

JOURNAL OF THE HOUSE.

Thursday, June 4, 2015.

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:

AIDS Walk
Boston.

Resolutions (filed by Ms. Hogan of Stow) commending the AIDS Action Committee on its thirtieth annual AIDS Walk Boston;

Natalie
Andrews.

Resolutions (filed by Mr. Linsky of Natick) congratulating Natalie Grace Andrews on receiving the Gold Award of the Girl Scouts of America;

Amelia
Walsh.

Resolutions (filed by Mr. Linsky of Natick) congratulating Amelia Raye Walsh on receiving the Gold Award of the Girl Scouts of America; and

North Shore
Music
Theatre.

Resolutions (filed by Mr. Parisella of Beverly) congratulating the North Shore Music Theatre on its sixtieth anniversary;

Mr. Galvin of Canton, 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. Day of Stoneham, the resolutions (reported by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading to be correctly drawn) were considered forthwith; and they were adopted.

Additional Petitions.

The following additional petitions (having been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the House, previously to five o'clock in the afternoon on Friday, January 16, 2015) were referred, under Rule 24 and Joint Rule 13, as follows:

Saw Mill
Brook,—
riverfront.

By Mr. Coppinger of Boston, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3567) of Edward F. Coppinger, Michael F. Rush and Frank I. Smizik relative to the riverfront area of the Saw Mill Brook. To the committee on Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture.

Abington,—
public
works.

By Mr. Diehl of Whitman, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3568) of Geoff Diehl and John F. Keenan (by vote of the town) that the town of Abington be authorized to create a department of public works; and

Chelsea,—
charter.

By Mr. Ryan of Boston, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3569) of Daniel J. Ryan (with the approval of the city council) for legislation to amend the charter of the city of Chelsea;

Severally to the committee on Municipalities and Regional Government. Severally sent to the Senate for concurrence.

The following petition (having been deposited in the office of the Clerk previously to five o'clock in the afternoon on Friday, January 16, 2015) was transmitted to the State Secretary under Chapter 3 of the General Laws:

A petition (subject to Joint Rule 9) of Daniel J. Ryan relative to the designated port area in the Charlestown section of the city of Boston. Charlestown,—
port area.

Petitions.

Petitions severally were presented and referred as follows:

By Ms. Balser of Newton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3563) of Ruth B. Balser and others (with the approval of the mayor and board of aldermen) that the city of Newton be authorized to change the name of the legislative body from "board of alderman" to "city council"; Newton,—
board of
alderman.

By Mr. Hunt of Sandwich, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3564) of Randy Hunt and Viriato M. deMacedo (by vote of the town) that the town of Sandwich be authorized to establish a beach restoration fund; and Sandwich,—
beach
fund.

By Mr. Zlotnik of Gardner, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3565) of Jonathan D. Zlotnik (with the approval of the mayor and city council) that the city of Gardner be authorized to establish the Williams-Rockwell educational gift fund; Gardner,—
education
fund.

Severally to the committee on Municipalities and Regional Government.
Severally sent to the Senate for concurrence.

Petitions severally were presented and referred as follows:

By Mr. DiNatale of Fitchburg, a petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Stephen L. DiNatale relative to the inspections of exercise equipment in health clubs. Gym
equipment.

By Ms. Farley-Bouvier of Pittsfield, a petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Tricia Farley-Bouvier and Benjamin B. Downing for legislation to establish a sick leave bank for Phanarath Siv, an employee of the Department of Children and Families. Phanarath
Siv,—
sick leave.

By Mr. Koczera of New Bedford, a petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Robert M. Koczera and others relative to the compensation received by teachers employed by vocational-technical schools. Vocational
school
teachers.

Severally, under Rule 24, to the committee on Rules.

Reports of Committees.

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

Authorizing the town of Acton police patrol officers and superior officers to be exempt from the provisions of the civil service law (House, No. 2202) [Local Approval Received]; Acton,—
civil
service.

Authorizing the town of Williamsburg to continue the employment of firefighter Paul Sanderson (House, No. 3191) [Local Approval Received]; and Williamsburg,—
Paul
Sanderson.

Exempting certain employees of the department of public works in the town of Stoughton from the civil service law (House, No. 3280) [Local Approval Received]; Stoughton,—
civil
service.

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

By Mr. Schmid of Westport, for the committee on Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture, asking to be discharged from further consideration:

Storage tanks,— insurance.

Of the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 684) of Danielle W. Gregoire relative to the liability insurance requirements for owners of underground storage tanks,— and recommending that the same be referred to the committee on Financial Services.

Natural resources.

Of the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 755) of Frank I. Smizik for legislation to promote efficiency in the use of certain natural resources,— and recommending that the same be referred to the committee on Public Health.

Saugus,— Wheelabrator facility.

Of the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 770) of RoseLee Vincent for legislation to prohibit licensing by the Department of Environmental Protection of a third burner at the Wheelabrator facility in the town of Saugus; and

Id.

Of the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 771) of RoseLee Vincent relative to the licensing of a third burner at the Wheelabrator facility in the town of Saugus;

And recommending that the same severally be referred to the committee on Municipalities and Regional Government.

Underground utility infrastructure regulations.

Of the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 772) of Chris Walsh, Carmine L. Gentile and Denise Provost for legislation to direct the Department of Public Utilities to promulgate rules and regulations relative to the development of underground utility infrastructure,— and recommending that the same be referred to the committee on Telecommunications, Utilities and Energy.

Under Rule 42, the reports severally were considered forthwith; and they were accepted. Severally sent to the Senate for concurrence.

Dorchester,— Charbonnier-Dever area.

By Mr. Schmid of Westport, for the committee on Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture, on a petition, a Bill designating a certain area in the Dorchester section of the city of Boston in memory of Trooper Mark S. Charbonnier and Deputy Sheriff Sgt. Richard “Ricky” Dever (House, No. 692).

Norton,— land.

By the same member, for the same committee, on a petition, a Bill authorizing the town of Norton to use water supply and conservation land for public way purposes (House, No. 3340) [Local Approval Received].

Severally read; and referred, under Rule 7A, to the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling.

Emergency Measure.

Ellen Carlson,— sick leave.

The engrossed Bill establishing a sick leave bank for Ellen Carlson, an employee of the Department of Developmental Services (see Senate, No. 39), having been certified by the Clerk to be rightly and truly prepared for final passage, was considered, the question being on adopting the emergency preamble.

A separate vote was taken, as required by the provisions of Article XLVIII (as amended by Article LXVII) of the Amendments to the Constitution; and the preamble was adopted, by a vote of 5 to 0. Sent to the Senate for concurrence.

Subsequently, the Senate having concurred in adoption of the emergency preamble, the bill (which originated in the Senate) was passed to be enacted; and it was signed by the acting Speaker and sent to the Senate. Bill enacted.

Engrossed Bill.

The engrossed Bill establishing a sick leave bank for Rachel Zwet-chenbaum, an employee of the Department of Unemployment Assistance (see House, No. 3190, amended) (which originated in the House), in respect to which the Senate had concurred in adoption of the emergency preamble, was passed to be enacted; and it was signed by the acting Speaker and sent to the Senate. Bill enacted.

Orders of the Day.

The House Bill establishing a sick leave bank for Janet Maslowski, an employee of the Franklin/Hampshire Juvenile Court (House, No. 3364), 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 reading bill.

Order.

On motion of Mr. DeLeo of Winthrop,—

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

At twelve minutes after eleven o'clock A.M., on motion of Mr. Wong of Saugus (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.