

Journal of the House

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
TOPEKA, KS, Monday, December 5, 2016, 10:00 a.m.

In accordance with the provisions of K.S.A. 46-142, those members elected at the General Election, November 8, 2016, convened at 10:00 a.m.

The meeting was called to order by Kris Kobach, Secretary of State, who presented the following certification.

**State of Kansas
Secretary of State**

I, KRIS W. KOBACH, Secretary of State, do hereby certify that the following persons were elected members of the House of Representatives of the State of Kansas for a two year term beginning on the second Monday of January, A.D. 2017.

District

1st Michael Houser
2nd Adam J. Lusker Sr.
3rd Monica Murnan
4th Trevor Jacobs
5th Kevin Jones
6th Jene Vickrey
7th Richard J. Proehl
8th Patty Markley
9th Kent L. Thompson
10th John Wilson
11th Jim Kelly
12th Doug Blex
13th Larry P. Hibbard
14th Keith Esau
15th Erin L. Davis
16th Cindy Holscher
17th Tom Cox
18th Cindy Neighbor
19th Stephanie Clayton
20th Jan H. Kessinger
21st Jerry Stogsdill
22nd Nancy Lusk
23rd Linda Gallagher
24th Jarrod Ousley
25th Melissa Rooker

District

26th Larry L. Campbell
27th Sean E. Tarwater Sr.
28th Joy Koesten
29th Brett Parker
30th Randy Powell
31st Louis E. Ruiz
32nd Pam Curtis
33rd Tom Burroughs
34th Valdenia C. Winn
35th Broderick Henderson
36th Kathy Wolfe Moore
37th Stan Frownfelter
38th Willie Dove
39th Shelee Brim
40th Debbie Deere
41st Jeff Pittman
42nd Jim Karleskint
43rd Bill Sutton
44th Barbara W. Ballard
45th Tom Sloan
46th Dennis "Boog" Highberger
47th Ronald B. Ellis
48th Marvin Kleeb
49th Scott Schwab
50th Fred C. Patton

District

51st Ron Highland
 52nd Brenda S. Dietrich
 53rd Jim Gartner
 54th Ken Corbet
 55th Annie Kuether
 56th Virgil Weigel
 57th John Alcalá
 58th Vic Miller
 59th Blaine Finch
 60th Mark Schreiber
 61st Francis Awerkamp
 62nd Randy Garber
 63rd John R. Eplee
 64th Susie Swanson
 65th Lonnie G. Clark
 66th Sydney Carlin
 67th Tom Phillips
 68th Dave Baker
 69th J.R. Claeys
 70th John E. Barker
 71st Diana Dierks
 72nd Tim Hodge
 73rd Les Mason
 74th Don Schroeder
 75th Mary Martha Good
 76th Eric L. Smith
 77th Kristey S. Williams
 78th Ron Ryckman
 79th Ed Trimmer
 80th Anita Judd-Jenkins
 81st Blake Carpenter
 82nd Pete DeGraaf
 83rd Henry Helgersson
 84th Gail Finney
 85th Chuck Weber
 86th Jim Ward
 87th Roger A. Elliott

District

88th Elizabeth Bishop
 89th KC Ohaebosim
 90th Steve Huebert
 91st Greg Lakin
 92nd John Carmichael
 93rd John Whitmer
 94th Leo Delperdang
 95th Tom Sawyer
 96th Brandon Whipple
 97th Leslie G. Osterman
 98th Steven G. Crum
 99th Susan Humphries
 100th Daniel Hawkins
 101st Joe Seiwert
 102nd Patsy Terrell
 103rd Ponka-We Victors
 104th Steven R. Becker
 105th Brenda Landwehr
 106th Clay Aurand
 107th Susan L. Concannon
 108th Steven Johnson
 109th Troy L. Waymaster
 110th Ken Rahjes
 111th Eber Phelps
 112th Tory M. Arnberger
 113th Greg Lewis
 114th Jack Thimesch
 115th Boyd Orr
 116th Kyle D. Hoffman
 117th Leonard A. Mastroni
 118th Don Hineman
 119th Bradley Ralph
 120th Adam Smith
 121st S. Mike Kiegerl
 122nd J. Russell "Russ" Jennings
 123rd John P. Wheeler Jr.
 124th J. Stephen Alford
 125th Shannon Francis

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused to be affixed my official seal this 1st day of December, A.D. 2016.

KRIS W. KOBACH
Secretary of State
 ERIC RUCKER
Assistant Secretary of State

124 members-elect were present.

Secretary of State Kris Kobach appointed Member-Elect Proehl to serve as temporary chairperson.

Mr. Proehl announced the meeting would recess until the sound of the gavel for the respective party caucuses.

Mr. Proehl called the meeting to order pursuant to recess.

Majority Party Caucus Chairperson Susan Concannon submitted the following report:

The members-elect of the majority party of the House of Representatives have met and caucused as required by K.S.A. 46-142, and:

(a) Nominate as their candidate for the following offices for the next ensuing biennium:

- (1) Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ron Ryckman
 - (2) Speaker Pro Tem of the House of Representatives, Scott Schwab
- (b) Select the following caucus or party officers:
- (1) Majority Leader, Don Hineman
 - (2) Assistant Majority Leader, Tom Phillips
 - (3) Majority Whip, Kent Thompson
 - (4) Caucus Chairperson, Susan Concannon

Minority Party Caucus Chairperson Barbara Ballard submitted the following report:

The members-elect of the minority party of the House of Representatives have met and caucused as required by K.S.A. 46-142, and have selected the following caucus or party officers.

- (a) Minority Leader, Jim Ward
- (b) Assistant Minority Leader, Stan Frownfelter
- (c) Minority Whip, Ed Trimmer
- (d) Agenda Chairperson, Brandon Whipple
- (e) Caucus Chairperson, Barbara Ballard
- (f) Policy Chairperson, Adam Lusker

On motion of Member-Elect Hineman, the caucus reports were received and ordered entered into the Journal.

Mr. Proehl declared the House adjourned until 2:00 p.m., Monday, January 9, 2017.

BECKIE HENDRICKS, JENNY HAUGH, JULIA WERNER, *Journal Clerks.*

SUSAN W. KANNARR, *Chief Clerk.*