

# Journal of the Senate

FORTY-FIRST DAY

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SENATE CHAMBER, TOPEKA, KANSAS  
Friday, March 15, 2013, 8:00 a.m.

The Senate was called to order by Vice President Jeff King  
The roll was called with thirty-eight senators present.  
Senators Masterson, Wolf were excused.  
Invocation by Father Don Davidson:

During this Lenten season for many Christians, Fridays are synonymous with cod, tilapia and trout. A day without meat will not hurt anyone and may remind some of the event so many years ago which made all the difference. For those that do not observe the discipline, there is no crime or foul, in fact you may catch on and feel blessed to worm your way into this holy fast. But do not worry, Easter comes along in a very short time and all will be well, or at least medium. In your name, O Lord. Amen

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Vice President Jeff King .

## REFERENCE OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were referred to Committees as indicated:

Federal and State Affairs: **HB 2052, HB 2055, HB 2199.**  
Public Health and Welfare: **SB 236.**  
Ways and Means: **SB 237.**

## INTRODUCTION OF ORIGINAL MOTIONS AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

Senator Ostmeyer introduced the following Senate resolution, which was read:

### SENATE RESOLUTION No. 1734—

A RESOLUTION congratulating the Norton Community High School wrestling team on its Class 3-2-1A State Wrestling Championship.

WHEREAS, The Norton Community High School wrestling team won the 2013 Kansas State High School Activities Association Class 3-2-1A State Wrestling Championship held at Gross Memorial Coliseum in Hays. Norton scored 129.5 points, outscoring runner-up Hoxie by 32.5 points; and

WHEREAS, The 2013 Norton wrestlers added another chapter to their school's

history of success in wrestling; and

WHEREAS, State medalists were:

132 pounds – John Risewick, first

126 pounds – Alec Hager, second

106 pounds – Caysean Campbell, second

120 pounds – Branson Addington, fourth

145 pounds – Cody Ellis, fourth

220 pounds – Lucas Engel, fourth

113 pounds – Ethan Ross, fifth

138 pounds – Jared Tallent, sixth

At 152 pounds, Jared Bohl also competed at the state tournament and won one match; and

WHEREAS, The head coach was Bill Johnson and his assistant coaches were Doug Ray, Shane Miller, and Tony Ficus. Team managers were Lindsay Addington, Jordyn Gosselin, Austin Hager, and Rickele Green; and

WHEREAS, The team had the enthusiastic support of the school's administrators, the faculty, the students, the wrestlers' parents and many area citizens: Now, therefore,

*Be it resolved by the Senate of the State of Kansas:* That the Norton Community High School wrestling team and Coach Johnson be congratulated and commended for winning the 2013 Kansas State High School Activities Association Class 3-2-1A State Wrestling Championship, and we extend our best wishes for their continued success and happiness; and

*Be it further resolved:* That the Secretary of the Senate shall be directed to provide one enrolled copy of this resolution to Senator Ostmeyer.

On emergency motion of Senator Ostmeyer **SR 1734** was adopted unanimously.

#### REPORT ON ENROLLED BILLS

**SR 1729, SR 1730, SR 1731, SR 1732, SR 1733** reported correctly enrolled, properly signed and presented to the Secretary of the Senate on March 15, 2013.

On motion of Senator Bruce, the Senate adjourned until 2:30 p.m., Monday, March 18, 2013.

HELEN MORELAND, ROSE MARIE GLATT, CHARLENE BAILEY, *Journal Clerks.*

DIANE MINEAR, *Secretary of the Senate.*

