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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).

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

Pledge of allegiance.

Resolutions.

Resolutions (filed with the Clerk by Mr. Consalvo of Boston) commending Vitfriends, Vitiligo Support Group, for educating, supporting, advocating, and spreading awareness on vitiligo and to support all those living with vitiligo, were referred, under Rule 85, to the committee on Rules.

Mr. Galvin of Canton, for said committee, reported that the resolutions ought to be adopted. Under suspension of the rules, on motion of the same member, the resolutions (reported by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading to be correctly drawn) were considered forthwith; and they were adopted.

Petitions.

Petitions severally were presented and referred as follows:

By Mr. DeCoste of Norwell, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3916) of David F. DeCoste (by vote of the town) relative to changing the name of the board of selectmen to select board in the town of Norwell;

By Miss Gregoire of Marlborough, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3917) of Danielle W. Gregoire and others (by vote of the town) relative to changing the name of the board of selectmen to select board in the town of Westborough;

By the same member, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3918) of Danielle W. Gregoire and others (by vote of the town) relative to a department of public works in the town of Westborough;

By Representative Hogan of Stow and Senator Eldridge, a joint petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3919) of Kate Hogan and James B. Eldridge (by vote of the town) relative to the residency requirement for the executive assistant in the town of Hudson; and

By the same members, a joint petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3920) of Kate Hogan and James B. Eldridge (by vote of the town) relative to amending the charter of the town of Hudson to change the name of the board of selectmen to select board;

Severally to the committee on Municipalities and Regional Government.

By Representative Hogan of Stow and Senator Eldridge, a joint petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3921) of Kate Hogan and James B. Eldridge (by

Vitfriends.

Norwell, select board.

Westborough,—select board.

Westborough,—public works.

Hudson, executive assistant.

Hudson, select board.

Hudson,—
police details.

vote of the town) relative to police detail work in the town of Hudson. To the committee on Public Service.

Severally sent to the Senate for concurrence.

Papers from the Senate.

A Bill to upgrade hen welfare and establish uniform cage-free standards (Senate, No. 2481) (on Senate bill No. 2470), passed to be engrossed by the Senate, was read; and it was referred, under Rule 33, to the committee on Ways and Means.

Farm animals and cage free standards.

A petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2482) of Ryan C. Fattman (by vote of the town) for legislation to amend the town of Sutton Home Rule Charter, was referred, in concurrence, to the committee on Municipalities and Regional Government.

Sutton, select board.

Reports of Committees.

By Mr. Michlewitz of Boston, for the committee on Ways and Means, on a message from His Excellency the Governor, a Bill making certain appropriations for Fiscal Year 2022 before final action on the General Appropriation Bill (printed in House, No. 3905) [Total Appropriation: \$5,410,000,000.00]. Read; and referred, under Rule 7A, to the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling.

State funds, emergency expenditures.

Mr. Honan of Boston, for said committee, then reported recommending that the matter be scheduled for consideration by the House.

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

Under further suspension of the rules, on motion of Mr. Michlewitz of Boston, the bill (having been reported by the committee on Bills in the Reading to be correctly drawn) was read a third time; and it was passed to be engrossed. Sent to the Senate for concurrence.

Simulcasting.

By Mr. Chan of Quincy, for the committee on Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure, on House, No. 337, a Bill extending simulcasting and live horse racing authorization (House, No. 3912). Read; and referred, under Rule 33, to the committee on Ways and Means.

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

Authorizing the town of Sudbury to grant an additional license for the sale of alcoholic beverages to be drunk on the premises (House, No. 3895) [Local Approval Received];

Authorizing the town of Clinton to grant a license for the sale of all alcoholic beverages to Super Sumit, Inc. (House, No. 3896) [Local Approval Received];

Authorizing the town of Norwood to grant an additional liquor license (House, No. 3897) [Local Approval Received]; and

Authorizing the town of Webster to grant additional liquor licenses (House, No. 3898) [Local Approval Received];

Severally placed in the Orders of the Day for the next sitting for a second reading.

Sudbury, liquor license.

Clinton, liquor license.

Norwood, liquor license.

Webster, liquor licenses.

Recess.

At twenty-four minutes before twelve o'clock noon, on motion of Mr. Frost of Auburn (Mr. Donato of Medford being in the Chair), the House recessed subject to the call of the Chair; and at twelve minutes after twelve o'clock the House was called to order with Mr. Donato in the Chair.

Recess.

Engrossed Bill.

The engrossed Bill making certain appropriations for Fiscal Year 2022 before final action on the General Appropriation Bill (see House bill printed in House, No. 3905) (which originated in the House), having been certified by the Clerk to be rightly and truly prepared for final passage, was passed to be enacted; and it was signed by the acting Speaker and sent to the Senate.

Bill enacted.

Order.

On motion of Mr. Mariano of Quincy,—

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

Next sitting.

At fourteen minutes after twelve o'clock noon, on motion of Mr. Frost of Auburn (Mr. Donato of Medford being in the Chair), the House adjourned, to meet the following Wednesday at eleven o'clock A.M.