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 Apr. 3, introduced by Senator Samuel Thomas ..... 390  
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59. A resolution proclaiming May 14, 2003, as Student Technology Integration Day in Michigan. Apr. 22, introduced by Senators Michael Bishop, Nancy Cassis, Wayne Kuipers, Michael Switalski, Gerald Van Woerkom, Ron Jelinek, Dennis Olshove, Michael Prusi, Valde Garcia, Alan Cropsey, Patricia Birkholz, Laura Toy, Jason Allen, Hansen Clarke .....	403
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60. A resolution to call for the Michigan Senate to fly the POW/MIA flag. Apr. 22, introduced by Senators Gilda Jacobs, Virg Bernero, Mark Schauer, Judson Gilbert, Cameron Brown, Deborah Cherry, Liz Brater, Hansen Clarke, Alan Cropsey, Michael Bishop, Nancy Cassis, Wayne Kuipers, Michael Switalski, Gerald Van Woerkom, Ron Jelinek, Dennis Olshove, Michael Prusi, Valde Garcia ....	405
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61. A resolution commemorating April 22, 2003, as Scenic Michigan Day. Apr. 22, introduced by Senators Thomas George, Michael Bishop, Nancy Cassis, Shirley Johnson, Wayne Kuipers, Michael Switalski, Gerald Van Woerkom, Ron Jelinek, Dennis Olshove, Michael Prusi, Valde Garcia, Alan Cropsey, Patricia Birkholz, Laura Toy, Jason Allen, Hansen Clarke .....	404
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62. A resolution commemorating April 21-25, 2003, as Playground Safety Week in Michigan. Apr. 22, introduced by Senators Beverly Hammerstrom, Michael Bishop, Nancy Cassis, Wayne Kuipers, Michael Switalski, Gerald Van Woerkom, Ron Jelinek, Dennis Olshove, Michael Prusi, Valde Garcia, Alan Cropsey, Patricia Birkholz, Laura Toy, Jason Allen, Hansen Clarke .....	404
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63. A resolution honoring Darlene and Joseph Steenland as they celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary. Apr. 23, introduced by Senators Michael Switalski, Alan Sanborn, Dennis Olshove, Virg Bernero, Samuel Thomas, Patricia Birkholz, Deborah Cherry, Raymond Basham, Wayne Kuipers, Alan Cropsey, Irma Clark-Coleman, Bill Hardiman, Gilda Jacobs, Mark Schauer, Hansen Clarke .....	418
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64. A resolution commemorating September 2003 as Children’s Internet Safety Month. Apr. 23, introduced by Senators Dennis Olshove, Beverly Hammerstrom, Jason Allen, Liz Brater, Michael Switalski, Deborah Cherry, Martha Scott, Virg Bernero, Samuel Thomas, Patricia Birkholz, Cameron Brown, Raymond Basham, Wayne Kuipers, Laura Toy, Alan Cropsey, Irma Clark-Coleman, Bill Hardiman, Gilda Jacobs, Gerald Van Woerkom, Mark Schauer, Hansen Clarke.....	419
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65. A resolution to memorialize the Congress of the United States to enact the Armed Forces Tax Fairness Act of 2003. Apr. 23, introduced by Senators Bill Hardiman, Bruce Patterson, Dennis Olshove, Valde Garcia, Virg Bernero, Patricia Birkholz, Raymond Basham, Michael Switalski, Wayne Kuipers, Laura Toy, Alan Cropsey, Irma Clark-Coleman, Gerald Van Woerkom, Hansen Clarke .....	420
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Apr. 24, reported favorably without amendment .....	436
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66. A resolution to urge the United States Department of Homeland Security to locate its Midwestern headquarters at the Selfridge Air National Guard Base in Macomb County. Apr. 23, introduced by Senators Alan Sanborn, Laura Toy, Bruce Patterson, Wayne Kuipers, Dennis Olshove, Jason Allen, Valde Garcia, Patricia Birkholz, Deborah Cherry, Raymond Basham, Michael Switalski, Alan Cropsey, Hansen Clarke .....	420
Apr. 23, rules suspended.....	420
Apr. 23, referred to Committee on Senior Citizens and Veterans Affairs.....	420
Apr. 24, reported favorably without amendment .....	436
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Apr. 29, amendment(s) defeated.....	442
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67. A resolution commemorating April 28, 2003, as Workers' Memorial Day.  
 Apr. 24, introduced by Senators Robert Emerson, Raymond Basham, Dennis Olshove, Michael Switalski, Deborah Cherry, Gilda Jacobs, Virg Bernero, Mark Schauer, Martha Scott, Burton Leland, Jim Barcia, Hansen Clarke, Irma Clark-Coleman, Michael Prusi, Liz Brater, Samuel Thomas..... 426  
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68. A resolution honoring Gerry Mutty upon his retirement.  
 Apr. 24, introduced by Senators Virg Bernero, Raymond Basham, Irma Clark-Coleman, Samuel Thomas, Deborah Cherry, Dennis Olshove, Michael Switalski, Gilda Jacobs, Liz Brater..... 427  
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69. A resolution declaring May 2003 as Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage Month.  
 Apr. 24, introduced by Senators Virg Bernero, Raymond Basham, Gerald Van Woerkom, Irma Clark-Coleman, Samuel Thomas, Deborah Cherry, Dennis Olshove, Michael Switalski, Gilda Jacobs, Liz Brater..... 427  
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70. A resolution recognizing Suomen Tasavallan Presidentti Tarja Halonen.  
 Apr. 24, introduced by Senators Michael Prusi, Robert Emerson, Michael Switalski, Gilda Jacobs, Raymond Basham, Irma Clark-Coleman, Virg Bernero, Samuel Thomas, Deborah Cherry, Dennis Olshove, Martha Scott, Mark Schauer, Kenneth Sikkema, Shirley Johnson, Gerald Van Woerkom, Tony Stamas, Jason Allen, Beverly Hammerstrom, Jim Barcia, Liz Brater, Burton Leland, Wayne Kuipers, Hansen Clarke, Nancy Cassis, Michelle McManus, Bruce Patterson, Judson Gilbert, Alan Sanborn, Alan Cropsey, Patricia Birkholz, Ron Jelinek, Bill Hardiman, Cameron Brown, Thomas George, Michael Bishop, Laura Toy ..... 428  
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71. A resolution to memorialize Congress to include funding for the American Red Cross Armed Forces Emergency Services in the National Defense Authorization Act and the Department of Defense Appropriations Act for fiscal year 2004.  
 Apr. 24, introduced by Senators Judson Gilbert, Valde Garcia, Bruce Patterson, Wayne Kuipers, Patricia Birkholz, Jason Allen, Gerald Van Woerkom, Alan Cropsey, Raymond Basham, Deborah Cherry, Dennis Olshove, Michael Switalski, Liz Brater, Mike Goschka, Nancy Cassis ..... 429  
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 May 27, reported favorably without amendment ..... 650  
 May 27, placed on order of Resolutions..... 650  
 May 28, resolution adopted ..... 664

72. A resolution observing April 25 - May 4, 2003, as National Dance Week.  
 Apr. 24, introduced by Senators Irma Clark-Coleman, Raymond Basham, Wayne Kuipers, Samuel Thomas, Deborah Cherry, Dennis Olshove, Michael Switalski, Gilda Jacobs, Liz Brater..... 429  
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73. A resolution commemorating the Twenty-fifth Anniversary of the MATRIX:MIDLAND Festival.  
 Apr. 29, introduced by Senators Tony Stamas, Jason Allen, Burton Leland, Gerald Van Woerkom, Valde Garcia, Gilda Jacobs, Laura Toy, Michael Bishop, Alan Cropsey, Michael Switalski, Wayne Kuipers, Hansen Clarke, Deborah Cherry ..... 441  
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74. A resolution to commemorate June 7, 2003, as Michigan Trailways Day.  
 Apr. 29, introduced by Senators Michael Bishop, Cameron Brown, Burton Leland, Gerald Van Woerkom, Valde Garcia, Gilda Jacobs, Laura Toy, Alan Cropsey, Mark Schauer, Michael Switalski, Wayne Kuipers, Samuel Thomas, Hansen Clarke, Deborah Cherry ..... 441  
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75. A resolution offered as a memorial for Martha Griffiths, President of the Senate from 1983 to 1990.  
 Apr. 29, introduced by Senators Kenneth Sikkema, Jason Allen, Jim Barcia, Raymond Basham, Virg Bernero, Patricia Birkholz, Michael Bishop, Liz Brater, Cameron Brown, Nancy Cassis, Deborah Cherry, Irma Clark-Coleman, Hansen Clarke, Alan Cropsey, Robert Emerson, Valde Garcia, Thomas George, Judson Gilbert, Mike Goschka, Beverly Hammerstrom, Bill Hardiman, Gilda Jacobs, Ron Jelinek, Shirley Johnson, Wayne Kuipers, Burton Leland, Michelle McManus, Dennis Olshove, Bruce Patterson, Michael Prusi, Alan Sanborn, Mark Schauer, Martha Scott, Tony Stamas, Michael Switalski, Samuel Thomas, Laura Toy, Gerald Van Woerkom ..... 443

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76. A resolution to urge the governor to support disaster relief for Oakland County communities stricken by ice storms in early April 2003.	
Apr. 30, introduced by Senators Michael Bishop, Shirley Johnson, Ron Jelinek, Wayne Kuipers, Patricia Birkholz, Nancy Cassis, Laura Toy, Deborah Cherry, Mike Goschka, Gilda Jacobs, Alan Cropsey, Hansen Clarke, Valde Garcia .....	456
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77. A resolution to express solidarity with Israel in its fight against terrorism.	
Apr. 30, introduced by Senators Alan Cropsey, Jim Barcia, Valde Garcia, Bill Hardiman, Ron Jelinek, Alan Sanborn, Patricia Birkholz, Mike Goschka, Michael Bishop .....	456
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78. A resolution recognizing and honoring the National Civilian Conservation Corps.	
Apr. 30, introduced by Senators Tony Stamas, Ron Jelinek, Virg Bernero, Wayne Kuipers, Patricia Birkholz, Nancy Cassis, Laura Toy, Deborah Cherry, Samuel Thomas, Mike Goschka, Dennis Olshove, Martha Scott, Gilda Jacobs, Alan Cropsey, Michael Bishop, Hansen Clarke, Valde Garcia .....	455
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79. A resolution declaring September 21 as Myositis Awareness Day in Michigan.	
Apr. 30, introduced by Senators Tony Stamas, Virg Bernero, Wayne Kuipers, Patricia Birkholz, Nancy Cassis, Laura Toy, Deborah Cherry, Samuel Thomas, Mike Goschka, Dennis Olshove, Martha Scott, Gilda Jacobs, Alan Cropsey, Michael Bishop, Hansen Clarke, Valde Garcia .....	456
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80. A resolution to urge the United States Secretary of State to increase efforts to urge the People’s Republic of China to halt its violation of the human rights of its citizens, specifically the persecution against practitioners of Falun Gong.	
May 6, introduced by Senator Gilda Jacobs .....	511
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81. A resolution to commemorate the 100th Birthday of Charlie Gehringer.	
May 6, introduced by Senator Valde Garcia .....	511
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82. A resolution to recommend the designation of US-23 from Standish to Mackinaw City as a heritage route under the provisions of the Michigan Heritage Routes Act, 1993 PA 69.	
May 13, introduced by Senators Tony Stamas, Jim Barcia, Jason Allen, Alan Cropsey, Michael Switalski, Ron Jelinek, Laura Toy, Hansen Clarke, Gilda Jacobs, Mike Goschka, Patricia Birkholz, Gerald Van Woerkom ..	564
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May 13, referred to Committee on Transportation.....	564
Jun. 24, reported favorably without amendment .....	975
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83. A resolution to recognize May 2003 as Military Appreciation Month.	
May 8, introduced by Senators Tony Stamas, Patricia Birkholz, Ron Jelinek, Bill Hardiman, Judson Gilbert, Jason Allen, Cameron Brown, Bruce Patterson, Nancy Cassis, Michael Bishop, Mike Goschka, Gerald Van Woerkom, Valde Garcia, Alan Cropsey, Thomas George, Beverly Hammerstrom, Kenneth Sikkema, Wayne Kuipers, Shirley Johnson, Laura Toy, Michelle McManus, Alan Sanborn, Jim Barcia, Raymond Basham, Virg Bernero, Liz Brater, Deborah Cherry, Irma Clark-Coleman, Hansen Clarke, Robert Emerson, Gilda Jacobs, Burton Leland, Dennis Olshove, Michael Prusi, Mark Schauer, Martha Scott, Michael Switalski, Samuel Thomas .....	556
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May 8, rules suspended .....	556
May 8, entire membership of the Senate and Lieutenant Governor named co-sponsors .....	556

84. A resolution honoring Rose Janasik on her 100th Birthday.	
May 8, introduced by Senator Jim Barcia .....	557
May 8, resolution adopted .....	556
85. A resolution commemorating the Fiftieth Anniversary of the Michigan Chapter American College of Surgeons.	
May 13, introduced by Senators Thomas George, Alan Cropsey, Michael Switalski, Mark Schauer, Ron Jelinek, Laura Toy, Hansen Clarke, Gilda Jacobs, Mike Goschka, Patricia Birkholz, Jason Allen.....	564
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86. A resolution commemorating May 20, 2003, as Propane Awareness Day in Michigan.	
May 14, introduced by Senators Jason Allen, Patricia Birkholz, Gilda Jacobs, Samuel Thomas, Hansen Clarke, Alan Cropsey, Gerald Van Woerkom, Michael Switalski, Laura Toy.....	579
May 14, resolution adopted .....	579
87. A resolution to memorialize the Congress of the United States to continue providing assistance to Michigan to help eradicate bovine tuberculosis.	
May 14, introduced by Senators Gerald Van Woerkom, Michael Prusi, Ron Jelinek, Alan Cropsey, Cameron Brown, Judson Gilbert, Tony Stamas, Mike Goschka, Shirley Johnson, Alan Sanborn, Laura Toy, Thomas George, Nancy Cassis, Jason Allen, Patricia Birkholz, Beverly Hammerstrom, Wayne Kuipers, Dennis Olshove, Martha Scott, Liz Brater, Samuel Thomas, Deborah Cherry .....	580
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May 14, referred to Committee on Agriculture, Forestry and Tourism .....	580
May 27, reported favorably without amendment .....	656
May 27, placed on order of Resolutions .....	656
May 28, resolution adopted .....	664
88. A resolution to memorialize the United States Department of Agriculture to adopt the proposed regulation allowing Michigan to be designated as having split-state status with regard to bovine tuberculosis.	
May 14, introduced by Senators Michael Prusi, Gerald Van Woerkom, Samuel Thomas, Irma Clark-Coleman, Gilda Jacobs, Michael Switalski, Raymond Basham, Liz Brater, Jason Allen, Burton Leland, Jim Barcia, Mike Goschka, Shirley Johnson, Alan Sanborn, Laura Toy, Thomas George, Nancy Cassis, Bruce Patterson, Patricia Birkholz, Judson Gilbert, Beverly Hammerstrom, Wayne Kuipers, Dennis Olshove, Martha Scott ..	581
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May 14, referred to Committee on Agriculture, Forestry and Tourism .....	581
May 27, reported favorably without amendment .....	656
May 27, placed on order of Resolutions .....	656
May 28, resolution adopted .....	664
89. A resolution to memorialize Congress to enact legislation to support research, development, and construction of the Interstate Traveler Project through the reauthorization of the Transportation Equity Act of the 21st Century (TEA-21) and/or other related federal programs.	
May 15, introduced by Senators Jason Allen, Wayne Kuipers, Ron Jelinek, Michael Prusi, Alan Cropsey, Nancy Cassis, Mike Goschka, Judson Gilbert, Hansen Clarke.....	593
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May 15, referred to Committee on Transportation .....	593
May 22, reported favorably without amendment .....	633
May 22, placed on order of Resolutions .....	633
May 28, resolution adopted .....	663
90. A resolution to honor Ford Motor Company as it celebrates its 100th Anniversary.	
May 21, introduced by Senators Irma Clark-Coleman, Nancy Cassis, Jason Allen, Thomas George, Bruce Patterson, Alan Sanborn, Alan Cropsey, Judson Gilbert, Kenneth Sikkema, Gerald Van Woerkom, Beverly Hammerstrom, Valde Garcia, Michelle McManus, Ron Jelinek, Bill Hardiman, Hansen Clarke, Michael Switalski, Gilda Jacobs, Samuel Thomas, Michael Prusi, Deborah Cherry, Liz Brater, Mark Schauer, Burton Leland, Dennis Olshove, Tony Stamas, Cameron Brown, Laura Toy, Raymond Basham, Michael Bishop, Robert Emerson, Virg Bernero, Patricia Birkholz .....	622
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91. A resolution designating Lake St. Clair as the "Heart of the Great Lakes."	
May 21, introduced by Senators Dennis Olshove, Michael Switalski, Alan Sanborn, Hansen Clarke, Gilda Jacobs, Mark Schauer, Alan Cropsey.....	623
May 21, rules suspended .....	623
May 21, referred to Committee on Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs .....	623

92. A resolution to memorialize the Congress of the United States to amend the Internal Revenue Code to remove the provisions that allow the deductibility of gambling losses.	
May 27, introduced by Senators Bruce Patterson, Patricia Birkholz, Ron Jelinek, Alan Cropsey, Bill Hardiman, Cameron Brown, Judson Gilbert, Gerald Van Woerkom, Wayne Kuipers, Nancy Cassis, Tony Stamas, Michael Bishop, Valde Garcia, Michael Switalski, Laura Toy, Gilda Jacobs .....	645
May 27, rules suspended .....	645
May 27, referred to Committee on Finance.....	645
93. A resolution to memorialize the Congress of the United States to enact legislation to regulate spam, unsolicited bulk commercial email.	
May 27, introduced by Senators Bruce Patterson, Michael Bishop, Laura Toy, Michael Prusi, Ron Jelinek, Virg Bernero, Wayne Kuipers, Jason Allen, Nancy Cassis, Samuel Thomas, Tony Stamas, Gerald Van Woerkom, Patricia Birkholz, Deborah Cherry, Valde Garcia, Hansen Clarke, Michael Switalski, Mike Goschka, Gilda Jacobs, Cameron Brown, Burton Leland, Alan Cropsey, Mark Schauer, Dennis Olshove .....	646
May 27, rules suspended .....	646
May 27, referred to Committee on Technology and Energy .....	646
Jun. 4, reported favorably without amendment .....	734
Jun. 4, placed on order of Resolutions.....	734
Jun. 5, substitute (S-1) adopted .....	760
Jun. 5, resolution as substituted (S-1) adopted .....	760
94. A resolution to commemorate the 100th Anniversary of the Detroit Regional Chamber of Commerce.	
May 27, introduced by Senators Samuel Thomas, Jason Allen, Laura Toy, Michael Switalski, Gilda Jacobs, Hansen Clarke, Ron Jelinek, Cameron Brown, Deborah Cherry, Burton Leland, Gerald Van Woerkom, Wayne Kuipers, Nancy Cassis, Alan Cropsey, Irma Clark-Coleman, Michael Bishop, Mark Schauer, Martha Scott, Dennis Olshove, Mike Goschka .....	644
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95. A resolution commemorating Founders' Day, May 27, 2003, at Western Michigan University.	
May 27, introduced by Senators Thomas George, Jason Allen, Patricia Birkholz, Laura Toy, Michael Switalski, Gilda Jacobs, Hansen Clarke, Ron Jelinek, Cameron Brown, Deborah Cherry, Burton Leland, Gerald Van Woerkom, Wayne Kuipers, Nancy Cassis, Alan Cropsey, Michael Bishop, Mark Schauer, Dennis Olshove, Mike Goschka .....	645
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96. A resolution honoring the 20th Anniversary of the Michigan Council for Maternal and Child Health.	
May 29, introduced by Senators Virg Bernero, Michael Bishop, Liz Brater, Nancy Cassis, Deborah Cherry, Hansen Clarke, Alan Cropsey, Mike Goschka, Gilda Jacobs, Burton Leland, Mark Schauer, Martha Scott, Michael Switalski .....	684
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97. A resolution honoring the 125th Anniversary of Saints Peter and Paul Church.	
May 29, introduced by Senators Samuel Thomas, Jason Allen, Virg Bernero, Michael Bishop, Liz Brater, Nancy Cassis, Deborah Cherry, Hansen Clarke, Alan Cropsey, Mike Goschka, Gilda Jacobs, Burton Leland, Mark Schauer, Martha Scott, Michael Switalski.....	685
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98. A resolution to memorialize the Congress of the United States to restore funding for the 21st Century Community Learning Centers program.	
Jun. 3, introduced by Senators Bill Hardiman, Wayne Kuipers, Gerald Van Woerkom, Patricia Birkholz, Irma Clark-Coleman, Valde Garcia, Jason Allen, Hansen Clarke, Nancy Cassis.....	709
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Jun. 3, referred to Committee on Education .....	709
99. A resolution recognizing and commending Mike Severino for his dedication and service to the Michigan State Senate in his role as a policy advisor in the Senate Majority Policy Office.	
Jun. 5, introduced by Senators Laura Toy, Bruce Patterson, Judson Gilbert, Alan Cropsey, Michelle McManus, Nancy Cassis, Mike Goschka, Tony Stamas, Valde Garcia, Beverly Hammerstrom, Gerald Van Woerkom, Shirley Johnson, Kenneth Sikkema, Thomas George, Patricia Birkholz, Cameron Brown, Bill Hardiman, Ron Jelinek, Jason Allen, Michael Bishop, Wayne Kuipers, Alan Sanborn, Virg Bernero, Deborah Cherry, Hansen Clarke, Gilda Jacobs, Michael Prusi, Michael Switalski .....	757
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100. A resolution designating the month of June 2003 as Michigan Truck Safety Month.  
 Jun. 5, introduced by Senators Judson Gilbert, Mike Goschka, Jason Allen, Virg Bernero, Patricia Birkholz, Michael Bishop, Liz Brater, Nancy Cassis, Deborah Cherry, Hansen Clarke, Alan Cropsey, Valde Garcia, Bill Hardiman, Gilda Jacobs, Ron Jelinek, Wayne Kuipers, Burton Leland, Dennis Olshove, Michael Prusi, Mark Schauer, Martha Scott, Tony Stamas, Michael Switalski, Samuel Thomas, Laura Toy, Gerald Van Woerkom ..... 758  
 Jun. 5, resolution adopted ..... 757

101. A resolution to recognize August 9, 2003, National Marina Day.  
 Jun. 5, introduced by Senators Raymond Basham, Michael Bishop, Nancy Cassis, Deborah Cherry, Irma Clark-Coleman, Hansen Clarke, Alan Cropsey, Gilda Jacobs, Wayne Kuipers, Burton Leland, Dennis Olshove, Michael Prusi, Mark Schauer, Martha Scott, Michael Switalski, Samuel Thomas, Laura Toy, Gerald Van Woerkom ..... 758  
 Jun. 5, resolution adopted ..... 757

102. A resolution honoring Gloria Schwesig as an outstanding elementary school principal in the Chippewa Valley School District.  
 Jun. 5, introduced by Senators Michael Switalski, Alan Sanborn, Dennis Olshove, Michael Bishop, Nancy Cassis, Deborah Cherry, Irma Clark-Coleman, Hansen Clarke, Gilda Jacobs, Ron Jelinek, Wayne Kuipers, Burton Leland, Michael Prusi, Mark Schauer, Martha Scott, Samuel Thomas, Laura Toy, Gerald Van Woerkom ..... 759  
 Jun. 5, resolution adopted ..... 757

103. A resolution to memorialize the Congress of the United States to enact legislation that would remove the unfair advantages that Federal Prison Industries has in competition for business.  
 Jun. 5, introduced by Senators Wayne Kuipers, Bill Hardiman, Alan Sanborn, Mike Goschka, Gerald Van Woerkom, Kenneth Sikkema, Patricia Birkholz, Nancy Cassis, Dennis Olshove, Michael Prusi, Laura Toy ..... 761  
 Jun. 5, rules suspended ..... 761  
 Jun. 5, referred to Committee on Economic Development, Small Business and Regulatory Reform ..... 761  
 Jun. 17, reported favorably without amendment ..... 870  
 Jun. 17, placed on order of Resolutions ..... 870  
 Jun. 18, resolution adopted ..... 918

104. A resolution to commend and support the traditions and history and restoration of the Tibbits Opera House.  
 Jun. 5, introduced by Senators Cameron Brown, Ron Jelinek, Thomas George, Gerald Van Woerkom, Mike Goschka, Patricia Birkholz, Jim Barcia, Judson Gilbert, Laura Toy, Tony Stamas, Bill Hardiman, Michael Switalski, Raymond Basham, Alan Sanborn, Bruce Patterson, Alan Cropsey, Nancy Cassis, Liz Brater, Jason Allen, Michael Bishop, Deborah Cherry, Hansen Clarke, Gilda Jacobs, Wayne Kuipers, Burton Leland, Dennis Olshove, Michael Prusi, Mark Schauer, Samuel Thomas ..... 759  
 Jun. 5, resolution adopted ..... 757

105. A resolution calling for increased public awareness of the Department of Environmental Quality’s toll-free number for reporting pollution emergencies.  
 Jun. 10, introduced by Senators Bruce Patterson, Patricia Birkholz, Jim Barcia, Wayne Kuipers, Alan Sanborn, Raymond Basham, Nancy Cassis, Hansen Clarke, Valde Garcia, Gilda Jacobs, Ron Jelinek, Dennis Olshove, Martha Scott, Michael Switalski, Samuel Thomas, Laura Toy, Gerald Van Woerkom ..... 780  
 Jun. 10, rules suspended ..... 780  
 Jun. 10, referred to Committee on Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs ..... 780  
 Jun. 19, reported favorably without amendment ..... 949  
 Jun. 19, placed on order of Resolutions ..... 949  
 Jun. 24, substitute (S-2) adopted ..... 971  
 Jun. 24, resolution as substituted (S-2) adopted ..... 971

106. A resolution commemorating the placement of a Michigan Historical Marker at the Johnson Cemetery located north of Niles in Niles Township on Business 31 between M-140 and Ullery Road.  
 Jun. 10, introduced by Senator Ron Jelinek ..... 779  
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107. A resolution honoring Kmart Corporation.	
Jun. 10, introduced by Senator Gilda Jacobs .....	779
Jun. 10, resolution adopted .....	779
108. A resolution commemorating September 7-13, 2003, as American Heroes Week.	
Jun. 11, introduced by Senators Bruce Patterson, Laura Toy, Valde Garcia, Alan Cropsey, Bill Hardiman, Alan Sanborn, Cameron Brown, Patricia Birkholz, Judson Gilbert, Ron Jelinek, Michael Switalski, Gerald Van Woerkom, Gilda Jacobs, Dennis Olshove .....	801
Jun. 11, rules suspended .....	801
Jun. 11, referred to Committee on Local, Urban and State Affairs.....	801
109. A resolution honoring Lansing’s 10th Annual Juneteenth Celebration and Festival 2003.	
Jun. 12, introduced by Senators Virg Bernero, Irma Clark-Coleman, Robert Emerson, Raymond Basham, Gilda Jacobs, Thomas George, Laura Toy, Samuel Thomas, Bill Hardiman, Hansen Clarke, Mark Schauer, Martha Scott, Alan Cropsey, Wayne Kuipers, Michael Switalski, Gerald Van Woerkom.....	820
Jun. 12, resolution adopted .....	820
110. A resolution of tribute commemorating the Terquasquicentennial of the city of Constantine.	
Jun. 17, introduced by Senators Cameron Brown, Thomas George, Patricia Birkholz, Valde Garcia, Gerald Van Woerkom, Jim Barcia, Bill Hardiman, Jason Allen, Michael Bishop, Nancy Cassis, Hansen Clarke, Mike Goschka, Gilda Jacobs, Michael Prusi, Mark Schauer, Michael Switalski.....	864
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111. A resolution honoring the P-51 Mustang Pilots Association and recognizing the North American P-51 Mustang fighter and the accomplishments they made during World War II and the Korean War.	
Jun. 17, introduced by Senators Deborah Cherry, Gilda Jacobs, Wayne Kuipers, Valde Garcia, Jim Barcia, Bill Hardiman, Jason Allen, Patricia Birkholz, Michael Bishop, Nancy Cassis, Irma Clark-Coleman, Hansen Clarke, Thomas George, Mike Goschka, Michael Prusi, Mark Schauer, Martha Scott, Michael Switalski, Gerald Van Woerkom .....	864
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112. A resolution memorializing the life of David A. Lennon.	
Jun. 17, introduced by Senator Gilda Jacobs .....	864
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113. A resolution honoring A Celebration of Life!	
Jun. 18, introduced by Senators Virg Bernero, Liz Brater, Bruce Patterson, Mark Schauer, Deborah Cherry, Irma Clark-Coleman, Thomas George, Mike Goschka, Gilda Jacobs, Burton Leland, Michael Switalski, Laura Toy .....	915
Jun. 18, resolution adopted .....	915
114. A resolution honoring the Order Sons of Italy in America (OSIA) Grand Lodge Convention.	
Jun. 18, introduced by Senators Virg Bernero, Deborah Cherry, Irma Clark-Coleman, Alan Cropsey, Thomas George, Mike Goschka, Gilda Jacobs, Burton Leland, Mark Schauer, Michael Switalski, Laura Toy.....	916
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115. A resolution in support of the Annual Washington Juneteenth National Holiday Observance and National Juneteenth Holiday Campaign.	
Jun. 18, introduced by Senators Martha Scott, Hansen Clarke, Irma Clark-Coleman, Samuel Thomas, Burton Leland, Bill Hardiman, Mike Goschka .....	916
Jun. 18, resolution adopted .....	915
116. A resolution honoring and thanking John Walker for his dedication and service to the Michigan State Senate as an analyst with the Senate Fiscal Agency.	
Jun. 18, introduced by Senators Tony Stamas, Shirley Johnson, Kenneth Sikkema, Beverly Hammerstrom, Deborah Cherry, Robert Emerson, Mark Schauer, Wayne Kuipers, Bill Hardiman, Patricia Birkholz, Cameron Brown, Jason Allen, Judson Gilbert, Laura Toy, Bruce Patterson, Gerald Van Woerkom, Alan Cropsey, Ron Jelinek, Thomas George, Michael Bishop, Alan Sanborn, Michelle McManus, Mike Goschka, Nancy Cassis, Valde Garcia, Michael Prusi, Michael Switalski, Jim Barcia, Martha Scott, Hansen Clarke, Gilda Jacobs, Raymond Basham, Liz Brater, Dennis Olshove, Virg Bernero, Burton Leland, Samuel Thomas, Irma Clark-Coleman .....	917
Jun. 18, resolution adopted .....	915

117. A resolution to commemorate June 2003 as Michigan Family Month.  
 Jun. 19, introduced by Senators Gerald Van Woerkom, Bruce Patterson, Tony Stamas, Valde Garcia, Thomas George, Michelle McManus, Judson Gilbert, Laura Toy, Nancy Cassis, Cameron Brown, Ron Jelinek, Bill Hardiman, Patricia Birkholz, Wayne Kuipers, Kenneth Sikkema, Beverly Hammerstrom, Alan Cropsey, Michael Bishop, Mike Goschka, Jason Allen, Alan Sanborn, Raymond Basham, Virg Bernero, Hansen Clarke, Dennis Olshove, Michael Switalski ..... 941  
 Jun. 19, resolution adopted ..... 941
118. A resolution honoring the Michigan Shakespeare Festival.  
 Jun. 25, introduced by Senators Mark Schauer, Virg Bernero, Deborah Cherry, Hansen Clarke, Alan Cropsey, Wayne Kuipers, Dennis Olshove, Martha Scott, Michael Switalski, Samuel Thomas, Laura Toy, Irma Clark-Coleman ..... 988  
 Jun. 25, resolution adopted ..... 988
119. A resolution honoring Courtney Weathers upon her appointment to the National Campaign to Prevent Teen Pregnancy.  
 Jun. 25, introduced by Senators Mark Schauer, Virg Bernero, Deborah Cherry, Hansen Clarke, Dennis Olshove, Martha Scott, Michael Switalski, Samuel Thomas, Laura Toy, Irma Clark-Coleman ..... 989  
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120. A resolution honoring Neil Woodward as Michigan's Troubadour.  
 Jun. 26, introduced by Senators Hansen Clarke, Irma Clark-Coleman, Mike Goschka, Mark Schauer, Michael Switalski, Samuel Thomas ..... 1092  
 Jun. 26, referred to Committee on Government Operations ..... 1092
121. A resolution to memorialize the Congress of the United States and the United States Supreme Court to examine the qualifications of Boyce F. Martin, Judge of the 6th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals.  
 Jul. 1, introduced by Senators Bruce Patterson, Alan Cropsey, Michelle McManus, Nancy Cassis, Valde Garcia, Laura Toy ..... 1134  
 Jul. 1, rules suspended ..... 1134  
 Jul. 1, referred to Committee on Judiciary ..... 1134
122. A resolution commemorating July 14, 2003, as President Gerald R. Ford Appreciation Day in Michigan.  
 Jul. 1, introduced by Senators Kenneth Sikkema, Beverly Hammerstrom, Alan Sanborn, Alan Cropsey, Ron Jelinek, Shirley Johnson, Bill Hardiman, Thomas George, Patricia Birkholz, Jason Allen, Tony Stamas, Judson Gilbert, Laura Toy, Nancy Cassis, Cameron Brown, Gerald Van Woerkom, Bruce Patterson, Michelle McManus, Michael Bishop, Valde Garcia, Jim Barcia, Raymond Basham, Virg Bernero, Liz Brater, Deborah Cherry, Irma Clark-Coleman, Hansen Clarke, Robert Emerson, Mike Goschka, Gilda Jacobs, Wayne Kuipers, Burton Leland, Dennis Olshove, Michael Prusi, Mark Schauer, Martha Scott, Michael Switalski, Samuel Thomas ..... 1133  
 Jul. 1, resolution adopted ..... 1133  
 Jul. 1, rules suspended ..... 1133  
 Jul. 1, entire membership of the Senate and Lieutenant Governor named co-sponsors ..... 1133
123. A resolution to express opposition to a proposal to construct a bridge between Meso Island and Sugar Island in the Detroit River.  
 Jul. 2, introduced by Senators Bruce Patterson, Nancy Cassis ..... 1156  
 Jul. 2, rules suspended ..... 1156  
 Jul. 2, resolution adopted ..... 1156
124. A resolution celebrating the 40th Anniversary of the Michigan Civil Rights Commission.  
 Jul. 3, introduced by Senator Liz Brater ..... 1194  
 Jul. 3, resolution adopted ..... 1194
125. A resolution to recognize Option One Mortgage Corporation and H&R Block Mortgage Corporation.  
 Jul. 3, introduced by Senators Valde Garcia, Michael Bishop, Tony Stamas, Shirley Johnson, Bill Hardiman .. 1201  
 Jul. 3, rules suspended ..... 1201  
 Jul. 3, referred to Committee on Banking and Financial Institutions ..... 1201



126. A resolution to express congratulations to Joe Dumars for being named NBA Executive of the Year, and thank him for all the thrills he has provided the state of Michigan over the years.	
Jul. 3, introduced by Senators Alan Sanborn, Bruce Patterson, Michael Bishop, Michael Switalski, Dennis Olshove, Mike Goschka, Valde Garcia, Tony Stamas, Gerald Van Woerkom, Shirley Johnson, Judson Gilbert, Laura Toy, Thomas George, Nancy Cassis, Michelle McManus, Ron Jelinek, Liz Brater, Patricia Birkholz, Bill Hardiman, Alan Cropsy, Martha Scott, Burton Leland, Raymond Basham, Gilda Jacobs, Hansen Clarke, Kenneth Sikkema, Beverly Hammerstrom, Cameron Brown, Irma Clark-Coleman, Michael Prusi, Samuel Thomas, Deborah Cherry, Jason Allen, Mark Schauer, Robert Emerson, Jim Barcia, Virg Bernero .....	1194
Jul. 3, resolution adopted .....	1194
127. A resolution to memorialize the United States Senate and Michigan's United States Senators to act to continue the confirmation hearings and to have a vote by the full Senate on the Michigan nominees to the United States 6th Circuit Court of Appeals.	
Jul. 3, introduced by Senators Alan Cropsy, Bruce Patterson, Michael Bishop, Alan Sanborn.....	1201
Jul. 3, rules suspended .....	1201
Jul. 3, referred to Committee on Judiciary .....	1201
Oct. 2, reported favorably with amendment(s) .....	1743
Oct. 2, placed on order of Resolutions .....	1743
Oct. 7, amendment(s) adopted.....	1776
Oct. 7, substitute (S-1) defeated .....	1776
Oct. 7, Roll Call:	
Roll Call # 0440 Yeas 15 Nays 22 Exc 01 Not Voting 00.....	1776
Oct. 7, resolution as amended adopted .....	1776
Oct. 7, Roll Call:	
Roll Call # 0441 Yeas 22 Nays 15 Exc 01 Not Voting 00.....	1776
128. A resolution to urge the Department of Environmental Quality, the Department of Natural Resources, the United States Forest Service, and the United States Bureau of Land Management to exercise extra diligence in considering the proposal to drill for oil and gas beneath the Mason Tract in Crawford County.	
Jul. 15, introduced by Senators Michelle McManus, Patricia Birkholz, Wayne Kuipers, Shirley Johnson, Ron Jelinek, Thomas George, Tony Stamas, Jason Allen, Judson Gilbert, Laura Toy, Bruce Patterson, Gerald Van Woerkom, Nancy Cassis, Valde Garcia, Alan Cropsy, Beverly Hammerstrom, Bill Hardiman, Deborah Cherry, Dennis Olshove, Martha Scott .....	1223
Jul. 15, rules suspended .....	1223
Jul. 15, referred to Committee on Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs.....	1223
129. A resolution to memorialize the Congress of the United States to provide more training, equipment, and support to National Park Service rangers in order to assist their work in law enforcement, combating drug smuggling, and the war on terror.	
Jul. 15, introduced by Senators Michelle McManus, Patricia Birkholz, Wayne Kuipers, Shirley Johnson, Ron Jelinek, Thomas George, Tony Stamas, Jason Allen, Judson Gilbert, Laura Toy, Cameron Brown, Gerald Van Woerkom, Bruce Patterson, Michael Bishop, Nancy Cassis, Valde Garcia, Alan Cropsy, Beverly Hammerstrom, Bill Hardiman, Dennis Olshove, Deborah Cherry, Martha Scott, Gilda Jacobs, Liz Brater..	1224
Jul. 15, rules suspended .....	1224
Jul. 15, referred to Committee on Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs.....	1224
130. A resolution to recognize and commemorate August 9, 2003, as the 100th Anniversary of Michigan's State Forestry System and to encourage the continued sustainable management of Michigan's forests into the next 100 years.	
Jul. 15, introduced by Senators Michelle McManus, Patricia Birkholz, Wayne Kuipers, Shirley Johnson, Ron Jelinek, Thomas George, Tony Stamas, Jason Allen, Judson Gilbert, Laura Toy, Cameron Brown, Bruce Patterson, Gerald Van Woerkom, Michael Bishop, Nancy Cassis, Valde Garcia, Alan Cropsy, Beverly Hammerstrom, Alan Sanborn, Bill Hardiman, Dennis Olshove, Deborah Cherry, Martha Scott, Irma Clark-Coleman, Gilda Jacobs, Raymond Basham, Kenneth Sikkema, Liz Brater.....	1224
Jul. 15, resolution adopted.....	1224
131. A resolution to memorialize Congress to adopt House Resolution 121 to endorse stronger protections for Lake St. Clair, the Heart of the Great Lakes.	
Jul. 15, introduced by Senators Alan Sanborn, Judson Gilbert, Bruce Patterson, Gerald Van Woerkom, Alan Cropsy, Patricia Birkholz, Beverly Hammerstrom, Valde Garcia, Mike Goschka, Thomas George, Laura Toy, Cameron Brown, Michael Bishop, Jason Allen, Tony Stamas, Nancy Cassis, Bill Hardiman, Dennis Olshove, Michael Switalski.....	1236

Jul. 15, rules suspended..... 1236  
Jul. 15, resolution adopted..... 1236

132. A resolution to urge the Department of Natural Resources and the Natural Resources Trust Fund Board to take certain actions regarding the acquisition of specific property in Allegan County.  
Jul. 15, introduced by Senators Patricia Birkholz, Shirley Johnson, Thomas George, Jim Barcia, Nancy Cassis, Kenneth Sikkema, Gerald Van Woerkom, Michelle McManus, Mike Goschka, Deborah Cherry, Judson Gilbert, Alan Cropsey, Tony Stamas, Beverly Hammerstrom, Valde Garcia, Jason Allen, Michael Bishop, Ron Jelinek, Liz Brater, Martha Scott, Samuel Thomas, Wayne Kuipers, Irma Clark-Coleman, Michael Switalski, Robert Emerson, Dennis Olshove, Alan Sanborn, Raymond Basham, Mark Schauer, Michael Prusi, Gilda Jacobs, Laura Toy, Bill Hardiman, Virg Bernero, Bruce Patterson, Burton Leland, Cameron Brown..... 1236  
Jul. 15, resolution adopted..... 1236

133. A resolution to encourage the judicious use of antibiotics.  
Jul. 16, introduced by Senators Gerald Van Woerkom, Beverly Hammerstrom, Valde Garcia, Alan Cropsey.. 1297  
Jul. 16, rules suspended..... 1297  
Jul. 16, referred to Committee on Health Policy ..... 1297  
Nov. 12, reported favorably with amendment(s)..... 2058  
Nov. 12, placed on order of Resolutions ..... 2058  
Nov. 13, resolution as amended adopted..... 2078

134. A resolution to memorialize the United States Congress to address the issue of traffic stoppages at railroad crossings.  
Jul. 16, introduced by Senator Bruce Patterson..... 1298  
Jul. 16, rules suspended..... 1298  
Jul. 16, referred to Committee on Transportation ..... 1298  
Oct. 1, reported favorably without amendment..... 1728  
Oct. 1, placed on order of Resolutions ..... 1728  
Oct. 7, substitute (S-2) adopted ..... 1776  
Oct. 7, resolution as substituted (S-2) adopted..... 1776

135. A resolution to commend and support the traditions, history, and restoration of the Strand Theater in Pontiac, Michigan.  
Jul. 17, introduced by Senators Michael Bishop, Nancy Cassis, Shirley Johnson ..... 1530  
Jul. 17, resolution adopted..... 1530

136. A resolution commemorating September 2003 as Prostate Cancer Awareness Month in Michigan.  
Aug. 13, introduced by Senators Kenneth Sikkema, Jason Allen, Jim Barcia, Raymond Basham, Virg Bernero, Patricia Birkholz, Michael Bishop, Liz Brater, Cameron Brown, Nancy Cassis, Deborah Cherry, Irma Clark-Coleman, Hansen Clarke, Alan Cropsey, Robert Emerson, Valde Garcia, Thomas George, Judson Gilbert, Mike Goschka, Beverly Hammerstrom, Bill Hardiman, Gilda Jacobs, Ron Jelinek, Shirley Johnson, Wayne Kuipers, Burton Leland, Michelle McManus, Dennis Olshove, Bruce Patterson, Michael Prusi, Alan Sanborn, Mark Schauer, Martha Scott, Tony Stamas, Michael Switalski, Samuel Thomas, Laura Toy, Gerald Van Woerkom ..... 1596  
Aug. 13, resolution adopted..... 1596  
Aug. 13, rules suspended..... 1596  
Aug. 13, entire membership of the Senate and Lieutenant Governor named co-sponsors..... 1596

137. A resolution in memory of Canton Township Police Officer Gordon Lewis Stevens.  
Aug. 13, introduced by Senator Bruce Patterson..... 1596  
Aug. 13, resolution adopted..... 1596

138. A resolution honoring BEI Associates, Inc., on their 50th Anniversary.  
Aug. 13, introduced by Senator Hansen Clarke ..... 1597  
Aug. 13, resolution adopted..... 1596

139. A resolution to express support for the creation of the Office of Faith-Based Initiative in the state of Michigan.  
Aug. 13, introduced by Senators Bill Hardiman, Gerald Van Woerkom, Valde Garcia, Mike Goschka, Ron Jelinek, Nancy Cassis, Thomas George, Laura Toy, Beverly Hammerstrom, Kenneth Sikkema, Judson Gilbert, Alan Sanborn, Alan Cropsey, Bruce Patterson, Patricia Birkholz, Michelle McManus, Cameron Brown, Wayne Kuipers, Jason Allen, Michael Bishop, Hansen Clarke, Jim Barcia, Samuel Thomas, Martha Scott, Dennis Olshove..... 1597

Aug. 13, rules suspended.....	1597
Aug. 13, referred to Committee on Families and Human Services.....	1597
Nov. 6, reported favorably without amendment.....	2024
Nov. 6, placed on order of Resolutions.....	2024
140. A resolution to encourage research in Michigan on the thermal depolymerization process.	
Sep. 16, introduced by Senators Cameron Brown, Gerald Van Woerkom, Valde Garcia, Jason Allen, Alan Cropsey, Alan Sanborn, Michael Prusi, Bill Hardiman, Mike Goschka, Michael Switalski.....	1616
Sep. 16, rules suspended.....	1616
Sep. 16, referred to Committee on Technology and Energy.....	1616
Nov. 4, reported favorably without amendment.....	1986
Nov. 4, placed on order of Resolutions.....	1986
Nov. 5, resolution adopted.....	1998
141. A resolution to memorialize the Congress of the United States to enact Great Lakes environmental restoration legislation.	
Sep. 16, introduced by Senators Liz Brater, Jim Barcia, Raymond Basham, Michael Prusi, Dennis Olshove, Burton Leland, Deborah Cherry, Martha Scott, Gilda Jacobs, Alan Sanborn, Patricia Birkholz, Gerald Van Woerkom, Kenneth Sikkema, Hansen Clarke, Mark Schauer, Michael Switalski.....	1617
Sep. 16, rules suspended.....	1617
Sep. 16, referred to Committee on Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs.....	1617
Oct. 2, reported favorably without amendment.....	1741
Oct. 2, placed on order of Resolutions.....	1741
Dec. 9, resolution adopted.....	2149
142. A resolution to urge the United States Surface Transportation Board to reconsider and revoke its recent decision to grant an exemption that would permit the development by the Riverview Trenton Railroad Company of an intermodal transportation facility along the Detroit River in the cities of Riverview and Trenton.	
Sep. 16, introduced by Senators Bruce Patterson, Alan Cropsey, Mike Goschka, Raymond Basham, Michael Switalski.....	1617
Sep. 16, rules suspended.....	1617
Sep. 16, referred to Committee on Economic Development, Small Business and Regulatory Reform.....	1617
143. A resolution to encourage the further utilization of methane digestion in Michigan.	
Sep. 16, introduced by Senators Cameron Brown, Gerald Van Woerkom, Thomas George, Valde Garcia, Jason Allen, Alan Cropsey, Alan Sanborn, Michael Prusi, Mike Goschka, Patricia Birkholz, Michael Switalski..	1618
Sep. 16, rules suspended.....	1618
Sep. 16, referred to Committee on Agriculture, Forestry and Tourism.....	1618
144. A resolution extending subpoena power to the Senate Committee on Education.	
Oct. 29, introduced by Senators Kenneth Sikkema, Wayne Kuipers, Patricia Birkholz, Bill Hardiman, Ron Jelinek, Gerald Van Woerkom, Michael Bishop, Valde Garcia, Laura Toy, Cameron Brown, Nancy Cassis, Alan Cropsey, Mike Goschka, Shirley Johnson, Judson Gilbert, Michael Switalski, Bruce Patterson.....	1955
Oct. 29, referred to Committee on Government Operations.....	1955
145. A resolution to memorialize the Congress of the United States to enact the Great Lakes Controlled Data Collection and Monitoring Act.	
Sep. 17, introduced by Senators Alan Sanborn, Gilda Jacobs, Patricia Birkholz, Gerald Van Woerkom, Judson Gilbert, Raymond Basham, Bill Hardiman, Ron Jelinek, Michael Switalski, Samuel Thomas, Michael Bishop.....	1631
Sep. 17, rules suspended.....	1631
Sep. 17, referred to Committee on Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs.....	1631
146. A resolution honoring the Michigan Lawmen/Belle Tire Police Softball Club.	
Sep. 17, introduced by Senators Burton Leland, Raymond Basham, Michael Switalski, Virg Bernero, Dennis Olshove, Michael Bishop, Laura Toy, Nancy Cassis, Shirley Johnson.....	1631
Sep. 17, resolution adopted.....	1631

147. A resolution to memorialize the Congress of the United States to invest in the nation’s electricity transmission system.  
 Sep. 18, introduced by Senators Cameron Brown, Wayne Kuipers, Bill Hardiman, Michelle McManus, Valde Garcia, Patricia Birkholz, Jason Allen, Liz Brater, Judson Gilbert, Mike Goschka, Dennis Olshove, Mark Schauer, Michael Switalski, Laura Toy, Gerald Van Woerkom ..... 1664  
 Sep. 18, rules suspended..... 1664  
 Sep. 18, referred to Committee on Technology and Energy ..... 1664

148. A resolution calling for environmental officials of Canada, the United States, Michigan, and Ontario to develop stronger safeguards for notifications when spills of toxic materials occur.  
 Sep. 18, introduced by Senators Judson Gilbert, Alan Sanborn, Jason Allen, Patricia Birkholz, Liz Brater, Valde Garcia, Mike Goschka, Gilda Jacobs, Dennis Olshove, Michael Switalski, Laura Toy, Gerald Van Woerkom .. 1665  
 Sep. 18, rules suspended..... 1665  
 Sep. 18, referred to Committee on Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs ..... 1665  
 Oct. 16, reported favorably with substitute (S-1) ..... 1869  
 Oct. 16, placed on order of Resolutions ..... 1869  
 Oct. 21, substitute (S-1) adopted ..... 1890  
 Oct. 21, resolution as substituted (S-1) adopted..... 1890

149. A resolution recognizing the successes of the Michigan Pulp and Paper Pollution Prevention Program.  
 Sep. 18, introduced by Senators Gerald Van Woerkom, Judson Gilbert, Thomas George, Michelle McManus, Michael Bishop, Alan Cropsey, Kenneth Sikkema, Wayne Kuipers, Shirley Johnson, Bill Hardiman, Jason Allen, Nancy Cassis, Laura Toy, Cameron Brown, Patricia Birkholz, Michael Prusi, Jim Barcia, Liz Brater, Valde Garcia, Mike Goschka, Gilda Jacobs, Michael Switalski, Samuel Thomas..... 1664  
 Sep. 18, resolution adopted..... 1663

150. A resolution to memorialize the Congress of the United States to adopt and submit to the states for ratification an amendment to the United States Constitution to provide that marriage shall only consist of the union between a man and a woman.  
 Sep. 18, introduced by Senators Cameron Brown, Bruce Patterson, Alan Sanborn, Wayne Kuipers, Gerald Van Woerkom, Alan Cropsey, Bill Hardiman, Michelle McManus, Valde Garcia, Patricia Birkholz, Ron Jelinek, Tony Stamas, Nancy Cassis, Mike Goschka, Judson Gilbert, Kenneth Sikkema, Michael Bishop, Jason Allen, Dennis Olshove ..... 1666  
 Sep. 18, referred to Committee on Government Operations ..... 1666

151. A resolution observing September 15-21, 2003, as Pollution Prevention Week.  
 Sep. 18, introduced by Senators Liz Brater, Raymond Basham, Patricia Birkholz, Irma Clark-Coleman, Valde Garcia, Mike Goschka, Gilda Jacobs, Mark Schauer, Michael Switalski, Samuel Thomas, Laura Toy, Gerald Van Woerkom ..... 1664  
 Sep. 18, resolution adopted..... 1663

152. A resolution to urge the Governor to ensure that Michigan does not recognize same-sex marriages.  
 Sep. 18, introduced by Senators Bruce Patterson, Dennis Olshove, Wayne Kuipers, Judson Gilbert, Patricia Birkholz, Ron Jelinek, Valde Garcia, Gerald Van Woerkom, Nancy Cassis, Mike Goschka ..... 1666  
 Sep. 18, referred to Committee on Government Operations ..... 1666

153. A resolution commemorating October 10, 2003, as Put the Brakes on Fatalities Day in Michigan.  
 Sep. 24, introduced by Senators Deborah Cherry, Alan Cropsey, Michael Switalski, Mike Goschka, Gilda Jacobs ..... 1685  
 Sep. 24, resolution adopted..... 1685

154. A resolution to recognize September 15, 2003, through October 15, 2003, as Hispanic Heritage Month.  
 Sep. 25, introduced by Senators Valde Garcia, Bill Hardiman, Mike Goschka, Samuel Thomas, Laura Toy, Tony Stamas, Alan Sanborn, Gerald Van Woerkom, Alan Cropsey, Michael Switalski, Patricia Birkholz, Raymond Basham, Wayne Kuipers, Michael Bishop, Hansen Clarke, Martha Scott, Deborah Cherry, Jason Allen, Michelle McManus, Nancy Cassis, Cameron Brown, Liz Brater, Ron Jelinek, Thomas George, Bruce Patterson, Shirley Johnson, Gilda Jacobs, Michael Prusi ..... 1700  
 Sep. 25, resolution adopted..... 1700

155. A resolution designating November 2003 as Michigan Venison Month.  
 Sep. 30, introduced by Senators Judson Gilbert, Jason Allen, Tony Stamas, Michelle McManus..... 1711  
 Sep. 30, resolution adopted..... 1711

156. A resolution to proclaim October 2003 as Identity Theft Awareness Month in Michigan.	
Oct. 1, introduced by Senators Judson Gilbert, Michael Bishop, Bruce Patterson, Cameron Brown, Alan Sanborn, Laura Toy, Nancy Cassis, Tony Stamas, Shirley Johnson, Alan Cropsey, Gerald Van Woerkom, Raymond Basham, Jason Allen, Wayne Kuipers, Patricia Birkholz, Hansen Clarke, Dennis Olshove .....	1725
Oct. 1, rules suspended .....	1725
Oct. 1, referred to Committee on Judiciary .....	1725
157. A resolution honoring Stephen Wagner.	
Oct. 1, introduced by Senators Kenneth Sikkema, Jason Allen, Jim Barcia, Raymond Basham, Virg Bernero, Patricia Birkholz, Michael Bishop, Liz Brater, Cameron Brown, Nancy Cassis, Deborah Cherry, Irma Clark-Coleman, Hansen Clarke, Alan Cropsey, Robert Emerson, Valde Garcia, Thomas George, Judson Gilbert, Mike Goschka, Beverly Hammerstrom, Bill Hardiman, Gilda Jacobs, Ron Jelinek, Shirley Johnson, Wayne Kuipers, Burton Leland, Michelle McManus, Dennis Olshove, Bruce Patterson, Michael Prusi, Alan Sanborn, Mark Schauer, Martha Scott, Tony Stamas, Michael Switalski, Samuel Thomas, Laura Toy, Gerald Van Woerkom .....	1723
Oct. 1, resolution adopted .....	1723
Oct. 1, rules suspended .....	1723
Oct. 1, entire membership of the Senate and Lieutenant Governor named co-sponsors .....	1723
158. A resolution to honor Cedric Redus.	
Oct. 1, introduced by Senator Hansen Clarke .....	1724
Oct. 1, resolution adopted .....	1723
159. A resolution to honor Latoris Shepherd.	
Oct. 1, introduced by Senator Hansen Clarke .....	1724
Oct. 1, resolution adopted .....	1723
160. A resolution to honor Michael Travis.	
Oct. 1, introduced by Senator Hansen Clarke .....	1725
Oct. 1, resolution adopted .....	1723
161. A resolution memorializing the life of Harry P. Guy, 1870 - 1950.	
Oct. 1, introduced by Senator Hansen Clarke .....	1725
Oct. 1, resolution adopted .....	1723
162. A resolution to memorialize the President and the Congress of the United States to increase funding available for home heating assistance to cope with the rise in natural gas costs expected this winter.	
Oct. 1, introduced by Senator Bruce Patterson .....	1726
Oct. 1, rules suspended .....	1726
Oct. 1, referred to Committee on Technology and Energy .....	1726
Oct. 14, reported favorably with substitute (S-2) .....	1838
Oct. 14, placed on order of Resolutions .....	1838
Oct. 15, substitute (S-2) adopted .....	1849
Oct. 15, resolution as substituted (S-2) adopted .....	1849
163. A resolution to memorialize the Congress of the United States to enact measures that support venture capital activities in Michigan.	
Oct. 2, introduced by Senators Samuel Thomas, Michael Bishop, Raymond Basham, Wayne Kuipers, Tony Stamas, Nancy Cassis, Gerald Van Woerkom, Alan Sanborn, Bruce Patterson, Bill Hardiman, Liz Brater, Irma Clark-Coleman, Gilda Jacobs, Mark Schauer, Michael Switalski, Hansen Clarke .....	1738
Oct. 2, rules suspended .....	1738
Oct. 2, referred to Committee on Commerce and Labor .....	1738
Dec. 3, reported favorably without amendment .....	2119
Dec. 3, placed on order of Resolutions .....	2119
Dec. 4, resolution adopted .....	2130
164. A resolution encouraging adoption and enactment of any and all additional legislation required to assure the implementation of the "Do-Not-Call" program.	
Oct. 2, introduced by Senators Bill Hardiman, Michael Switalski, Valde Garcia, Judson Gilbert, Ron Jelinek, Irma Clark-Coleman, Cameron Brown, Bruce Patterson, Hansen Clarke, Laura Toy, Deborah Cherry, Gilda Jacobs, Patricia Birkholz, Dennis Olshove, Alan Sanborn, Alan Cropsey, Nancy Cassis, Mike Goschka, Tony Stamas, Gerald Van Woerkom, Michelle McManus, Wayne Kuipers, Liz Brater .....	1736
Oct. 2, resolution adopted .....	1736

165. A resolution proclaiming October 4, 2003, as Global Citizens River Cleanup Day in the Greater Battle Creek Area.  
 Oct. 2, introduced by Senators Mark Schauer, Liz Brater, Irma Clark-Coleman, Gilda Jacobs, Michael Switalski, Samuel Thomas, Hansen Clarke, Laura Toy..... 1737  
 Oct. 2, resolution adopted..... 1736

166. A resolution honoring the Detroit Shock, 2003 Women’s National Basketball Association Champions.  
 Oct. 2, introduced by Senators Martha Scott, Irma Clark-Coleman, Hansen Clarke, Samuel Thomas, Patricia Birkholz, Burton Leland, Liz Brater, Dennis Olshove, Raymond Basham, Deborah Cherry, Mark Schauer, Wayne Kuipers, Jason Allen, Gilda Jacobs, Michelle McManus, Nancy Cassis, Virg Bernero, Beverly Hammerstrom, Robert Emerson, Gerald Van Woerkom, Tony Stamas, Kenneth Sikkema, Alan Sanborn, Bill Hardiman, Thomas George, Michael Switalski, Michael Prusi, Jim Barcia, Michael Bishop, Cameron Brown, Alan Cropsey, Valde Garcia, Judson Gilbert, Mike Goschka, Ron Jelinek, Shirley Johnson, Bruce Patterson, Laura Toy ..... 1737  
 Oct. 2, resolution adopted..... 1736  
 Oct. 2, rules suspended ..... 1737  
 Oct. 2, entire membership of the Senate and Lieutenant Governor named co-sponsors..... 1737

167. A resolution to express the sense of the Michigan Senate that local and state governments should play larger roles in solid waste management decisions to protect public health and the environment and to memorialize the Congress of the United States to extend this authority to the states.  
 Oct. 2, introduced by Senator Raymond Basham..... 1738  
 Oct. 2, rules suspended ..... 1738  
 Oct. 2, referred to Committee on Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs..... 1738  
 Oct. 9, reported favorably without amendment ..... 1828  
 Oct. 9, placed on order of Resolutions ..... 1828  
 Oct. 9, rules suspended ..... 1818  
 Oct. 9, resolution adopted..... 1820

168. A resolution to memorialize the Congress of the United States to investigate fully the objectivity and credibility of the intelligence reports that led our nation to war in Iraq.  
 Oct. 8, introduced by Senators Burton Leland, Liz Brater, Samuel Thomas, Robert Emerson, Mark Schauer, Gilda Jacobs, Irma Clark-Coleman, Dennis Olshove ..... 1791  
 Oct. 8, referred to Committee on Government Operations ..... 1791

169. A resolution recognizing October 12-18, 2003, as International Credit Union Week in Michigan and October 16, 2003, as International Credit Union Day.  
 Oct. 9, introduced by Senators Laura Toy, Shirley Johnson, Virg Bernero, Burton Leland, Judson Gilbert, Tony Stamas, Michael Switalski, Valde Garcia, Cameron Brown, Raymond Basham, Alan Cropsey, Dennis Olshove, Thomas George, Gerald Van Woerkom, Samuel Thomas, Jim Barcia, Ron Jelinek, Alan Sanborn, Mark Schauer, Jason Allen, Patricia Birkholz, Michael Bishop, Liz Brater, Nancy Cassis, Deborah Cherry, Irma Clark-Coleman, Wayne Kuipers, Michael Prusi, Martha Scott..... 1818  
 Oct. 9, resolution adopted..... 1818

170. A resolution honoring the Village of Constantine.  
 Oct. 9, introduced by Senators Cameron Brown, Jason Allen, Wayne Kuipers, Tony Stamas, Ron Jelinek, Michelle McManus, Patricia Birkholz, Michael Bishop, Liz Brater, Nancy Cassis, Deborah Cherry, Alan Cropsey, Michael Prusi, Mark Schauer, Michael Switalski, Laura Toy, Gerald Van Woerkom ..... 1820  
 Oct. 9, rules suspended ..... 1820  
 Oct. 9, referred to Committee on Agriculture, Forestry and Tourism..... 1820  
 Nov. 13, reported favorably without amendment ..... 2083  
 Nov. 13, placed on order of Resolutions ..... 2083  
 Dec. 4, resolution adopted ..... 2128

171. A resolution to memorialize the Congress of the United States and the federal government to work with Michigan officials to align the ownership of mineral rights and surface rights on state and federal lands in Michigan and to express our intent to take actions to achieve this goal.  
 Oct. 9, introduced by Senators Bruce Patterson, Tony Stamas, Jim Barcia, Jason Allen, Patricia Birkholz, Michael Bishop, Nancy Cassis, Alan Cropsey, Ron Jelinek, Wayne Kuipers, Michael Prusi, Michael Switalski, Laura Toy, Gerald Van Woerkom..... 1821  
 Oct. 9, rules suspended ..... 1821  
 Oct. 9, referred to Committee on Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs..... 1821

172. A resolution honoring the organizers of “Tall Ship@ Celebration: Bay City” August 14-18, 2003.  
 Oct. 16, introduced by Senators Jim Barcia, Kenneth Sikkema, Robert Emerson, Michael Bishop, Liz Brater, Nancy Cassis, Deborah Cherry, Alan Cropsey, Mike Goschka, Bill Hardiman, Gilda Jacobs, Ron Jelinek, Wayne Kuipers, Dennis Olshove, Mark Schauer, Tony Stamas, Samuel Thomas, Gerald Van Woerkom .. 1864  
 Oct. 16, resolution adopted..... 1864
173. A resolution honoring Bronson Healthcare Group, Inc., of Kalamazoo upon its designation as one of the best 100 companies in the nation for working mothers.  
 Oct. 16, introduced by Senators Thomas George, Michael Bishop, Liz Brater, Nancy Cassis, Alan Cropsey, Mike Goschka, Bill Hardiman, Gilda Jacobs, Ron Jelinek, Wayne Kuipers, Mark Schauer, Tony Stamas, Samuel Thomas, Gerald Van Woerkom ..... 1865  
 Oct. 16, resolution adopted..... 1864
174. A resolution honoring the life and memory of Theodore P. Mansour.  
 Oct. 16, introduced by Senators Deborah Cherry, Robert Emerson, Jason Allen, Jim Barcia, Raymond Basham, Virg Bernero, Patricia Birkholz, Michael Bishop, Liz Brater, Cameron Brown, Nancy Cassis, Irma Clark-Coleman, Hansen Clarke, Alan Cropsey, Valde Garcia, Thomas George, Judson Gilbert, Mike Goschka, Beverly Hammerstrom, Bill Hardiman, Gilda Jacobs, Ron Jelinek, Shirley Johnson, Wayne Kuipers, Burton Leland, Michelle McManus, Dennis Olshove, Bruce Patterson, Michael Prusi, Alan Sanborn, Mark Schauer, Martha Scott, Kenneth Sikkema, Tony Stamas, Michael Switalski, Samuel Thomas, Laura Toy, Gerald Van Woerkom ..... 1866  
 Oct. 16, resolution adopted..... 1864  
 Oct. 16, rules suspended..... 1866  
 Oct. 16, entire membership of the Senate and Lieutenant Governor named co-sponsors..... 1866
175. A resolution urging United States trade negotiators to support our nation’s sugar industry.  
 Oct. 16, introduced by Senators Jim Barcia, Tony Stamas, Mike Goschka, Dennis Olshove, Deborah Cherry, Liz Brater, Gerald Van Woerkom, Raymond Basham, Irma Clark-Coleman ..... 1866  
 Oct. 16, rules suspended..... 1866  
 Oct. 16, referred to Committee on Agriculture, Forestry and Tourism..... 1866  
 Nov. 4, reported favorably without amendment..... 1987  
 Nov. 4, placed on order of Resolutions ..... 1987
176. A resolution commemorating the 47th Anniversary of the Hungarian Revolution.  
 Oct. 21, introduced by Senator Bruce Patterson..... 1889  
 Oct. 21, resolution adopted..... 1889
177. A resolution celebrating the Twentieth Anniversary of the founding of LifeCare Ambulance Service of Battle Creek.  
 Oct. 22, introduced by Senators Mark Schauer, Liz Brater, Irma Clark-Coleman, Hansen Clarke, Mike Goschka, Burton Leland, Michael Prusi, Martha Scott, Michael Switalski, Laura Toy ..... 1908  
 Oct. 22, resolution adopted..... 1908
178. A resolution honoring Grover and Thelma Rudolph as they celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary.  
 Oct. 23, introduced by Senators Samuel Thomas, Jason Allen, Liz Brater, Deborah Cherry, Irma Clark-Coleman, Hansen Clarke, Bill Hardiman, Gilda Jacobs, Michael Prusi, Mark Schauer, Michael Switalski .. 1921  
 Oct. 23, resolution adopted..... 1921
179. A resolution proclaiming November 10-14, 2003, as School Psychology Week.  
 Oct. 23, introduced by Senators Nancy Cassis, Virg Bernero, Beverly Hammerstrom, Wayne Kuipers, Jason Allen, Mike Goschka, Valde Garcia, Liz Brater, Laura Toy, Samuel Thomas, Jim Barcia, Deborah Cherry, Hansen Clarke, Bill Hardiman, Gilda Jacobs, Michael Prusi, Mark Schauer, Michael Switalski, Gerald Van Woerkom ..... 1921  
 Oct. 23, resolution adopted..... 1921
180. A resolution to present the findings and proposals of the Beverage Container and Recycling Task Force.  
 Oct. 23, introduced by Senators Cameron Brown, Patricia Birkholz, Bill Hardiman, Thomas George, Kenneth Sikkema, Wayne Kuipers, Alan Cropsey, Judson Gilbert, Michael Bishop, Jason Allen, Hansen Clarke, Gerald Van Woerkom ..... 1922  
 Oct. 23, rules suspended..... 1922  
 Oct. 23, referred to Committee on Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs..... 1922

181. A resolution honoring Master Chief/Master Diver Michael J. Washington.  
 Oct. 28, introduced by Senators Hansen Clarke, Liz Brater, Deborah Cherry, Irma Clark-Coleman, Mike Goschka, Bill Hardiman, Burton Leland, Mark Schauer, Martha Scott, Samuel Thomas..... 1936  
 Oct. 28, resolution adopted..... 1936
182. A resolution to memorialize the Congress of the United States to enact legislation to provide greater protections against identity theft.  
 Oct. 23, introduced by Senators Bill Hardiman, Michael Bishop, Patricia Birkholz, Gerald Van Woerkom, Wayne Kuipers, Ron Jelinek, Valde Garcia, Beverly Hammerstrom, Shirley Johnson, Tony Stamas, Liz Brater, Irma Clark-Coleman, Martha Scott, Deborah Cherry, Virg Bernero, Michelle McManus, Gilda Jacobs, Michael Prusi, Thomas George, Alan Cropsey, Michael Switalski ..... 1926  
 Oct. 23, rules suspended ..... 1926  
 Oct. 23, referred to Committee on Judiciary ..... 1926  
 Dec. 2, reported favorably with substitute (S-1) ..... 2106  
 Dec. 2, placed on order of Resolutions..... 2106  
 Dec. 11, substitute (S-1) adopted..... 2222  
 Dec. 11, resolution as substituted (S-1) adopted ..... 2222
183. A resolution to memorialize the Congress of the United States to amend the Fair Credit Reporting Act to provide that the statute of limitations for an identity theft suit is two years from the time the fraud was discovered.  
 Oct. 23, introduced by Senators Bruce Patterson, Michael Bishop, Patricia Birkholz, Jason Allen, Gerald Van Woerkom, Wayne Kuipers, Ron Jelinek, Raymond Basham, Valde Garcia, Beverly Hammerstrom, Bill Hardiman, Shirley Johnson, Tony Stamas, Liz Brater, Irma Clark-Coleman, Martha Scott, Deborah Cherry, Burton Leland, Thomas George, Michael Prusi, Nancy Cassis, Alan Cropsey, Michael Switalski ..... 1926  
 Oct. 23, rules suspended ..... 1926  
 Oct. 23, referred to Committee on Judiciary ..... 1926  
 Dec. 2, reported favorably without amendment ..... 2107  
 Dec. 2, placed on order of Resolutions..... 2107  
 Dec. 11, resolution adopted ..... 2222
184. A resolution celebrating the life of Judge Geraldine Bledsoe Ford.  
 Oct. 28, introduced by Senators Samuel Thomas, Liz Brater, Deborah Cherry, Irma Clark-Coleman, Hansen Clarke, Mike Goschka, Bill Hardiman, Burton Leland, Mark Schauer, Martha Scott ..... 1937  
 Oct. 28, resolution adopted..... 1936
185. A resolution to commend Michigan State University President Peter McPherson for his service to his country and his significant contributions to the financial reconstruction of Iraq.  
 Oct. 28, introduced by Senators Wayne Kuipers, Kenneth Sikkema, Beverly Hammerstrom, Michael Bishop, Alan Cropsey, Thomas George, Judson Gilbert, Nancy Cassis, Bruce Patterson, Gerald Van Woerkom, Michelle McManus, Cameron Brown, Mike Goschka, Bill Hardiman, Patricia Birkholz, Ron Jelinek, Tony Stamas, Shirley Johnson, Alan Sanborn, Deborah Cherry, Valde Garcia, Michael Switalski..... 1937  
 Oct. 28, resolution adopted..... 1936
186. A resolution to memorialize the United States Congress to enact legislation to prohibit the use of a person's Social Security number as an identification number beyond its original purpose.  
 Oct. 29, introduced by Senators Liz Brater, Dennis Olshove, Deborah Cherry, Mark Schauer, Michael Prusi, Samuel Thomas, Irma Clark-Coleman, Gilda Jacobs, Michael Switalski, Robert Emerson, Hansen Clarke, Raymond Basham, Jim Barcia, Michael Bishop, Alan Cropsey, Bruce Patterson, Bill Hardiman, Patricia Birkholz, Mike Goschka, Ron Jelinek, Martha Scott, Laura Toy ..... 1955  
 Oct. 29, rules suspended ..... 1955  
 Oct. 29, referred to Committee on Judiciary ..... 1955  
 Dec. 2, reported favorably without amendment ..... 2107  
 Dec. 2, placed on order of Resolutions..... 2107  
 Dec. 11, resolution adopted ..... 2222
187. A resolution to memorialize the Congress of the United States to enact legislation to grant a federal charter to the Korean War Veterans Association.  
 Oct. 30, introduced by Senators Dennis Olshove, Raymond Basham, Michael Prusi, Michael Switalski, Wayne Kuipers, Deborah Cherry, Gilda Jacobs, Patricia Birkholz, Ron Jelinek, Jim Barcia, Martha Scott, Mark Schauer, Judson Gilbert, Gerald Van Woerkom, Mike Goschka, Bill Hardiman, Irma Clark-Coleman, Valde Garcia, Samuel Thomas, Laura Toy..... 1968



Oct. 30, rules suspended .....	1968
Oct. 30, referred to Committee on Senior Citizens and Veterans Affairs .....	1968
Dec. 16, reported favorably without amendment .....	2257
Dec. 16, placed on order of Resolutions .....	2257
Dec. 17, resolution adopted .....	2295
188. A resolution to memorialize the Congress of the United States to expand its efforts through the World Trade Organization and the World Intellectual Property Organization to ensure that the intellectual property of domestic businesses and individuals is protected.	
Oct. 30, introduced by Senators Judson Gilbert, Wayne Kuipers, Laura Toy, Patricia Birkholz, Mike Goschka, Michael Bishop, Kenneth Sikkema, Beverly Hammerstrom, Alan Cropsey, Thomas George, Nancy Cassis, Bruce Patterson, Cameron Brown, Gerald Van Woerkom, Alan Sanborn, Ron Jelinek, Michelle McManus, Tony Stamas, Shirley Johnson, Valde Garcia, Samuel Thomas .....	1968
Oct. 30, rules suspended .....	1968
Oct. 30, referred to Committee on Commerce and Labor .....	1968
Nov. 13, reported favorably without amendment .....	2084
Nov. 13, placed on order of Resolutions .....	2084
Nov. 13, rules suspended .....	2062
Nov. 13, resolution adopted .....	2079
189. A resolution to memorialize the Congress of the United States to take necessary actions, through the International Monetary Fund or otherwise, to ensure that foreign nations that trade with the United States do so fairly and do not manipulate their currency.	
Oct. 30, introduced by Senators Bill Hardiman, Wayne Kuipers, Laura Toy, Patricia Birkholz, Mike Goschka, Michael Bishop, Kenneth Sikkema, Beverly Hammerstrom, Alan Cropsey, Thomas George, Judson Gilbert, Nancy Cassis, Bruce Patterson, Cameron Brown, Gerald Van Woerkom, Alan Sanborn, Ron Jelinek, Michelle McManus, Shirley Johnson, Valde Garcia, Dennis Olshove, Samuel Thomas .....	1969
Oct. 30, rules suspended .....	1969
Oct. 30, referred to Committee on Commerce and Labor .....	1969
Nov. 12, reported favorably without amendment .....	2057
Nov. 12, placed on order of Resolutions .....	2057
Nov. 13, resolution adopted .....	2078
190. A resolution to memorialize the Congress of the United States to develop economic incentives and other programs to aid in the recovery and stabilization of the manufacturing industry in the United States.	
Oct. 30, introduced by Senators Gerald Van Woerkom, Wayne Kuipers, Bruce Patterson, Laura Toy, Patricia Birkholz, Mike Goschka, Michael Bishop, Kenneth Sikkema, Beverly Hammerstrom, Alan Cropsey, Thomas George, Judson Gilbert, Nancy Cassis, Cameron Brown, Alan Sanborn, Ron Jelinek, Michelle McManus, Bill Hardiman, Tony Stamas, Shirley Johnson, Valde Garcia, Dennis Olshove, Samuel Thomas .....	1969
Oct. 30, rules suspended .....	1969
Oct. 30, referred to Committee on Commerce and Labor .....	1969
Nov. 12, reported favorably without amendment .....	2057
Nov. 12, placed on order of Resolutions .....	2057
Nov. 13, resolution adopted .....	2078
191. A resolution to urge the Children's Special Health Care Services program of the Department of Community Health to offer treatment beyond the age of 21 for those with sickle cell disease.	
Nov. 4, introduced by Senators Samuel Thomas, Irma Clark-Coleman, Hansen Clarke, Mike Goschka, Bill Hardiman, Gilda Jacobs, Michael Prusi, Martha Scott .....	1982
Nov. 4, rules suspended .....	1982
Nov. 4, referred to Committee on Health Policy .....	1982
192. A resolution recognizing the mourning dove, Zenaida macroura, as the Michigan Bird of Peace.	
Nov. 4, introduced by Senators Shirley Johnson, Gilda Jacobs, Liz Brater, Irma Clark-Coleman, Hansen Clarke, Ron Jelinek, Burton Leland, Martha Scott, Laura Toy .....	1982
Nov. 4, rules suspended .....	1982
Nov. 4, referred to Committee on Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs .....	1982

- 193. A resolution recognizing the Drummond Island Sesquicentennial Celebration.  
 Nov. 5, introduced by Senators Jason Allen, Michael Prusi, Mike Goschka, Patricia Birkholz, Dennis Olshove, Deborah Cherry, Thomas George, Cameron Brown, Michael Bishop, Gerald Van Woerkom, Tony Stamas, Michelle McManus, Hansen Clarke, Gilda Jacobs, Alan Sanborn, Mark Schauer, Martha Scott, Michael Switalski, Samuel Thomas ..... 1997  
 Nov. 5, resolution adopted..... 1997
  
- 194. A resolution to urge the Michigan Education Alliance to study the issue of replacing the MEAP test with an alternative.  
 Nov. 6, introduced by Senators Wayne Kuipers, Valde Garcia, Gerald Van Woerkom, Nancy Cassis, Michael Bishop, Virg Bernero, Burton Leland, Irma Clark-Coleman, Bill Hardiman, Ron Jelinek, Michael Switalski, Michael Prusi..... 2019  
 Nov. 6, rules suspended..... 2019  
 Nov. 6, referred to Committee on Education..... 2019  
 Nov. 12, reported favorably without amendment..... 2058  
 Nov. 12, placed on order of Resolutions ..... 2058  
 Nov. 13, resolution adopted..... 2079
  
- 195. A resolution honoring Mike Illitch upon his induction into the Hockey Hall of Fame Class of 2003.  
 Nov. 6, introduced by Senators Kenneth Sikkema, Jason Allen, Jim Barcia, Raymond Basham, Virg Bernero, Patricia Birkholz, Michael Bishop, Liz Brater, Cameron Brown, Nancy Cassis, Deborah Cherry, Irma Clark-Coleman, Hansen Clarke, Alan Cropsy, Robert Emerson, Valde Garcia, Thomas George, Judson Gilbert, Mike Goschka, Beverly Hammerstrom, Bill Hardiman, Gilda Jacobs, Ron Jelinek, Shirley Johnson, Wayne Kuipers, Burton Leland, Michelle McManus, Dennis Olshove, Bruce Patterson, Michael Prusi, Alan Sanborn, Mark Schauer, Martha Scott, Tony Stamas, Michael Switalski, Samuel Thomas, Laura Toy, Gerald Van Woerkom ..... 2019  
 Nov. 6, resolution adopted..... 2018  
 Nov. 6, rules suspended..... 2019  
 Nov. 6, entire membership of the Senate and Lieutenant Governor named co-sponsors..... 2019
  
- 196. A resolution to urge the Department of Natural Resources to implement a program of double crested cormorant management pursuant to authority extended by the United States Fish and Wildlife Service.  
 Nov. 12, introduced by Senators Tony Stamas, Gerald Van Woerkom, Judson Gilbert, Cameron Brown, Alan Cropsy, Jason Allen, Wayne Kuipers, Michael Bishop, Michelle McManus, Bruce Patterson, Mike Goschka, Michael Prusi, Michael Switalski..... 2055  
 Nov. 12, rules suspended..... 2055  
 Nov. 12, referred to Committee on Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs..... 2055
  
- 197. A resolution declaring December 1, 2003, as World AIDS Day.  
 Nov. 12, introduced by Senators Virg Bernero, Liz Brater, Irma Clark-Coleman, Hansen Clarke, Gilda Jacobs, Michael Switalski, Samuel Thomas ..... 2054  
 Nov. 12, resolution adopted..... 2054
  
- 198. A resolution honoring Milo Radulovich.  
 Nov. 12, introduced by Senators Alan Sanborn, Deborah Cherry, Kenneth Sikkema, Ron Jelinek, Bruce Patterson, Michael Bishop, Virg Bernero, Wayne Kuipers, Valde Garcia, Bill Hardiman, Dennis Olshove, Michael Switalski, Thomas George, Michael Prusi, Liz Brater, Mike Goschka, Nancy Cassis, Jason Allen, Hansen Clarke, Burton Leland, Samuel Thomas, Irma Clark-Coleman, Raymond Basham, Robert Emerson, Martha Scott, Jim Barcia, Mark Schauer, Shirley Johnson, Gilda Jacobs, Alan Cropsy, Patricia Birkholz, Michelle McManus, Judson Gilbert, Gerald Van Woerkom, Tony Stamas, Laura Toy, Beverly Hammerstrom, Cameron Brown ..... 2054  
 Nov. 12, resolution adopted..... 2054
  
- 199. A resolution to memorialize the United States Senate to end the filibusters of the federal circuit court nominees pending on the Senate floor, to release those being held up in the Judiciary Committee of the Senate of the United States, and to support the reforms of the federal judicial confirmation process, all which will be addressed during 30 hours of floor debate this week.  
 Nov. 13, introduced by Senators Alan Cropsy, Bruce Patterson, Patricia Birkholz, Judson Gilbert, Michelle McManus, Laura Toy, Thomas George, Nancy Cassis, Michael Bishop, Jason Allen, Wayne Kuipers, Mike Goschka, Tony Stamas, Gerald Van Woerkom, Beverly Hammerstrom, Ron Jelinek, Shirley Johnson, Bill Hardiman, Cameron Brown, Kenneth Sikkema, Alan Sanborn..... 2079

Nov. 13, rules suspended.....	2079
Nov. 13, resolution adopted.....	2079
Nov. 13, Roll Call: Roll Call # 0569 Yeas 22 Nays 16 Exc 00 Not Voting 00.....	2079
200. A resolution to urge the Congress and the President of the United States to create a new cabinet-level position of Secretary of Manufacturing.	
Dec. 4, introduced by Senators Samuel Thomas, Jason Allen, Deborah Cherry, Wayne Kuipers .....	2130
Dec. 4, rules suspended .....	2130
Dec. 4, referred to Committee on Commerce and Labor .....	2130
201. A resolution to memorialize the Congress of the United States to amend the USA Patriot Act to ensure national security without eroding civil liberties.	
Dec. 9, introduced by Senators Irma Clark-Coleman, Gilda Jacobs, Raymond Basham, Michael Prusi, Liz Brater, Dennis Olshove, Martha Scott, Deborah Cherry, Hansen Clarke, Burton Leland, Jim Barcia, Virg Bernero, Michael Switalski, Robert Emerson, Mark Schauer, Samuel Thomas.....	2149
Dec. 9, referred to Committee on Government Operations.....	2149
202. A resolution to amend the Standing Rules of the Senate.	
Dec. 11, introduced by Senators Wayne Kuipers, Mike Goschka, Jason Allen, Valde Garcia, Nancy Cassis, Bruce Patterson, Deborah Cherry, Jim Barcia .....	2223
Dec. 11, rules suspended .....	2223
Dec. 11, referred to Committee on Local, Urban and State Affairs .....	2223
Dec. 17, reassigned to Committee on Government Operations .....	2264
203. A resolution to urge the Environmental Protection Agency to reconsider and reverse its proposal to ease restrictions on mercury emissions.	
Dec. 11, introduced by Senators Liz Brater, Irma Clark-Coleman, Raymond Basham, Virg Bernero.....	2224
Dec. 11, rules suspended .....	2224
Dec. 11, referred to Committee on Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs.....	2224
204. A resolution commemorating January 10-17, 2004, as Michigan Robotics Week.	
Dec. 16, introduced by Senators Nancy Cassis, Wayne Kuipers, Valde Garcia, Gerald Van Woerkom, Laura Toy, Alan Sanborn, Deborah Cherry, Mike Goschka, Jason Allen, Michael Switalski, Thomas George, Michelle McManus, Bruce Patterson .....	2256
Dec. 16, resolution adopted .....	2256
205. A resolution to urge the Wayne County Board of Commissioners to take actions to approve the purchase of a certain 58.2-acre parcel of land along the Detroit River.	
Dec. 17, introduced by Senators Bruce Patterson, Raymond Basham .....	2294
Dec. 17, resolution adopted .....	2294