plymouth,— Comcast Day.

Justin Chander.

Adam Shanahan.

Hitchcock Center.

UMass-Amherst, anniversary.

Amherst,— Ziomek Day.

By Mr. Kafka of Stoughton, for the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling, that the following House bills be scheduled for consideration by the House:

Amending the town charter regarding certain appointed boards in the town of Westborough (House, No. 1835) [Local Approval Received];

Authorizing the town of West Boylston to assess compensary sewer privilege fees (House, No. 1870) [Local Approval Received]; and

Authorizing the town of Hingham to change the use of certain parcels of land in the town (House, No. 3411) [Local Approval Received];

Under suspension of Rule 7A, in each instance, on motion of Mr. Kafka, the bills severally were read a second time forthwith; and they were ordered to a third reading.

Westborough,charter.

West Boylston,sewer fees.

Hingham.land use.

Orders of the Day.

The House Bill establishing a sick leave bank for Marjorie Petteruto, an employee of the Highway Division of the Massachusetts Department of Transportation (House, No. 3410), reported by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading to be correctly drawn, was read a third time; and it was passed to be engrossed. Sent to the Senate for concurrence.

Third bill.

Order.

On motion of Mr. DeLeo of Winthrop,—

Ordered, That when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet Next on Monday next at eleven o'clock A.M.

sitting.

At a quarter after eleven o'clock A.M., on motion of Mr. Hill of Ipswich (Mr. Donato of Medford being in the Chair), the House adjourned, to meet the following Monday at eleven o'clock A.M., in an Informal Session.