

FIRST REGULAR SESSION

# House Resolution No. 2163

**101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE DEATON.

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DANA RADEMAN MILLER, Chief Clerk

**WHEREAS**, It is May so that can only mean one thing

2 The end of Session at the conclusion of Spring  
3 The time is nigh for us to say our goodbyes  
4 To take a long breath and release a deep sigh; and

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6 **WHEREAS**, Our work is done; another session complete

7 The Gentleman from Carthage constructed a budgetary feat

8 We passed that budget - \$35 billion strong

9 Medicaid expansion just didn't belong; and

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11 **WHEREAS**, Resolutions were drafted; bills heard and debated

12 Some we liked; while others we hated.

13 Yes, house bill after house bill passed this great chamber

14 Just to go to the Senate to falter and languor; and

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16 **WHEREAS**, Our work continued as we heard Senate bills

17 That mostly left me with a severe case of chills!

18 Some were a gas; others a tax

19 in the case of one; we found both - a gas tax; and

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21 **WHEREAS**, The challenges have been many for us this year

22 Let's try to reflect without crying in fear

23 As we close this year, it's time now for Sine Die

24 We look forward to casting our one final "aye"; and

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26 **WHEREAS**, As I conclude let me wish you only the best

27 Travel safely home, enjoy your family and rest;

28 Speaker Pro Tem Wiemann says it so well,

29 "Mr. Clerk please ring the board and open the bell.":

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31 **NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that we, the members of the Missouri House  
32 of Representatives, One Hundred First General Assembly, First Regular Session, hereby  
33 expressing our sincerest thanks and deepest appreciation to our Legislative Assistants and the  
34 staff of the Missouri House of Representatives for their devoted and faithful service to this body  
35 and further extend our very best wishes for health and happiness throughout the rest of the year;  
36 and

37 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of  
38 Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Speaker  
39 Rob Vescovo.