

**HOUSE JOURNAL**  
**SIXTY-FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY**  
**STATE OF COLORADO**  
**First Regular Session**

First Legislative Day

Wednesday, January 8, 2003

1 Colors were posted by the Colorado National Guard.  
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3 The National Anthem was sung by Lauren Wiens.  
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5 Pledge of Allegiance was led by Asia Bastian, Anna Winkler, Alex  
6 Keller, students from Dora Moore Elementary School.  
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8 Prayer by the Reverend Richard J. Hendry, Littleton United Methodist  
9 Church.  
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11 The hour of ten o'clock having arrived, the House of Representatives of  
12 the Sixty-fourth General Assembly of the State of Colorado, pursuant to  
13 law, was called to order by Doug Dean, Speaker of the Sixty-third  
14 General Assembly, State of Colorado.

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16 Speaker Dean announced that if there were no objections, Judith  
17 Rodrigue would be appointed Temporary Chief Clerk and Mike  
18 Mawhinney, the Temporary Reading Clerk.

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**LETTER OF RESIGNATION**

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24 January 6, 2003

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26 Members of the House of Representatives  
27 House Chambers  
28 Colorado General Assembly  
29 State Capitol Building  
30 Denver, CO 80203

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32 Dear Lola and Fellow Members:

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34 I herewith submit my resignation as a member of the House of  
35 Representatives from House District Eighteen, effective January 6, 2003  
36 at 11:59 pm.

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38 I have been chosen to serve as the next commissioner for the Colorado  
39 Division of Insurance. I have elected to accept that position beginning on  
40 January 7, 2003.

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42 I am pleased about the prospect of continuing in public service and being  
43 able to represent all of the residents of the state of Colorado as well as my



1	St. Rep. District 4	Counties: Denver		
2	Rick Nevin (REP)		3,323	21.94 %
3	K. Jerry Frangas (DEM)		10,678	70.49 %
4	Ralph Carlos Estrada (LIB)		1,147	7.57 %
5				
6	St. Rep. District 5	Counties: Denver		
7	Joel Judd (DEM)	8,826	72.37 %	
8	Brandi Moreland (REP)		3,000	24.60 %
9	Christopher Wilson (CRP)		369	3.03 %
10				
11	St. Rep. District 6	Counties: Arapahoe, Denver		
12	Andrew Romanoff (DEM)		18,208	84.28 %
13	Jeff Taton (LIB)		3,397	15.72 %
14				
15	St. Rep. District 7	Counties: Adams, Denver		
16	R. Mike Faris (REP)		3,554	25.19 %
17	Peter C. Groff (DEM)		10,552	74.81 %
18				
19	St. Rep. District 8	Counties: Denver		
20	Rosemary Marshall (DEM)		15,153	83.29 %
21	Roman Coleman (REP)		3,040	16.71 %
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23	St. Rep. District 9	Counties: Arapahoe, Denver		
24	Alice Borodkin (DEM)		10,354	50.41 %
25	Bruce Holland (REP)		9,705	47.25 %
26	Julie Marble (LIB)		479	2.33 %
27				
28	St. Rep. District 10	Counties: Boulder		
29	Alice Madden (DEM)		17,419	82.98 %
30	Craig Johnson (LIB)		3,572	17.02 %
31				
32	St. Rep. District 11	Counties: Boulder		
33	Leona Stoecker (REP)		12,217	46.62 %
34	John V. (Jack) Pommer (DEM)		12,940	49.38 %
35	Isaac Davenport (LIB)		843	3.22 %
36	Mark Mellott (NLP)		203	0.77 %
37				
38	St. Rep. District 12	Counties: Boulder		
39	Paul Weissmann (DEM)		13,303	60.60 %
40	Jim Egerton (REP)		7,952	36.23 %
41	Brian C. Lewis (LIB)		696	3.17 %
42				
43	St. Rep. District 13	Counties: Boulder, Clear Creek, Gilpin		
44	David Hustvedt (REP)		8,345	29.03 %
45	Tom Plant (DEM)		19,223	66.87 %
46	Howard P. Lambert (LIB)		1,179	4.10 %
47				
48	St. Rep. District 14	Counties: El Paso		
49	David C. Schultheis (REP)		17,339	84.67 %
50	John K. Berntson (LIB)		3,139	15.33 %
51				
52	St. Rep. District 15	Counties: El Paso		
53	Charley Johnson (DEM)		4,355	23.36 %
54	Bill Cadman (REP)		13,301	71.35 %
55	Ross Glidewell (LIB)		565	3.03 %
56	Betty Pearce (NLP)		420	2.25 %

1	St. Rep. District 16 Counties: El Paso		
2	Mark Entrekin (DEM)	5,846	30.22 %
3	William (Bill) Sinclair (REP)	12,721	65.76 %
4	Scott Graves (LIB)	778	4.02 %
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6	St. Rep. District 17 Counties: El Paso		
7	P.M. Wynn (DEM)	2,776	34.67 %
8	Mark Cloer (REP)	4,899	61.18 %
9	Steve D'Ippolito (LIB)	332	4.15 %
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11	St. Rep. District 18 Counties: El Paso		
12	Dan Stuart (REP)	8,440	47.48 %
13	Michael Merrifield (DEM)	8,552	48.11 %
14	Keith L. Hamburger (LIB)	784	4.41 %
15			
16	St. Rep. District 19 Counties: El Paso		
17	Kenneth A. Barela (DEM)	5,270	33.12 %
18	Richard D. Decker (REP)	9,948	62.51 %
19	Randall "Randy" Grant (LIB)	695	4.37 %
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21	St. Rep. District 20 Counties: El Paso		
22	Lynn Christian Hefley (REP)	21,959	85.37 %
23	Steve F. Gresh (LIB)	3,762	14.63 %
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25	St. Rep. District 21 Counties: El Paso, Fremont		
26	Keith King (REP)	15,181	66.89 %
27	Timothy M. Snowden (DEM)	6,859	30.22 %
28	Travis M. Brundige (LIB)	655	2.89 %
29			
30	St. Rep. District 22 Counties: Jefferson		
31	Rob Fairbank (REP)	12,950	58.76 %
32	Charles W. Carter (DEM)	9,090	41.24 %
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34	St. Rep. District 23 Counties: Jefferson		
35	Ramey Johnson (REP)	10,388	52.52 %
36	Kelley M. Daniel (DEM)	9,392	47.48 %
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38	St. Rep. District 24 Counties: Jefferson		
39	Cheri E. Jahn (DEM)	14,029	100.00 %
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41	St. Rep. District 25 Counties: Jefferson		
42	John Witwer (REP)	21,524	100.00 %
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44	St. Rep. District 26 Counties: Jefferson		
45	Scott D. McKay (REP)	9,902	45.30 %
46	Betty Boyd (DEM)	11,305	51.72 %
47	Doug Anderson (LIB)	651	2.98 %
48			
49	St. Rep. District 27 Counties: Jefferson		
50	Sara Gagliardi (DEM)	11,428	46.46 %
51	Bill Crane (REP) 12,531	50.95 %	
52	Gregg Miller (LIB)	636	2.59 %
53			
54	St. Rep. District 28 Counties: Jefferson		
55	Don Lee (REP) 14,186	59.53 %	
56	Brenda (Bee) Adams (DEM)	9,643	40.47 %

1	St. Rep. District 29 Counties: Jefferson		
2	Debbie Benefield (DEM)	9,553	47.65 %
3	Bob Briggs (REP)	9,910	49.43 %
4	Hans V. Romer (LIB)	584	2.91 %
5			
6	St. Rep. District 30 Counties: Adams		
7	David Dunnell (REP)	6,044	49.46 %
8	Mary Hodge (DEM)	6,177	50.54 %
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10	St. Rep. District 31 Counties: Adams		
11	Paul Zimmerman (DEM)	9,418	47.78 %
12	Pam Rhodes (REP)	10,293	52.22 %
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14	St. Rep. District 32 Counties: Adams		
15	David M. Borstel (REP)	5,042	41.75 %
16	Valentin Vigil (DEM)	7,036	58.25 %
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18	St. Rep. District 33 Counties: Adams, Boulder, Broomfield, Jefferson, Weld		
19	Shawn Mitchell (REP)	12,319	53.16 %
20	Vincent J. Buzek (DEM)	10,200	44.01 %
21	W. Earl Allen (LIB)	655	2.83 %
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23	St. Rep. District 34 Counties: Adams		
24	Lois A. Tochtrop (DEM)	11,729	100.00 %
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26	St. Rep. District 35 Counties: Adams		
27	Ann F. Ragsdale (DEM)	11,772	79.47 %
28	Steven E. Lechner (LIB)	3,041	20.53 %
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30	St. Rep. District 36 Counties: Arapahoe		
31	Frank Weddig (DEM)	7,885	54.25 %
32	James W. "Jim" Parker, III (REP)	6,650	45.75 %
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34	St. Rep. District 37 Counties: Arapahoe		
35	Lauri Clapp (REP)	17,664	64.69 %
36	John R. Phillips (DEM)	9,640	35.30 %
37	Bennett Rutledge (Write-In)	1	0.00 %
38			
39	St. Rep. District 38 Counties: Arapahoe, Jefferson		
40	Glen L. Emerson (DEM)	8,205	33.94 %
41	Joe Stengel (REP)	14,962	61.89 %
42	Mark Holden (LIB)	1,007	4.17 %
43			
44	St. Rep. District 39 Counties: Arapahoe		
45	Kelan Brady (DEM)	8,423	35.19 %
46	Nancy Spence (REP)	15,510	64.81 %
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48	St. Rep. District 40 Counties: Arapahoe, Elbert		
49	Debbie Stafford (REP)	15,191	79.99 %
50	David R. Morgan (LIB)	3,799	20.01 %
51			
52	St. Rep. District 41 Counties: Arapahoe		
53	Suzanne Williams (DEM)	10,273	55.80 %
54	Dayton E. Conway (REP)	7,657	41.59 %
55	Douglas F. Newman (LIB)	482	2.62 %
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1	St. Rep. District 42 Counties: Arapahoe		
2	Michael Garcia (DEM)	6,664	60.52 %
3	Alexander D. Jacobson (REP)	4,004	36.36 %
4	Mark W. Hanna (CRP)	344	3.12 %
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6	St. Rep. District 43 Counties: Douglas		
7	Ted Harvey (REP)	18,547	100.00 %
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9	St. Rep. District 44 Counties: Douglas		
10	Ernie Felix (DEM)	6,753	27.86 %
11	Mike May (REP) 17,484	72.14 %	
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13	St. Rep. District 45 Counties: Douglas, Teller		
14	Tom J. Wiens (REP)	22,386	82.45 %
15	Lawrence "Larry" Hamilton (LIB)	4,766	17.55 %
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17	St. Rep. District 46 Counties: Pueblo		
18	Dorothy B. Butcher (DEM)	16,821	100.00 %
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20	St. Rep. District 47 Counties: Fremont, Pueblo		
21	Les Shaver (REP)	10,867	48.56 %
22	Liane "Buffie" McFadyen (DEM)	11,512	51.44 %
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24	St. Rep. District 48 Counties: Weld		
25	Dale K. Hall (REP)	14,326	57.48 %
26	Pam Shaddock (DEM)	10,599	42.52 %
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28	St. Rep. District 49 Counties: Larimer, Weld		
29	Kevin Lundberg (REP)	19,730	100.00 %
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31	St. Rep. District 50 Counties: Weld		
32	Tambor Williams (REP)	9,370	77.55 %
33	Lester W. Edgett (LIB)	2,712	22.45 %
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35	St. Rep. District 51 Counties: Larimer		
36	Timothy S. Fritz (REP)	12,506	51.95 %
37	Joe Jabaily (UNA)	11,567	48.05 %
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39	St. Rep. District 52 Counties: Larimer		
40	Bob McCluskey (REP)	12,699	51.55 %
41	Bryan Jameson (DEM)	11,936	48.45 %
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43	St. Rep. District 53 Counties: Larimer		
44	Kirk Brush (REP)	8,975	48.17 %
45	Angie Paccione (DEM)	9,656	51.83 %
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47	St. Rep. District 54 Counties: Delta, Mesa		
48	Matt Smith (REP)	19,868	84.57 %
49	Eric A. Rechel (GRN)	3,624	15.43 %
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51	St. Rep. District 55 Counties: Mesa		
52	Gayle Berry (REP)	17,994	100.00 %
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54	St. Rep. District 56 Counties: Eagle, Lake, Summit		
55	Carl Miller (DEM)	9,992	50.79 %
56	Heather Lemon (REP)	9,682	49.21 %

1	St. Rep. District 57	Counties: Garfield, Grand, Jackson, Moffat, Rio Blanco		
2	Al White (REP)	15,453	64.08 %	
3	Terry D. Carwile (DEM)		7,935	32.90 %
4	Zane Newitt (ACP)		266	1.10 %
5	Michael J. Plylar (LIB)		462	1.92 %
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7	St. Rep. District 58	Counties: Delta, Dolores, Montezuma, Montrose, Ouray,		
8	San Miguel			
9	Bill Patterson (DEM)		11,217	43.82 %
10	Ray Rose (REP)	13,382	52.28 %	
11	Timothy A. Jacobs (LIB)		998	3.90 %
12				
13	St. Rep. District 59	Counties: Archuleta, La Plata, Montezuma, San Juan		
14	Mark Larson (REP)		19,361	100.00 %
15				
16	St. Rep. District 60	Counties: Chaffee, Custer, Fremont, Park, Pueblo,		
17	Saguache			
18	Lola Spradley (REP)		17,082	66.16 %
19	Emily Tracy (DEM)		8,738	33.84 %
20				
21	St. Rep. District 61	Counties: Eagle, Garfield, Gunnison, Hinsdale, Pitkin		
22	Gregg P. Rippey (REP)		11,622	51.73 %
23	Rick Davis (DEM)		9,867	43.92 %
24	Abba Krieger (NLP)		978	4.35 %
25				
26	St. Rep. District 62	Counties: Alamosa, Conejos, Costilla, Huerfano, Mineral,		
27	Pueblo, Rio Grande, Saguache			
28	Jim Snook (REP)	8,331	38.75 %	
29	John T. Salazar (DEM)		13,167	61.25 %
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31	St. Rep. District 63	Counties: Adams, Cheyenne, Crowley, Kiowa, Kit Carson,		
32	Lincoln, Morgan, Washington, Yuma			
33	Greg Brophy (REP)		18,017	85.51 %
34	Gene Leverett (LIB)		3,053	14.49 %
35				
36	St. Rep. District 64	Counties: Baca, Bent, Huerfano, Las Animas, Otero,		
37	Prowers			
38	Wes McKinley (DEM)		10,366	48.13 %
39	Brad Young (REP)		10,854	50.40 %
40	Paul Berthelot (LIB)		316	1.47 %
41				
42	St. Rep. District 65	Counties: Logan, Phillips, Sedgwick, Weld		
43	Ken Clark (DEM)		5,623	26.78 %
44	Diane Hoppe (REP)		14,905	70.98 %
45	Jerry O. From (LIB)		472	2.25 %
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STATE OF COLORADO

Department of  
State

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA     )  
STATE OF COLORADO            ) SS.     Certificate

I, Donetta Davidson, Secretary of State of the State of Colorado, do hereby certify that I have canvassed the "Abstract of Votes" submitted in

1 the State of Colorado, and do state that, to the best of my knowledge and  
 2 belief, the persons listed on the attached list were duly elected to the  
 3 Colorado State House of Representatives by the qualified electors of the  
 4 State of Colorado in the November 5, 2002 General Election.

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 6 In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great  
 7 Seal of the State of Colorado, at the City of Denver, this Twenty-sixth  
 8 day of December, A.D., 2002.

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 10 (Signed)  
 11 Donetta Davidson  
 12 Secretary of State

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 16 St. Rep. District 1

17 Counties: Arapahoe, Denver, Jefferson  
 18 Fran N. Coleman (DEM)  
 19 2221 S. Lowell Blvd., Denver, CO 80219 11,646

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 21 St. Rep. District 2

22 Counties: Denver  
 23 Desiree M. Sanchez (DEM)  
 24 10 Emerson St. #705, Denver, CO 80218 7,203

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 26 St. Rep. District 3

27 Counties: Arapahoe, Denver  
 28 Jennifer L. Veiga (DEM)  
 29 765 S. Grant St., Denver, CO 80209 12,660

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 31 St. Rep. District 4

32 Counties: Denver  
 33 K. Jerry Frangas (DEM)  
 34 3867 Meade ST., Denver, CO 80211 10,678

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 36 St. Rep. District 5

37 Counties: Denver  
 38 Joel Judd (DEM)  
 39 2904 W. 24th Ave., Denver, CO 80211 8,826

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 41 St. Rep. District 6

42 Counties: Arapahoe, Denver  
 43 Andrew Romanoff (DEM)  
 44 887 S. Gilpin St., Denver, CO 80209 18,208

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 46 St. Rep. District 7

47 Counties: Adams, Denver  
 48 Peter C. Groff (DEM)  
 49 1400 Pontiac St., Denver, CO 80220 10,552

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 51 St. Rep. District 8

52 Counties: Denver  
 53 Rosemary Marshall (DEM)  
 54 3451 E. 26th Ave., Denver, CO 80205 15,153

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1	<u>St. Rep. District 9</u>	
2	Counties: Arapahoe, Denver	
3	Alice Borodkin (DEM)	
4	8101 E. Dartmouth Ave. #112, Denver, CO 80231	10,354
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6	<u>St. Rep. District 10</u>	
7	Counties: Boulder	
8	Alice Madden (DEM)	
9	5649 Pennsylvania Ave., Boulder, CO 80303	17,419
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11	<u>St. Rep. District 11</u>	
12	Counties: Boulder	
13	John V. (Jack) Pommer (DEM)	
14	605 Pine St., Boulder, CO 80302	12,940
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16	<u>St. Rep. District 12</u>	
17	Counties: Boulder	
18	Paul Weissmann (DEM)	
19	465 Lincoln Cir., Louisville, CO 80027	13,303
20		
21	<u>St. Rep. District 13</u>	
22	Counties: Boulder, Clear Creek, Gilpin	
23	Tom Plant (DEM)	
24	326 Ponderosa Way, Nederland, CO 80466	19,223
25		
26	<u>St. Rep. District 14</u>	
27	Counties: El Paso	
28	David C. Schultheis (REP)	
29	1250 Golden Hills Rd., Colorado Springs, CO 80919	17,339
30		
31	<u>St. Rep. District 15</u>	
32	Counties: El Paso	
33	Bill Cadman (REP)	
34	1109 Lehmborg Blvd., Colorado Springs, CO 80915	13,301
35		
36	<u>St. Rep. District 16</u>	
37	Counties: El Paso	
38	William (Bill) Sinclair (REP)	
39	3007 Chelton Drive, Colorado Springs, CO 80909	12,721
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41	<u>St. Rep. District 17</u>	
42	Counties: El Paso	
43	Mark Cloer (REP)	
44	2575 Astrozon Cir., Colorado Springs, CO 80916	4,899
45		
46	<u>St. Rep. District 18</u>	
47	Counties: El Paso	
48	Michael Merrifield (DEM)	
49	83 Crystal Park Rd. Apt A, Manitou Springs, CO 80829	8,552
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51	<u>St. Rep. District 19</u>	
52	Counties: El Paso	
53	Richard D. Decker (REP)	
54	7035 Loveland Ter., Fountain, CO 80817	9,948
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1	<u>St. Rep. District 20</u>	
2	Counties: El Paso	
3	Lynn Christian Hefley (REP)	
4	1625 W. Woodmen Rd., Colorado Springs, CO 80919	21,959
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6	<u>St. Rep. District 21</u>	
7	Counties: El Paso, Fremont	
8	Keith King (REP)	
9	4715 Bywood Ct., Colorado Springs, CO 80906	15,181
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11	<u>St. Rep. District 22</u>	
12	Counties: Jefferson	
13	Rob Fairbank (REP)	
14	10201 W. Ida Ave. #137, Littleton, CO 80127	12,950
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16	<u>St. Rep. District 23</u>	
17	Counties: Jefferson	
18	Ramey Johnson (REP)	
19	13740 W. 7th Ave., Golden, CO 80401	10,388
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21	<u>St. Rep. District 24</u>	
22	Counties: Jefferson	
23	Cheri E. Jahn (DEM)	
24	3580 High Ct., Wheat Ridge, CO 80033	14,029
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26	<u>St. Rep. District 25</u>	
27	Counties: Jefferson	
28	John Witwer (REP)	
29	3111 Interlocken Dr., Evergreen, CO 80439	21,524
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31	<u>St. Rep. District 26</u>	
32	Counties: Jefferson	
33	Betty Boyd (DEM)	
34	12527 W. Arizona Pl., Lakewood, CO 80228	11,305
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36	<u>St. Rep. District 27</u>	
37	Counties: Jefferson	
38	Bill Crane (REP)	
39	7676 Oak St., Arvada, CO 80005	12,531
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41	<u>St. Rep. District 28</u>	
42	Counties: Jefferson	
43	Don Lee (REP)	
44	6883 S. Allison Wy., Littleton, CO 80128	14,186
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46	<u>St. Rep. District 29</u>	
47	Counties: Jefferson	
48	Bob Briggs (REP)	
49	5729 W. 115th Ave., Westminster, CO 80020	9,910
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51	<u>St. Rep. District 30</u>	
52	Counties: Adams	
53	Mary Hodge (DEM)	
54	447 Poplar Cr., Brighton, CO 80601	6,177
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1	<u>St. Rep. District 31</u>	
2	Counties: Adams	
3	Pam Rhodes (REP)	
4	13271 Clermont Cir., Thornton, CO 80241	10,293
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6	<u>St. Rep. District 32</u>	
7	Counties: Adams	
8	Valentin Vigil (DEM)	
9	9908 Garfield Ct., Thornton, CO 80229	7,036
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11	<u>St. Rep. District 33</u>	
12	Counties: Adams, Boulder, Broomfield, Jefferson, Weld	
13	Shawn Mitchell (REP)	
14	12530 Newton St., Broomfield, CO 80020	12,319
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16	<u>St. Rep. District 34</u>	
17	Counties: Adams	
18	Lois A. Tochtrop (DEM)	
19	10452 Dale Dr., Westminster, CO 80234	11,729
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21	<u>St. Rep. District 35</u>	
22	Counties: Adams	
23	Ann F. Ragsdale (DEM)	
24	8120 Osceola St., Westminster, CO 80031	11,772
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26	<u>St. Rep. District 36</u>	
27	Counties: Arapahoe	
28	Frank Weddig (DEM)	
29	15818 E. 8th Cir., Aurora, CO 80013	7,885
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31	<u>St. Rep. District 37</u>	
32	Counties: Arapahoe	
33	Lauri Clapp (REP)	
34	6344 S. Logan Ct., Littleton, CO 80121	17,664
35		
36	<u>St. Rep. District 38</u>	
37	Counties: Arapahoe, Jefferson	
38	Joe Stengel (REP)	
39	9 Meadowlark Lane, Littleton, CO 80123	14,962
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41	<u>St. Rep. District 39</u>	
42	Counties: Arapahoe	
43	Nancy Spence (REP)	
44	6330 S. Olathe St., Centennial, CO 80016	15,510
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46	<u>St. Rep. District 40</u>	
47	Counties: Arapahoe, Elbert	
48	Debbie Stafford (REP)	
49	18908 E. Loyola Cir., Aurora, CO 80013	15,191
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51	<u>St. Rep. District 41</u>	
52	Counties: Arapahoe	
53	Suzanne Williams (DEM)	
54	12314 E. Bates Cir., Aurora, CO 80014	10,273
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1	<u>St. Rep. District 42</u>	
2	Counties: Arapahoe	
3	Michael Garcia (DEM)	
4	423 Lima St., Aurora, CO 80010	6,664
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6	<u>St. Rep. District 43</u>	
7	Counties: Douglas	
8	Ted Harvey (REP)	
9	9689 S. Adelaide Cir., Highlands Ranch, CO 80130	18,547
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11	<u>St. Rep. District 44</u>	
12	Counties: Douglas	
13	Mike May (REP)	
14	189878 E. Creekside Dr., Parker, CO 80134	17,484
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16	<u>St. Rep. District 45</u>	
17	Counties: Douglas, Teller	
18	Tom J. Wiens (REP)	
19	5567 S. Perry Park Rd., Sedalia, CO 80135	22,386
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21	<u>St. Rep. District 46</u>	
22	Counties: Pueblo	
23	Dorothy B. Butcher (DEM)	
24	101 Encino Dr., Pueblo, CO 81005	16,821
25		
26	<u>St. Rep. District 47</u>	
27	Counties: Fremont, Pueblo	
28	Liane "Buffie" McFadyen (DEM)	
29	385 W. Baldwyn Dr., Pueblo West, CO 81007	11,512
30		
31	<u>St. Rep. District 48</u>	
32	Counties: Weld	
33	Dale K. Hall (REP)	
34	3941 17th St. Ln., Greeley, CO 80634	14,326
35		
36	<u>St. Rep. District 49</u>	
37	Counties: Larimer, Weld	
38	Kevin Lundberg (REP)	
39	2525 WCR 8, Berthoud, CO 80513	19,730
40		
41	<u>St. Rep. District 50</u>	
42	Counties: Weld	
43	Tambor Williams (REP)	
44	1910 21st Ave. Ct., Greeley, CO 80631	9,370
45		
46	<u>St. Rep. District 51</u>	
47	Counties: Larimer	
48	Timothy S. Fritz (REP)	
49	8140 US HWY 34W, Loveland, CO 80537	12,506
50		
51	<u>St. Rep. District 52</u>	
52	Counties: Larimer	
53	Bob McCluskey (REP)	
54	719 West Shore Ct., Fort Collins, CO 80525	12,699
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1	<u>St. Rep. District 53</u>	
2	Counties: Larimer	
3	Angie Paccione (DEM)	
4	1331 Birch St. #1, Fort Collins, CO 80525	9,656
5		
6	<u>St. Rep. District 54</u>	
7	Counties: Delta, Mesa	
8	Matt Smith (REP)	
9	3074 Alegre Ct., Grand Junction, CO 81504	19,868
10		
11	<u>St. Rep. District 55</u>	
12	Counties: Mesa	
13	Gayle Berry (REP)	
14	1305 Wellington Unit 102, Grand Junction, CO 81501	17,994
15		
16	<u>St. Rep. District 56</u>	
17	Counties: Eagle, Lake, Summit	
18	Carl Miller (DEM)	
19	111 W. 3rd St., Leadville, CO 80461	9,992
20		
21	<u>St. Rep. District 57</u>	
22	Counties: Garfield, Grand, Jackson, Moffat, Rio Blanco	
23	Al White (REP)	
24	Box 3110, Winter Park, CO 80482	15,453
25		
26	<u>St. Rep. District 58</u>	
27	Counties: Delta, Dolores, Montezuma, Montrose, Ouray, San Miguel	
28	Ray Rose (REP)	
29	1224 Leeds Ave., Montrose, CO 81401	13,382
30		
31	<u>St. Rep. District 59</u>	
32	Counties: Archuleta, La Plata, Montezuma, San Juan	
33	Mark Larson (REP)	
34	1703 Rolling Rd., Cortez, CO 81321	19,361
35		
36	<u>St. Rep. District 60</u>	
37	Counties: Chaffee, Custer, Fremont, Park, Pueblo, Saguache	
38	Lola Spradley (REP)	
39	6100 Waterbarrel Rd., Beulah, CO 81023	17,082
40		
41	<u>St. Rep. District 61</u>	
42	Counties: Eagle, Garfield, Gunnison, Hinsdale, Pitkin	
43	Gregg P. Rippy (REP)	
44	0213 Creekside Ct., Glenwood Springs, CO 81601	11,622
45		
46	<u>St. Rep. District 62</u>	
47	Counties: Alamosa, Conejos, Costilla, Huerfano, Mineral, Pueblo, Rio Grande,	
48	Saguache	
49	John T. Salazar (DEM)	
50	20616 Co. Rd. M, Manassa, CO 81141	13,167
51		
52	<u>St. Rep. District 63</u>	
53	Counties: Adams, Cheyenne, Crowley, Kiowa, Kit Carson, Lincoln, Morgan,	
54	Washington, Yuma	
55	Greg Brophy (REP)	
56	1038 W. 7th, Wray, CO 80758	18,017

1 St. Rep. District 64  
 2 Counties: Baca, Bent, Huerfano, Las Animas, Otero, Prowers  
 3 Brad Young (REP)  
 4 7 Lake Rd., Lamar, CO 81052 10,854  
 5  
 6 St. Rep. District 65  
 7 Counties: Logan, Phillips, Sedgwick, Weld  
 8 Diane Hoppe (REP)  
 9 14066 Greenway Dr., Sterling, CO 80751 14,905

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13 The Chief Clerk called the roll with the following result:

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15 Present--65.

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17 Speaker Dean declared a quorum present.

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21 Representative King, moved that the Speaker appoint a committee of  
 22 three to serve as the Committee on Credentials. Without objection,  
 23 Speaker Dean appointed Representatives King, Chairman, White, and  
 24 Veiga as the Committee on Credentials.

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House in recess. House reconvened.

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30 On request of Representative King, the following report was read:

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32 **REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS**

33

34 January 8, 2003

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36 The Committee on Credentials has made examination of the report of the  
 37 Secretary of State and finds that the list of Representatives elected at the  
 38 general election held on November 5, 2002, as certified by the Secretary  
 39 of State of the State of Colorado, is a true, complete, and authentic list of  
 40 all Representatives elected at said general election for the term provided  
 41 by law, and said persons are entitled to membership in this body as  
 42 aforesaid, pursuant to law in such cases made and provided.

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43 (signed)

44 Keith King, Chairman

45 Al White

46 Jennifer Veiga

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49 Representative King moved to adopt the report of the Committee on  
 50 Credentials.

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52 The report of the Committee on Credentials was **adopted** by **viva voce**  
 53 vote.

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1 Representative King moved that a committee of three be appointed to  
2 wait upon Chief Justice Mullarkey to request her to administer the oath  
3 of office to the Representatives-elect. Without objection, Speaker Dean  
4 appointed Representatives Hefley, Fairbank, and Butcher as members of  
5 said committee.

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8 Chief Sergeant-at-arms Suman announced the arrival of Chief Justice  
9 Mullarkey.

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11 The Committee escorted the Chief Justice to the podium where she  
12 administered the oath of office to 65 members-elect of the House of  
13 Representatives, as certified by the Secretary of State.

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15 The Committee escorted Chief Justice Mullarkey from the Chamber.

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18 Speaker Dean announced that nominations were open for Speaker of the  
19 House of Representatives for the Sixty-fourth General Assembly.

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21 Representative King nominated Representative Spradley.

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23 Representative Veiga seconded the nomination of Representative  
24 Spradley.

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26 Speaker Dean called for further nominations.

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28 Representative King moved that the nominations be closed.

29 The motion was carried by **viva voce** vote.

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31 Representative King moved that the Temporary Chief Clerk, Judith  
32 Rodrigue, cast an unanimous ballot for Representative Spradley for  
33 Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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35 Speaker Dean announced that Representative Spradley had been elected  
36 Speaker of the House of Representatives for the Sixty-fourth General  
37 Assembly. Speaker Spradley and Minority Leader Veiga addressed the  
38 body.

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41 Representative King moved that the remarks of Speaker Spradley and  
42 Representative Veiga be printed in the House journal. There being no  
43 objection the remarks were printed.

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46 Speaker Spradley delivered the following address to the House:

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48 Mr. Majority Leader, Madam Minority Leader, fellow representatives, staff,  
49 family and honored guests:

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51 Today, we begin the 64th General Assembly. This is both a joyous and somber  
52 occasion.

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54 Joyous because it is a reaffirmation of the freedom and democracy we enjoy in  
55 this Great Nation. Our forefathers had the wisdom to create a unique form of  
56 government that is "of the people, by the people and for the people." Today, we

1 remain strong. Our spirit is undaunted. Despite the terrorist attacks 16 months  
2 ago, and the problems we've endured since 9-11, our heritage and way of life  
3 remain intact.

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5 Growing up on a wheat farm in northeast Colorado, I never envisioned that I  
6 would be involved in politics, let alone hold the position that you have bestowed  
7 upon me today. My mother, God rest her soul, would be shocked but proud of  
8 me today. I am humbled by this honor and will do my best to earn your  
9 continued respect and support.

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11 And speaking of support, I must take this opportunity to express my gratitude  
12 for the support I have received from my husband, Dale. I also want to thank in  
13 advance every family member of every representative in this room for the  
14 support and understanding that you will be giving over the next 120 days. We  
15 will need your listening ear and your strong shoulder in order for us to do our  
16 best.

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18 This body is known as the "House of the People." That's because all members  
19 of this House are elected every two years. Under our system of checks and  
20 balances, we are meant to be the barometer of public opinion.

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22 Together, we come from all walks of life and all regions of the state. We are of  
23 different parties, different philosophies and different heritages, yet our mission  
24 is the same: To do the very best we can to look out for the health and welfare  
25 of Colorado's citizens over the next two years. We are here today because the  
26 people of Colorado have given us the honor -- and responsibility -- of being their  
27 chosen representatives.

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29 Eighteen of our members are new -- nine are from each party. We extend to you  
30 a special welcome. I know your family, friends and colleagues join me in  
31 celebrating your swearing in, and wishing you every success during your stay  
32 here.

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34 Largely because of term limits, we have experienced a high turnover the last  
35 couple of sessions. In fact, 40 percent of our members -- just 26 of our 65  
36 members -- have been here more than two years. In addition, the three key  
37 leadership positions all have new people.

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39 As a whole, our members have less experience than at any point in our history.  
40 However, when the voters passed term limits they thought fresh ideas would  
41 have a better chance to be heard. Our goal is to accomplish the voters' objectives  
42 while overcoming our lack of "institutional knowledge." That will take a  
43 commitment on all our parts to learn the ropes quickly, study the issues  
44 diligently and work hard. Let me share some of what I have found to be  
45 important:

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- 47 • You need to master the rules and honor the process. Those who know  
48 the rules backwards and forwards tend to be those who accomplish the  
49 most while they're here. At the same time, it is important to respect the  
50 process, which has been developed through years of trial and error.  
51 Individual issues, individual votes may come and go, but the manner we  
52 employ in deciding issues must remain predictable, orderly and fair, for  
53 it will last long after we are gone.
  - 54
  - 55 • Never forget that your word is your bond. If you commit to voting for  
56 or against a bill, your colleagues will count on your word and measure



- 1 your credibility accordingly. If you are undecided about a bill or simply  
2 want more information, do not commit until you are ready to do so.  
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- 4 • Try to find a niche. Whether having to do with a special expertise you  
5 might bring to the job, your committee assignments or issues you're  
6 simply interested in, become an expert on a few subjects. Go to the  
7 microphone when you truly have something important to add to the  
8 debate and you will earn the respect of your colleagues on both sides.  
9 Remember, more is less. This is not C-SPAN. Those who try to speak  
10 on every subject quickly lose credibility.  
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  - 12 • Always look for solutions. Roll up your sleeves and get involved. When  
13 you do, you can have an impact on the system. Do not merely stand on  
14 the sidelines and criticize, without offering serious alternatives.  
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  - 16 • Be willing to bring forth fresh ideas. That, after all, is one of the guiding  
17 principles of having a citizen legislature. We all bring different  
18 perspectives to the table, and that is healthy for the process. As a  
19 corollary, sometimes it takes several tries before an idea gathers  
20 momentum and receives the attention it deserves. So do not be  
21 discouraged if all your ideas do not meet with instant success.  
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  - 23 • Learn to disagree without being disagreeable. No one will fault you for  
24 sticking by your principles, as long as you do so in a civil manner. But  
25 remember that words matter. Whether written or spoken, what you say  
26 can add or detract from the debate. Your words may inspire or injure.  
27 You will quickly understand that there is always another issue, and you  
28 may well be on the same side the next time. You should develop a  
29 genuine respect for your colleagues regardless of their positions on  
30 issues or party affiliation.  
31
  - 32 • Don't lose your sense of humor. We should take our work seriously, as  
33 we will be making many decisions that affect people's lives and  
34 livelihoods throughout the state of Colorado. Be careful not to take  
35 yourselves too seriously.  
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- 37 As I said, today is a joyous occasion. At the same, this is a somber occasion.  
38 Many of the issues before us are as serious as any the legislature has had to face  
39 in our state's history. As I look out across this audience, I know that the team  
40 and the talent in this room are up to the challenge.  
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- 42 Today, I want to focus on what I consider the Big Four issues before us: The  
43 budget, water, affordable health insurance and affordable automobile insurance.  
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- 45 Let's start with the toughest of the four, the budget. We face a projected state  
46 budget deficit this year of \$850 million. That's the largest shortfall since World  
47 War II. Over the last year, every time we've received a new revenue budget  
48 forecast, the news has gotten worse. Bringing the budget back into balance, as  
49 we're required to do by the state Constitution that we just swore to uphold, will  
50 undoubtedly be our greatest challenge this session.  
51
- 52 Moreover, this challenge, as well as its opportunities, are immediate. Typically  
53 a new legislature settles in gently. Bills are introduced, committee hearings held  
54 and floor action takes place in an orderly fashion, with the legislature not hitting  
55 full stride until mid-way through the session. Then there's a flurry of activity as  
56 we approach sine die.

1 This year, however, we immediately must make important decisions concerning  
2 the budget. The \$850 million budget shortfall is for the current fiscal year. Since  
3 we're already more than halfway through this year, this means every day we  
4 delay will make it more difficult to get the budget in balance.  
5

6 Governor Owens has made a number of suggestions how we might balance the  
7 budget and undoubtedly he will have more to say to us when he addresses a joint  
8 session next week. He has been able to achieve some of the savings  
9 administratively, but most of the shortfall will require action by the General  
10 Assembly. The Joint Budget Committee has indicated it will have the bills to  
11 bring the budget into balance ready for introduction by January 24. That's just  
12 16 days from today.  
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14 We must act thoughtfully and expeditiously -- because balancing the budget will  
15 not get easier if we wait until April and then have only one-fourth of the year  
16 left. Without a doubt, decisions we make will impact both people and programs.  
17 The dollar figures may well be useful and necessary in defining our overall  
18 budget problem, but we cannot forget that we dealing with programs and  
19 services that touch the daily lives of the people of Colorado. The choices are not  
20 easy. But I am sure we all agree that our decisions should be done as  
21 compassionately as possible. In that spirit, we need constructive suggestions  
22 from both sides of the aisle.  
23

24 Because of the way the budget crisis unfolded, the governor, under authority we  
25 gave him last year, has had to play a larger role in making budget decisions than  
26 has historically been the case. However, I firmly believe that the legislature --  
27 not the executive branch, not the judiciary -- is where the people have the  
28 greatest opportunity for input into the state budget. Our citizens deserve our  
29 best, most sincere efforts. It is our job -- and I know we will get it done.  
30

31 Once we get past the current fiscal year, our challenge is not over. We will still  
32 face serious budget issues. Our economists predict that the economy may have  
33 bottomed out, but it remains weak. As a result, revenues probably will not be  
34 enough to generate a TABOR surplus in the near future.  
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36 As President Reagan once said, we can devote all our efforts to dividing up a  
37 shrinking pie, or we can look for ways to expand the size of the pie. Thus, as we  
38 look for budget savings, I would urge passage of legislation that speeds our  
39 economic recovery, that creates new jobs and further creates a business-friendly  
40 climate in our state.  
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42 While we are looking at the budget, we cannot overlook any opportunity we  
43 may have to stimulate the economy in Colorado. We must seriously consider  
44 legislation to create jobs and make Colorado an attractive place to do business.  
45 It will not be easy to make investments in our future, but it's imperative that we  
46 do so if we are to leave future generations with a sound economy. If we close  
47 the door on economic development, it will take a long time to regain the  
48 confidence of those who want to walk through that door again.  
49

50 It is also incumbent upon each of us to reexamine our priorities and determine  
51 the proper role of state government in today's world. One of my role models,  
52 former Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher, guided Great Britain through  
53 similarly perilous times. She had this to say on the role of government: "We  
54 want a society where people are free to make choices, to make mistakes, to be  
55 generous and compassionate. This is what we mean by a moral society, not a  
56 society where the state is responsible for everything, and no one is responsible

1 for the state."  
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3 The second of the Big Four is water. No one can forget the drought of 2002.  
4 According to the Associated Press, a study of tree rings has suggested that last  
5 year was the driest on the Front Range since 1725. Most of the state  
6 experienced severe drought conditions.  
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8 Wildfires took their worst toll in our state's history. Nine firefighters lost their  
9 lives, at least 235 homes were destroyed and 915,000 acres were destroyed. This  
10 is an area nearly the size of the whole state of Rhode Island. This lack of water  
11 also caused severe water restrictions throughout much of the state and the levels  
12 in many of our reservoirs are lower than anyone can remember.  
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14 Farmers did not get the rain they needed to grow their crops and in turn feed  
15 their livestock. Take the case of a third-generation rancher near Norwood, in  
16 western Montrose County. Picture her waiting for the trucks to arrive to pick  
17 up her cattle and take them to the sale barn. She is standing in front of her last  
18 1,500 pounds of hay and is worried that she will run out of hay, and be unable  
19 to feed her cattle, until the trucks arrive. Perhaps she can avoid losing the ranch,  
20 but will receive less than half the price of what her cattle are worth. Her cattle  
21 will be gone, and so will her income. And yet, if she later wants to resume  
22 ranching, she will have to pay full price for new cattle.  
23

24 Unfortunately, we cannot make it rain. But we can agree that it makes no sense  
25 to be sending water -- water that the courts agree we are entitled to --  
26 downstream to California. We need to look at a number of related issues,  
27 including increasing our storage capacity by repairing, expanding and dredging  
28 our current reservoirs. We also need to look for additional storage  
29 opportunities, conserve more water, recharge our aquifers and ensure water  
30 quality all the way to our borders.  
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32 There isn't one magic solution. I live near Beulah, a small town in rural Pueblo  
33 County. I believe conservation is appropriate, but when the creek runs dry, as  
34 happened to us last summer, conservation only gets you so far. You can't  
35 conserve past zero. For two or three months, we had to truck water up the  
36 mountain 2,500 gallons at a time. Each citizen was allotted just 600 gallons per  
37 month. To put that into perspective, that's four flushes and no water available  
38 for drinking or cooking. If we have another year of drought, other areas of the  
39 state will experience a similar dilemma.  
40

41 During this session, I am hopeful that we can engage in open discussion and  
42 negotiation. Whether you represent urban areas or agricultural districts, whether  
43 you're from the Front Range or the Western Slope, I urge that you draw no lines  
44 in the sand. We need to eliminate the rhetoric and work for meaningful solutions  
45 that benefit the entire state.  
46

47 Another priority this session is affordable health insurance. Premiums have  
48 continued to skyrocket and several major insurance companies have stopped  
49 doing business in Colorado. This means less competition and less choice.  
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51 I know a couple that has \$1,791 a month income and presently pays about \$800  
52 a month in health insurance. They've just been told that their insurance is going  
53 up to \$1,200. Once they pay their mortgage, that hardly leaves enough for food,  
54 utilities, and co-payments on prescriptions drugs. Heaven forbid if they might  
55 want to rent a movie.  
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1 We need to take a serious look at the choices we allow insurers to offer  
2 consumers. Some would argue that we cannot afford to reduce or eliminate  
3 mandates. But the issue is that more and more people simply cannot afford  
4 health insurance if they're offered only an "all-or-nothing plan." They will have  
5 to choose "nothing." We must permit insurance companies to offer less  
6 expensive options to those who do not need or cannot afford full coverage.

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8 The same is true of the plan we have for state employees. Many of our  
9 employees make between \$1,800 and \$2,500 a month. They must pay between  
10 \$600 and \$800 a month for health insurance to cover themselves and their  
11 family. One employee told me he felt he had to make the choice of just insuring  
12 himself, with no insurance for his children. We must ask ourselves, "Is this the  
13 best we can do for our employees?"

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15 Similarly, car insurance has gone up dramatically this past year. Typically,  
16 premiums have risen by 20 percent, compared to 9 percent nationally. As a  
17 result, car insurance costs more in Colorado than practically any other state.

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19 I know a retired woman who has a 1984 car and must pay \$87 a month in  
20 required coverage or she cannot renew her license plates. Living on a fixed  
21 income, she finds \$87 a month to be an incredible burden. Or what about a  
22 college student, as many of us can remember, living on a college income and  
23 driving that old car, who simply cannot pay \$75 a month to insure it? Increasing  
24 penalties for those caught driving without insurance will not reduce the number  
25 of uninsured motorists if we do not make automobile insurance affordable.

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27 The good news is that the current no-fault law expires June 30. Governor  
28 Owens has said he will veto any attempt to renew the current system. Thus, we  
29 have the opportunity to put the brakes on the spiraling cost of automobile  
30 insurance by modifying the current system or switching to another system.  
31 Thirty-seven states now have some form of "tort" system, so there are other  
32 viable options that will protect our citizens while at the same time making  
33 automobile insurance more affordable.

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35 There well may be over 600 bills introduced this session, but these are four of  
36 the issues I wanted to highlight today.

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38 The challenges -- and opportunities -- we face are perhaps as great as at any  
39 time in our state's history. And they come at a time when our members  
40 collectively have less experience than ever before.

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42 We must continue to discuss, agree and disagree, and to seek solutions rather  
43 than political advantage. We must work collectively on the issues because the  
44 citizens of Colorado have put their trust in us. I am optimistic about our  
45 prospects for success.

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47 In closing, let me offer one last thought. As we debate the various issues before  
48 us, I would ask that you take a moment to consider the Constitution that we  
49 have sworn to uphold here today. When we debate a bill, is it consistent with  
50 what our forefathers would have envisioned for this great state and our nation?"

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52 God bless us all.

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1 Representative Veiga delivered the following address to the House:

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3 Speaker Spradley, House Colleagues and special guests, I am honored and  
4 humbled to stand before you today.

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6 Over the past twelve months, I have traveled from Montrose to Basalt meeting  
7 Coloradans both young and old. On several occasions I was honored to hear  
8 their stories and I was reminded that even today as we are challenged with a  
9 struggling economy, Colorado is no stranger to overcoming difficult times.

10 Even during this time of great economic uncertainty and fear about our nation's  
11 security, they are hopeful. They are proud to be Coloradans and they are certain  
12 that we will get through this difficult time and become stronger and more  
13 prosperous. Those same Coloradans are looking to each of us as leaders to  
14 navigate them through these difficult times.

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16 As we begin this 64<sup>th</sup> General Assembly, let's draw upon their hope and  
17 optimism to confront our challenges. As a veteran of this chamber, I know that  
18 each of us enters this great hall the first day of the session committed to  
19 transcending partisan politics. But all too often politics holds good public policy  
20 hostage.

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22 I challenge each of us - just as I challenge myself - to try to hold on to the hope  
23 and optimism that we each feel today for the entire session. Let's commit  
24 today, on this first day of session, not to demonize our political opponents.  
25 Let's commit today to collaboration. Let's commit today to celebrate the  
26 independent spirit of Coloradans by governing with a renewed sense of  
27 independence. Independence from special interests and independence from the  
28 political stereotypes we too often apply to our colleagues on the other side of  
29 the aisle. Let's commit today to look at each piece of legislation which comes  
30 before us with an independent, open mind.

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32 Now, don't get me wrong. We should, in fact, we must, expect passionate,  
33 spirited discourse in this chamber. The serious issues facing our state require  
34 nothing less. That is what our great democracy is all about. And we, the House  
35 Democrats, as the loyal opposition, have a crucial role in the debate over the  
36 direction of our state. We can not and will not be a rubber stamp. We owe it  
37 to our constituents, our state and our own moral compass to make sure that the  
38 decisions we make as a legislative body are fully examined. We should expect  
39 that this deliberative process will produce better policy.

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41 Our pluralistic society is a beacon of hope for the entire world. Especially at a  
42 time when some want to allow only one voice to be heard-one view point to  
43 dominate. At this moment in our history we must protect and even celebrate our  
44 democracy where both majority and minority voices are respected and heard.

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46 We all know the budget realities are very serious. I, like you do not look  
47 forward to the difficult choices we are about to make. To choose between  
48 maintaining the integrity of our education fund, or purchasing new text books  
49 will not be easy. Choosing between funding juvenile diversion programs or  
50 funding care programs like Aid to the Needy Disabled will likewise be difficult.  
51 But as Abraham Lincoln once said "you cannot escape the responsibility of  
52 tomorrow by evading it today."

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54 Let's never forget that we were elected to make difficult choices. In doing so,  
55 we cannot be short-sighted. We must consider far-off consequences, even as we  
56 search for immediate solutions.

1 We agree with the Governor that we must look hard and make deep cuts to this  
2 budget. But, we believe that priorities must be set. We don't agree that we  
3 should simply use a calculator and cut things equally across the board.  
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5 We were elected to provide leadership in making difficult budget decisions and  
6 to fund the programs that reflect our values. Just like any family facing a budget  
7 crunch, we must prioritize our decisions based on budget realities. A family  
8 facing a financial crisis can not make across the board cuts to their household  
9 budget – they can not just pay 90% of their mortgage and heating bills. They  
10 have to sit down and weigh priorities and decide on what they absolutely need  
11 now for their family, what they can delay and what they can do without. We  
12 must use this same common-sense approach in addressing our state's budget.  
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14 We must protect the most vulnerable in our society -- children, the disabled, the  
15 poor, and elderly -- from bearing the brunt of the budget cuts. At the same  
16 time, we should foster long-term economic growth by empowering our state's  
17 businesses and families to become healthier, stronger and more prosperous. We  
18 must delay good ideas that we simply can not afford and eliminate waste and  
19 extravagance. We need to show leadership in cutting back if we are going to  
20 ask the citizens of our state to do the same.  
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22 There are three core values that our caucus is committed to making a priority  
23 this session: Providing Quality Healthcare For Our Families, Creating Strong  
24 Educational Opportunities, and Rebuilding our Economy. These three core  
25 values are ones that we believe will put our state back on track. They will  
26 strengthen our families, create new opportunities, and jumpstart our economy.  
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28 These are the values for which the people of Colorado sent us here to work.  
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30 We all know that the quality and availability of healthcare in our nation and our  
31 state is sorely inadequate. Thousands of Colorado families have partial or no  
32 health care coverage. We have all heard stories about people going without  
33 essential medications because they can not afford them. Let me briefly tell you  
34 a story about my mom in California. Her experience is similar to that of many  
35 Coloradans. I called her the other day and she said she had just returned from  
36 Mexico. I said, "I didn't know you were going on vacation." Then she  
37 explained to me that she and my stepfather go to Mexico every three months so  
38 she can buy medication that she needs. It costs her \$2.49 a pill here and less  
39 than \$.50 in Mexico. My mom is lucky because she has an affordable option to  
40 obtain the medicine she needs. Many here in Colorado are not so lucky.  
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42 We will be introducing measures that address ways to expand healthcare  
43 coverage to our citizens that also help create economic opportunity. For  
44 example, Representative Pommer has a proposal to establish a preferred  
45 prescription drug list for medicaid. I was encouraged recently when I read that  
46 Michigan saves \$850,000 per week in their medicaid budget under a similar  
47 proposal. We will also propose incentives for small business owners to offer  
48 health care insurance and propose buying pools for small businesses to decrease  
49 their premiums. Our Democratic proposals seek to answer the fundamental  
50 question: how do we simultaneously improve the health of Colorado's families  
51 and create economic opportunity?  
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53 We will also make educating our children a major priority this session by  
54 offering fresh, innovative ways to address the crucial issues facing our schools.  
55 Parents must have confidence their kids are safe and getting a world class  
56 education. I was encouraged by the recent CSAP report that showed that over

1 70% of Colorado's schools improved over last year. But, we still have a long  
2 way to go to make Colorado schools the best they can be.

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4 We are looking at proposals that increase parental involvement and choices  
5 about the kind of education they can provide their kids. One way we will do  
6 this is to give children who attend failing schools top priority in the open  
7 enrollment process. This is a way to give parents a real choice in improving the  
8 quality of their kid's education.

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10 We must also seek to capitalize on what works, such as using additional private  
11 and public dollars to expand innovative programs like the Small Schools  
12 Initiative currently funded by the Bill Gates Foundation. The program gives  
13 money to traditionally large, underperforming schools to help them break into  
14 smaller, more specialized institutions that share a facility. This formula worked  
15 well for Pueblo's District 60, Denver's West and Manual Highs, and others  
16 around the state. These innovative approaches should serve as models for  
17 others around the state.

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19 We must commit to teach students that success is defined by being an active  
20 member of their community, which is why Representative Groff and Senator  
21 Andrews have joined together to offer a proposal making civics courses  
22 mandatory. This will prepare students to enter the world and inspire them to be  
23 civic minded and well-rounded citizens.

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25 We want to tackle the difficult issue of motivating more young people to earn  
26 a higher education. Colorado ranks in the bottom 10 percent for sending high  
27 school graduates to college. African-American and Latino high school students,  
28 in particular, are falling further behind. In order to have a world-class economy,  
29 we must have an educated work force to attract companies to our state.

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31 Every education study has clearly shown the connection between earning a  
32 college degree with earning a higher income, receiving better health care, and  
33 building stronger communities. We must adequately equip our high school  
34 seniors to be prepared for the next opportunity.

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36 Twenty five years ago, earning a high school diploma was enough to earn and  
37 keep a decent job with benefits. Those days are long gone. We must prepare  
38 students to adapt to the ever-changing and increasingly globalized economy.  
39 Our caucus will support legislation that provides incentives for more Coloradans  
40 to take advantage of the excellent higher education system in our state. Too  
41 many high school students are denied the opportunity to earn a college  
42 degree-not because of poor GPA's or test scores, but because of economic  
43 barriers. We look forward to working with our colleagues across the aisle and  
44 leaders of our higher education institutions to encourage more students to seek  
45 a higher education and to provide them adequate funds to do so.

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47 Finally, we will seek to revitalize rural Colorado. As an urban legislator, my  
48 travels around the state this summer opened my eyes to the travails of rural  
49 Coloradans. I had read stark statistics about the growing delta between rural  
50 and urban communities, but I had not fully understood that divide until I visited  
51 these areas. The economic hardships are certainly taking a toll on Colorado's  
52 rural communities.

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54 It became apparent to me that in order for the state to pull through, we need to  
55 bridge the gap between rural and urban communities. Restoring economic  
56 health to rural Colorado is critical to the economic recovery of the entire state.

1 Our plans are designed to stimulate the economy, while preserving the integrity  
2 of Colorado's natural resources.

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4 I drew perspective and hope from these rural communities. While the  
5 circumstances are serious, rural Coloradans inspired me with a sense of  
6 confidence and optimism that derives from generations of families, business  
7 owners, and agriculturists who have survived difficult situations many times  
8 before.

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10 Whether it be in the areas of education, health, rural development, or regaining  
11 our financial footing, Democrats will continue to passionately support ideas that  
12 expand opportunity for all of Colorado's families. We are confident that in this  
13 way we will re-capture the American Dream and all Coloradans will benefit.

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15 Regardless of political affiliation, all of us are going to have to take a hard look  
16 at the decisions we have made and the choices we are about to make. We must  
17 ask ourselves: are we improving the lives of all Coloradans with policies that  
18 generate real results? Are we maximizing every dollar spent? At the end of this  
19 legislative session, will Coloradans continue to feel justified in their faith that our  
20 state can endure any challenge that comes before us? Our caucus intends to  
21 answer these questions with an emphatic "yes"!

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23 Speaker Spradley, I look forward to working with you this session in producing  
24 results that we can be proud to take back to our constituents. Indeed, my entire  
25 caucus looks forward to working with our colleagues across the aisle, creating  
26 opportunity from adversity, and addressing today's challenges with commitment,  
27 perspective, and innovation.

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29 Our fellow Coloradans deserve nothing less. Thank you.

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33 Representative King moved that a committee of three be appointed by the  
34 Speaker to notify the Senate that the House was organized and ready for  
35 business. Without objection, the Speaker appointed Representatives  
36 Berry, Chairman, Cadman, and Sanchez.

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40 **INTRODUCTION AND CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION**

41  
42 The following resolution was read by title and given immediate  
43 consideration:

44  
45 **HJR03-1001** by Representatives King, Spradley, Veiga; also Senators  
46 Anderson, Andrews, Fitz-Gerald--Concerning the appoint-  
47 ment of a joint committee to notify the Governor that the  
48 first regular session of the Sixty-fourth General Assembly  
49 is organized and ready to transact business.

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51 *Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Sixty-fourth*  
52 *General Assembly of the State of Colorado, the Senate concurring*  
53 *herein:*

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55 That a joint committee, consisting of two members of the Senate  
56 and three members of the House of Representatives, be appointed by the



1 President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
 2 respectively, to notify His Excellency, Governor Bill Owens, that the  
 3 First Regular Session of the Sixty-fourth General Assembly of the state  
 4 of Colorado is organized and ready for the transaction of business.

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 6 On motion of Representative King, the rules were suspended, the  
 7 resolution given immediate consideration and **adopted** by **viva voce** vote.

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 9 The Speaker appointed Representatives Young, Chairman, Stengel, Miller  
 10 pursuant to the resolution.

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 13 House in recess.  
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16 A Senate committee composed of Senators Taylor, Dyer, and Takis  
 17 notified the House that the Senate was organized and ready for business.

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 20 House reconvened.  
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## 24 INTRODUCTION AND CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION

25  
 26 The following resolution was read by title and given immediate  
 27 consideration:

28  
 29 **HJR03-1002** by Representatives King, Spradley, Veiga; also Senators  
 30 Anderson, Andrews, Fitz-Gerald--Concerning a Joint  
 31 Session of the House of Representatives and the Senate of  
 32 the Sixty-fourth General Assembly for the purpose of  
 33 canvassing the votes for certain officials at the election  
 34 held November 5, 2002.

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 36 *Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Sixty-fourth*  
 37 *General Assembly of the State of Colorado, the Senate concurring*  
 38 *herein:*

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 40 That a joint session of the House of Representatives and the Senate  
 41 of the Sixty-fourth General Assembly be held in the House Chambers on  
 42 January 8, 2003, at a time to be announced by both houses upon  
 43 completion of organizational procedures, for the purpose of canvassing  
 44 the votes for certain officials at the election held November 5, 2002.

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 46 On motion of Representative King, the rules were suspended, the  
 47 resolution given immediate consideration and **adopted** by **viva voce** vote.

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 50 **HR03-1001** by Representatives King, Spradley, Veiga--Concerning the  
 51 temporary rules of the House of Representatives.

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 53 *Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Sixty-second*  
 54 *General Assembly of the State of Colorado:*

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 56 That the rules of the House of Representatives of the Sixty-third

1 General Assembly be made the temporary Rules of the House of  
2 Representatives of the Sixty-fourth General Assembly, except as  
3 hereinafter provided.

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5 *Be It Further Resolved*, That, until such time as permanent Rules  
6 are adopted by the House of Representatives, the temporary Rules of the  
7 House of Representatives may be amended upon the affirmative vote of  
8 a majority of all members elected to the House of Representatives.

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10 On motion of Representative King, the rules were suspended and the  
11 resolution given immediate consideration and **adopted** by **viva voce** vote.

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15 Representative Berry, Chairman of the Committee to Notify the Senate,  
16 reported that the Senate had been notified that the House was organized  
17 and ready for business.

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20 House in recess. House reconvened.

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24 Representative Young reported that the Office of the Governor had been  
25 notified that the House was ready for business.

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29 **MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

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31 Mr. Speaker:

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33 The Senate has adopted and transmits herewith: SJR03-001, 002.

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37 **INTRODUCTION AND CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION**

38  
39 The following resolution was read by title and given immediate  
40 consideration:

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42 **SJR03-001** by Senators Anderson, Andrews, Fitz-Gerald; also  
43 Representatives King, Spradley, Veiga--Concerning the  
44 adoption of the Joint Rules as the temporary rules of the  
45 Sixty-fourth General Assembly.

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47 (Printed and placed in member's file.)

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49 On motion of Representative King, the rules were suspended, the  
50 resolution given immediate consideration and **adopted** by **viva voce** vote.

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54 House in recess for joint session.



1	<u>Lieutenant Governor</u>	
2	Bill Thiebaut (DEM)	475,373
3	Jane Norton (REP)	884,583
4	P.O. Box 599, Denver, CO 80201	
5	Dan C. Winters (GRN)	32,099
6	Desiree Hackett Hickson (LIB)	20,547
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8	<u>Secretary of State</u>	
9	Donetta Davidson (REP)	789,004
10	7195 S. Acoma Wy., Littleton, CO 80120	
11	Anthony Martinez (DEM)	513,085
12	David Aitken (LIB)	43,169
13	Clyde J. Harkins (ACP)	11,303
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15	<u>State Treasurer</u>	
16	Mike Coffman (REP)	758,946
17	14044 E. Hampden Pl., Aurora, CO 80014	
18	Terry L. Phillips (DEM)	512,401
19	Michael Sanchez (CRP)	44,919
20	Gaar Potter (LIB)	35,549
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22	<u>Attorney General</u>	
23	Ken Salazar (DEM)	803,200
24	5140 Chase St., Denver, CO 80212	
25	Marti Allbright (REP)	522,281
26	Dwight K. Harding (LIB)	26,023
27	Alison "Sunny" Maynard (GRN)	35,301
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29	<u>State Bd. Of Ed. Cong. District 1</u>	
30	Demetri E. (Rico) Munn (DEM)	100,198
31	1675 Tamarac St., Denver, CO 80220	
32	Mel Hilgenberg (REP)	51,773
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35	<u>State Bd. Of Ed. Cong. District 3</u>	
36	Pamela Jo Suckla (REP)	104,983
37	21173 Hwy. 141, Unit 4, Slick Rock, CO 81325	
38	Christine Pacheco-Koveleski (DEM)	101,953
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40	<u>State Bd. Of Ed. Cong. District 7</u>	
41	Christine Baca (DEM)	84,418
42	351 Fulton St., Aurora, CO 80010	
43	Glenn Rhoades (REP)	78,009
44		
45	<u>U of C Regents Cong. Dist. 2</u>	
46	Cindy Carlisle (DEM)	94,999
47	411 Spruce St., Boulder, CO 80304	
48	Diane Greenlee (REP)	86,502
49	Flux J. Neo (LIB)	9,327
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51	<u>U of C Regents Cong. Dist. 6</u>	
52	Paul Schauer (REP)	141,290
53	7255 S. Jackson Ct., Centennial, CO 80122	
54	Don Strickland (DEM)	71,222
55	Jim Vance (LIB)	10,273
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1	<u>U of C Regents Cong. Dist. 7</u>	
2	Patricia M. Hayes (REP)	81,531
3	12575 E. Bates Cr., Aurora, CO 80014	
4	Karen Middleton (DEM)	77,794

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7 The following declaration was given by Senator Andrews.

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9 I do hereby declare that upon examination of the abstract of votes cast in  
 10 the November 5, 2002, general election for the executive officers of the  
 11 state of Colorado from sixty-four counties, the following named persons,  
 12 having the highest number of votes, are hereby elected to the following  
 13 offices:

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15	Governor	Bill Owens, Republican
16	Lt. Governor	Jane Norton, Republican
17	Sec'y of State	Donetta Davidson, Republican
18	Treasurer	Mike Coffman, Republican
19	Att'y General	Ken Salazar, Democrat

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21 On motion of Representative King, the Communications from the  
 22 Secretary of State were ordered printed in the House Journal.

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24 On motion of Senator Anderson, the Joint Session was dissolved.

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House reconvened.

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30 **INTRODUCTION AND CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION**

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32 The following resolution was read by title and given immediate  
 33 consideration:

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35 **HR03-1002** by Representative(s) King--Concerning committees of  
 36 reference in the house of representatives.

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38 *Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Sixty-fourth*  
 39 *General Assembly of the State of Colorado:*

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41 That Rule No. 25 (a), 25 (a.1), 25 (a.3), and 25 (k) (1) of the Rules  
 42 of the House of Representatives are amended to read:

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45 **25. COMMITTEES**

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47 (a) Committees of reference of the House shall be:

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49 (1) Agriculture, Livestock, and Natural Resources.

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51 (2) Appropriations.

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53 (3) Business Affairs and Labor.

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55 ~~(4) Civil Justice and Judiciary.~~

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57 ~~(5) Criminal Justice.~~

- 1           ~~(6)~~ (4) Education.  
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3           ~~(7)~~ (5) Finance.  
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5           ~~(8)~~ (6) Health, Environment, Welfare, and Institutions.  
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7           ~~(9)~~ (7) Information and Technology.  
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9           (8)        JUDICIARY.  
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11          ~~(10)~~ (9) Local Government.  
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13          ~~(11)~~ (10)     State, Veterans, and Military Affairs.  
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15          ~~(12)~~ (11)     Transportation and Energy.  
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17 (a.1) ~~(1)~~        The Committee on Legal Services shall be considered a  
18                   committee of reference for any bill introduced pursuant to  
19                   section 24-4-103 (8) (d), Colorado Revised Statutes.  
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21          ~~(2)~~        For purposes of determining membership on the  
22                   Committee on Legal Services pursuant to section 2-3-502  
23                   ~~(3)~~, Colorado Revised Statutes, the chairman of the  
24                   Committee on Civil Justice and Judiciary shall be  
25                   considered the chairman of the Committee on Judiciary.  
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27 (a.3) ON AND AFTER JANUARY 8, 2003, any reference in these Rules, the  
28                   Joint Rules of the Senate and House of Representatives, or in the  
29                   Colorado Revised Statutes, ~~prior to January 1, 2001,~~ to the  
30                   ~~Judiciary Committee shall be deemed to refer to the Civil Justice~~  
31                   ~~and Judiciary Committee except that any reference in article 16~~  
32                   ~~through 21, Colorado Revised Statutes, to the Judiciary Committee~~  
33                   ~~shall be deemed to refer~~ OR to the Criminal Justice Committee  
34                   SHALL BE DEEMED TO REFER TO THE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE.  
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36 (k)     (1)        The committees of reference as listed in subsection (a) of  
37                   this rule shall be placed in the following categories for the  
38                   purpose of scheduling meetings:  
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40           **Category        Committee**  
41           1            Business Affairs and Labor.  
42                    ~~Civil Justice and Judiciary.~~  
43                    ~~Criminal Justice.~~  
44                    JUDICIARY.  
45                    State, Veterans, and Military Affairs.  
46           2            Education.  
47                    Health, Environment, Welfare, and  
48                    Institutions.  
49                    Information and Technology.  
50                    Local Government.  
51           3            Agriculture, Livestock, and Natural  
52                    Resources.  
53                    Finance.  
54                    Transportation and Energy.  
55           4            Appropriations.  
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1 On motion of Representative King, the rules were suspended, the  
2 resolution given immediate consideration and **adopted** by **viva voce**  
3 vote.

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6 The Speaker read the following list of appointments:

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8 **AGRICULTURE, LIVESTOCK & NATURAL RESOURCES:**

9 13 members: Representatives Hoppe, Chairman; Harvey, Vice-Chairman;  
10 Brophy, Hodge, Johnson, Madden, McCluskey, Miller, Rippy, Rose, Salazar,  
11 Tochtrop, Wiens

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13 **APPROPRIATIONS:** 11 members: Representatives Young, Chairman;  
14 Witwer, Vice-Chairman; Berry, Fairbank, Garcia, Hoppe, Madden, Plant,  
15 Stengel, Vigil, T. Williams

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17 **BUSINESS AFFAIRS & LABOR:** 13 members: Representatives T.  
18 Williams, Chairman; White, Vice-Chairman; Borodkin, Butcher, Coleman,  
19 Harvey, Hodge, Hoppe, Larson, McCluskey, Paccione, Rhodes, Wiens

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21 **EDUCATION:** 11 members: Representatives Spence, Chairman; Lee, Vice-  
22 Chairman; Groff, Hefley, Merrifield, Paccione, Pommer, Rose, White,  
23 S. Williams, T. Williams

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25 **FINANCE:** 11 members: Representatives Stengel, Chairman; Fairbank, Vice-  
26 Chairman; Boyd, Crane, Fritz, Garcia, Hall, Jahn, Marshall, May, Vigil

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28 **HEALTH, ENVIRONMENT, WELFARE & INSTITUTIONS:**  
29 11 members: Representatives Clapp, Chairman; Stafford, Vice-Chairman;  
30 Boyd, Cloer, Frangas, Johnson, Lundberg, Romanoff, Sanchez, Schultheis,  
31 Tochtrop

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33 **INFORMATION & TECHNOLOGY:** 11 members: Representatives  
34 Mitchell, Chairman; Crane, Vice-Chairman; Brophy, Butcher, Cadman, Fritz,  
35 Judd, McFadyen, Miller, Rhodes, Salazar

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37 **JUDICIARY:** 11 members: Representatives Hefley, Chairman; Smith, Vice-  
38 Chairman; Clapp, Decker, Groff, Jahn, Judd, Lee, Marshall, Romanoff, Stengel

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40 **LOCAL GOVERNMENT:** 11 members: Representatives Rippy, Chairman;  
41 Decker, Vice-Chairman; Berry, Briggs, Coleman, Hall, Hodge, Ragsdale,  
42 Smith, Weddig, Weissmann

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44 **STATE, VETERANS & MILITARY AFFAIRS:** 11 members:  
45 Representatives Sinclair, Chairman; Cadman, Vice-Chairman; Fairbank,  
46 Frangas, Lundberg, May, Mitchell, Sanchez, Schultheis, Weddig, Weissmann

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48 **TRANSPORTATION & ENERGY:** 13 members: Representatives Berry,  
49 Chairman; Larson, Vice-Chairman; Borodkin, Briggs, Cloer, McFadyen,  
50 Merrifield, Pommer, Ragsdale, Sinclair, Spence, Stafford, S. Williams

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52 **HOUSE SERVICES:** 4 members: Representatives Cloer, Chairman; R.  
53 Johnson, Vice-Chairman; Garcia, Jahn

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55 **CAPITAL DEVELOPMENT:** 3 House members: Representatives Harvey,  
56 Rippy, Miller

1 **EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL:** 3 House  
2 members: Representative Spradley, Vice-Chairman; King, Veiga

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4 **JOINT BUDGET:** 3 House members: Representatives Young, Vice-  
5 Chairman; Witwer, Plant

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7 **JOINT COMPUTER MANAGEMENT:** 4 House members: Representatives  
8 Fritz, Crane, Paccione, Pommer

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10 **LEGISLATIVE AUDIT:** 4 House members: Representatives Coleman,  
11 Rhodes, T. Williams, Vigil

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13 **LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL:** 9 House members: Representatives Spradley,  
14 Vice-Chairman; King, White, Fairbank, Cadman, Veiga, Romanoff, Madden,  
15 Tochtrop

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17 **LEGAL SERVICES:** 5 House members: Representatives Lee, Hefley, Smith,  
18 Groff, Judd

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21 On motion of Representative King, the appointments to Legislative Audit  
22 were confirmed by the following roll call vote:

	YES	64	NO	00	EXCUSED	00	ABSENT	01
25	Berry	Y	Groff	Y	McCluskey	Y	Sinclair	Y
26	Borodkin	Y	Hall	Y	McFadyen	Y	Smith	Y
27	Boyd	Y	Harvey	Y	Merrifield	-	Spence	Y
28	Briggs	Y	Hefley	Y	Miller	Y	Stafford	Y
29	Brophy	Y	Hodge	Y	Mitchell	Y	Stengel	Y
30	Butcher	Y	Hoppe	Y	Paccione	Y	Tochtrop	Y
31	Cadman	Y	Jahn	Y	Plant	Y	Veiga	Y
32	Clapp	Y	Johnson	Y	Pommer	Y	Vigil	Y
33	Cloer	Y	Judd	Y	Ragsdale	Y	Weddig	Y
34	Coleman	Y	King	Y	Rhodes	Y	Weissmann	Y
35	Crane	Y	Larson	Y	Rippy	Y	White	Y
36	Decker	Y	Lee	Y	Romanoff	Y	Wiens	Y
37	Fairbank	Y	Lundberg	Y	Rose	Y	Williams S.	Y
38	Frangas	Y	Madden	Y	Salazar	Y	Williams T.	Y
39	Fritz	Y	Marshall	Y	Sanchez	Y	Witwer	Y
40	Garcia	Y	May	Y	Schultheis	Y	Young	Y
41							Speaker	Y

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44 On motion of Representative King, the appointments to Legislative  
45 Council were confirmed by the following roll call vote:

	YES	64	NO	00	EXCUSED	00	ABSENT	01
48	Berry	Y	Groff	Y	McCluskey	Y	Sinclair	Y
49	Borodkin	Y	Hall	Y	McFadyen	Y	Smith	Y
50	Boyd	Y	Harvey	Y	Merrifield	-	Spence	Y
51	Briggs	Y	Hefley	Y	Miller	Y	Stafford	Y
52	Brophy	Y	Hodge	Y	Mitchell	Y	Stengel	Y
53	Butcher	Y	Hoppe	Y	Paccione	Y	Tochtrop	Y
54	Cadman	Y	Jahn	Y	Plant	Y	Veiga	Y
55	Clapp	Y	Johnson	Y	Pommer	Y	Vigil	Y
56	Cloer	Y	Judd	Y	Ragsdale	Y	Weddig	Y



1	Coleman	Y	King	Y	Rhodes	Y	Weissmann	Y
2	Crane	Y	Larson	Y	Rippy	Y	White	Y
3	Decker	Y	Lee	Y	Romanoff	Y	Wiens	Y
4	Fairbank	Y	Lundberg	Y	Rose	Y	Williams S.	Y
5	Frangas	Y	Madden	Y	Salazar	Y	Williams T.	Y
6	Fritz	Y	Marshall	Y	Sanchez	Y	Witwer	Y
7	Garcia	Y	May	Y	Schultheis	Y	Young	Y
8							Speaker	Y

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On motion of Representative King, the appointments to Legislative Legal Services were confirmed by the following roll call vote:

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House in recess. House reconvened.

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### PRINTING REPORT

The Chief Clerk reports the following bills have been correctly preprinted: **HB03-1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1067, 1068, 1069, 1070, 1071, 1072, 1073, 1074, 1075, 1076, 1077, 1078, 1079, 1080, 1081, 1082, 1083, 1084, 1085, 1086, 1087, 1088, 1089.**

**MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

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2 Madam Speaker:

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4 The Senate has adopted and transmits herewith: HJR03-1001, 1002  
5 Pursuant to HJR03-1001, the President appointed Senators Lamborn,  
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**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS**  
**First Reading**

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12 The following bills were read by title and referred to the committees  
13 indicated:

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15 **HB03-1001** by Representative(s) Hoppe--Concerning increased  
16 flexibility in the use of water resources.  
17 Committee on Agriculture, Livestock, & Natural Resources

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19 **HB03-1002** by Representative(s) Young; also Senator(s) Teck--  
20 Concerning course-reimbursement payments from a  
21 school district to a college for remedial skills courses  
22 taught to a student that graduated from the school district.  
23 Committee on Education

24  
25 **HB03-1003** by Representative(s) Brophy--Concerning civil liability  
26 for certain agricultural recreation activities.  
27 Committee on Agriculture, Livestock, & Natural Resources

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29 **HB03-1004** by Representative(s) Rhodes--Concerning amendment of  
30 the crime of child abuse to include actions related to the  
31 manufacture of a controlled substance in the presence of  
32 a child, and making an appropriation in connection  
33 therewith.  
34 Committee on Judiciary  
35 Committee on Appropriations

36  
37 **HB03-1005** by Representative(s) Hoppe, Hodge, Miller, Rippy,  
38 White; also Senator(s) Entz, Isgar, Phillips, Taylor--  
39 Concerning the extension of the implementation dates for  
40 certain water augmentation requirements.  
41 Committee on Agriculture, Livestock, & Natural Resources

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43 **HB03-1006** by Representative(s) Fairbank--Concerning provisional  
44 ballots.  
45 Committee on State, Veterans, & Military Affairs

46  
47 **HB03-1007** by Representative(s) Williams T., Clapp; also Senator(s)  
48 Hillman--Concerning the limitation on noneconomic  
49 damages for certain physical injuries in medical  
50 malpractice actions.  
51 Committee on Business Affairs & Labor

52  
53 **HB03-1008** by Representative(s) Spradley; also Senator(s) Kester--  
54 Concerning conservation easements for appurtenant water  
55 rights.  
56 Committee on Agriculture, Livestock, & Natural

- 1 **HB03-1009** by Representative(s) Fritz, Cadman, Rhodes; also  
2 Senator(s) Hanna, Phillips--Concerning a statewide health  
3 care defined benefit plan for police officers and  
4 firefighters.  
5 Committee on State, Veterans, & Military Affairs  
6
- 7 **HB03-1010** by Representative(s) Salazar; also Senator(s) Entz--  
8 Concerning the frequency of applications necessary to  
9 qualify for disabled veteran license plates.  
10 Committee on Transportation & Energy  
11
- 12 **HB03-1011** by Representative(s) Fritz--Concerning a prohibition  
13 against certain corporate acts involving regulated  
14 chemicals.  
15 Committee on Business Affairs & Labor  
16
- 17 **HB03-1012** by Representative(s) Williams T., Clapp; also Senator(s)  
18 Hillman--Concerning the prohibition of the corporate  
19 practice of medicine by a professional services corpor-  
20 ation formed by persons licensed to practice medicine.  
21 Committee on Business Affairs & Labor  
22
- 23 **HB03-1013** by Representative(s) Hefley, Brophy; also Senator(s)  
24 Owen--Concerning health insurance for employers with  
25 fewer than fifty-one employees.  
26 Committee on Health, Environment, Welfare, & Institutions  
27
- 28 **HB03-1014** by Representative(s) Ragsdale--Concerning the  
29 clarification of terms relating to the court-appointed  
30 special advocate (CASA) program.  
31 Committee on Health, Environment, Welfare, & Institutions  
32
- 33 **HB03-1015** by Representative(s) Marshall--Concerning the alleviation  
34 of the administrative workload of the department of  
35 public health and environment in areas not directly  
36 related to the enforcement of health and safety  
37 regulations, and, in connection therewith, delaying a  
38 statewide economic analysis and repealing a fee credit  
39 program.  
40 Committee on Health, Environment, Welfare, & Institutions  
41
- 42 **HB03-1016** by Representative(s) Mitchell--Concerning the effective  
43 duration of certification of emissions control for motor  
44 vehicles.  
45 Committee on Transportation & Energy  
46
- 47 **HB03-1017** by Representative(s) White--Concerning the reduction of  
48 the amount that state vendors are allowed to retain as  
49 payment for the collection of state sales tax in order to  
50 fund statewide marketing efforts.  
51 Committee on Finance  
52
- 53 **HB03-1018** by Representative(s) Miller; also Senator(s) Chlouber--  
54 Concerning the statutory limitation on bonded indebted-  
55 ness that may be issued by county governments.  
56 Committee on Local Government

- 1 **HB03-1019** by Representative(s) McFadyen; also Senator(s) Hillman--  
2 -Concerning a preference for the purchase of Colorado  
3 agricultural products by government entities.  
4 Committee on Agriculture, Livestock, & Natural Resources  
5 Committee on Appropriations  
6
- 7 **HB03-1020** by Representative(s) Boyd--Concerning economic crime.  
8 Committee on Judiciary  
9 Committee on Information & Technology  
10
- 11 **HB03-1021** by Representative(s) King; also Senator(s) Arnold--  
12 Concerning the financing of capital construction for  
13 qualified charter schools that have bonds issued on their  
14 behalf by the Colorado educational and cultural facilities  
15 authority.  
16 Committee on Education  
17 Committee on Appropriations  
18
- 19 **HB03-1022** by Representative(s) Schultheis, Cloer, Lundberg,  
20 Mitchell, Stafford; also Senator(s) Lamborn--Concerning  
21 the protection of women's health through the licensing of  
22 health clinics that perform abortions.  
23 Committee on Health, Environment, Welfare, & Institutions  
24 Committee on Appropriations  
25
- 26 **HB03-1023** by Representative(s) Berry; also Senator(s) Johnson S.--  
27 Concerning a county-based pilot program to manage the  
28 long-term care of specified recipients of medicaid.  
29 Committee on Health, Environment, Welfare, & Institutions  
30 Committee on Appropriations  
31
- 32 **HB03-1024** by Representative(s) Jahn--Concerning child care, and, in  
33 connection therewith, making modifications to certain  
34 statutes affecting child placement agencies.  
35 Committee on Health, Environment, Welfare, & Institutions  
36
- 37 **HB03-1025** by Representative(s) Frangas--Concerning the option of  
38 addressing any special education history in a juvenile  
39 adjudication proceeding.  
40 Committee on Judiciary  
41
- 42 **HB03-1026** by Representative(s) Witwer; also Senator(s) Arnold--  
43 Concerning the authority of public health agencies to  
44 release to law enforcement officials information related  
45 to bioterrorism.  
46 Committee on Health, Environment, Welfare, & Institutions  
47
- 48 **HB03-1027** by Representative(s) Harvey--Concerning interlocutory  
49 appellate review of class certification orders in class  
50 action lawsuits.  
51 Committee on Business Affairs & Labor  
52
- 53 **HB03-1028** by Representative(s) Rose; also Senator(s) Teck--  
54 Concerning the continuation of the statewide pilot  
55 program for teen pregnancy and dropout prevention.  
56 Committee on Health, Environment, Welfare, & Institutions

- 1 **HB03-1029** by Representative(s) Garcia--Concerning the revocation  
2 of driving privileges of a minor driver who has committed  
3 a motor vehicle crime.  
4 Committee on Transportation & Energy  
5
- 6 **HB03-1030** by Representative(s) Veiga, Hoppe; also Senator(s)  
7 Anderson, Takis, Windels--Concerning the continuing  
8 examination of the treatment of persons with mental  
9 illness who are involved in the criminal justice system.  
10 Committee on Judiciary  
11
- 12 **HB03-1031** by Representative(s) Decker, Boyd, Hefley; also  
13 Senator(s) Gordon, Nichol, Phillips--Concerning the  
14 continued examination of criminal sentencing issues.  
15 Committee on Judiciary  
16 Committee on Appropriations  
17
- 18 **HB03-1032** by Representative(s) Pommer--Concerning a school  
19 district education board's oversight of a school district's  
20 participation in the interest-free loan program.  
21 Committee on Education  
22 Committee on Finance  
23
- 24 **HB03-1033** by Representative(s) Spradley, Jahn, Tochtrop; also  
25 Senator(s) Hagedorn--Concerning the implementation of  
26 the federal "Employee Retirement Income Security Act"  
27 with regard to the administration of requests for health  
28 benefits.  
29 Committee on Business Affairs & Labor  
30
- 31 **HB03-1034** by Representative(s) Merrifield; also Senator(s) Arnold--  
32 Concerning the effective date for electronic transmission  
33 of sex offender registration information.  
34 Committee on Judiciary  
35
- 36 **HB03-1035** by Representative(s) Briggs, Young; also Senator(s) Entz--  
37 Concerning the management of pest control districts,  
38 and, in connection therewith, authorizing cooperative pest  
39 control agreements.  
40 Committee on Local Government  
41
- 42 **HB03-1036** by Representative(s) Groff--Concerning the application  
43 of lottery winnings to offset restitution owed in criminal  
44 cases.  
45 Committee on Finance  
46
- 47 **HB03-1037** by Representative(s) Romanoff; also Senator(s) Arnold--  
48 Concerning the reporting of child abuse or neglect.  
49 Committee on Health, Environment, Welfare, & Institutions  
50
- 51 **HB03-1038** by Representative(s) Stafford, Romanoff; also Senator(s)  
52 Hagedorn--Concerning domestic violence extensions  
53 under the Colorado works program.  
54 Committee on Health, Environment, Welfare, & Institutions  
55

- 1 **HB03-1039** by Representative(s) Cadman--Concerning summary  
2 evictions from residential property.  
3 Committee on State, Veterans, & Military Affairs  
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- 5 **HB03-1040** by Representative(s) McCluskey; also Senator(s) Johnson  
6 S.--Concerning repeal of the authority for a motor vehicle  
7 owner to continue to use certain types of license plates.  
8 Committee on Transportation & Energy  
9
- 10 **HB03-1041** by Representative(s) Weddig; also Senator(s) Takis--  
11 Concerning the requirement that management of a mobile  
12 home park offer rental agreements to mobile home  
13 owners for a minimum term of tenancy.  
14 Committee on State, Veterans, & Military Affairs  
15
- 16 **HB03-1042** by Representative(s) Lundberg--Concerning license fees  
17 for the operation of assisted living residences.  
18 Committee on Finance  
19
- 20 **HB03-1043** by Representative(s) Plant--Concerning the creation of an  
21 economic self-sufficiency standard, and making an  
22 appropriation in connection therewith.  
23 Committee on Health, Environment, Welfare, & Institutions  
24 Committee on Appropriations  
25
- 26 **HB03-1044** by Representative(s) Williams S., Coleman, Stafford--  
27 Concerning the enforcement of penalties for toll evasion,  
28 and, in connection therewith, requiring courts to report  
29 outstanding judgments and warrants and default  
30 judgments for toll evasion to the department of revenue,  
31 prohibiting a person who has an outstanding judgment or  
32 warrant or a default judgment for toll evasion from  
33 obtaining or renewing a driver's license, and allowing  
34 civil penalty assessment notices for toll evasion that is  
35 evidenced by means that do not involve a peace officer to  
36 be sent to suspected violators by mail delivery services  
37 other than the United States postal service.  
38 Committee on Local Government  
39 Committee on Appropriations  
40
- 41 **HB03-1045** by Representative(s) Clapp, Madden, Romanoff, Stafford;  
42 also Senator(s) Hagedorn--Concerning penalties relating  
43 to unauthorized insurance policies.  
44 Committee on Business Affairs & Labor  
45
- 46 **HB03-1046** by Representative(s) Madden--Concerning the creation of  
47 a conservation easement in gross through a reservation.  
48 Committee on Agriculture, Livestock, & Natural Resources  
49
- 50 **HB03-1047** by Representative(s) Sinclair--Concerning the acceptance  
51 of contract terms by a public establishment.  
52 Committee on State, Veterans, & Military Affairs  
53
- 54 **HB03-1048** by Representative(s) Vigil, Coleman, White, Williams T.;  
55 also Senator(s) Taylor, Anderson, Tupa--Concerning  
56 authorization to move moneys from the Colorado student

- 1 obligation bond authority fund to funds established for  
2 the future payment of higher education expenses.  
3 Committee on Finance  
4
- 5 **HB03-1049** by Representative(s) Tochtrop; also Senator(s) Hanna--  
6 Concerning reimbursement to the department of health  
7 care policy and financing for medications that are  
8 returned under the "Colorado Medical Assistance Act".  
9 Committee on Health, Environment, Welfare, & Institutions  
10
- 11 **HB03-1050** by Representative(s) Coleman; also Senator(s) Kester--  
12 Concerning the creation of the business enterprise  
13 program cash fund for the state's vending facility  
14 program.  
15 Committee on Finance  
16 Committee on Appropriations  
17
- 18 **HB03-1051** by Representative(s) Hodge--Concerning an increase in  
19 the penalty for a moving traffic violation committed in a  
20 wildlife crossing zone.  
21 Committee on Agriculture, Livestock, & Natural Resources  
22 Committee on Finance  
23
- 24 **HB03-1052** by Representative(s) Borodkin; also Senator(s) Windels--  
25 Concerning assistance to historically underutilized  
26 businesses in qualifying for state procurement contracts.  
27 Committee on State, Veterans, & Military Affairs  
28
- 29 **HB03-1053** by Representative(s) Ragsdale, Borodkin, Coleman; also  
30 Senator(s) Teck, Entz, May, Takis--Concerning emissions  
31 testing for diesel vehicles.  
32 Committee on Transportation & Energy  
33
- 34 **HB03-1054** by Representative(s) Vigil--Concerning the regulation of  
35 mortgage originators.  
36 Committee on Business Affairs & Labor  
37
- 38 **HB03-1055** by Representative(s) Tochtrop--Concerning a prohibition  
39 against the use of credit scoring in connection with the  
40 issuance of insurance.  
41 Committee on Business Affairs & Labor  
42
- 43 **HB03-1056** by Representative(s) Stengel, Spradley; also Senator(s)  
44 Anderson--Concerning the extension of certain solid  
45 waste disposal fees.  
46 Committee on Finance  
47
- 48 **HB03-1057** by Representative(s) Clapp, Boyd, Crane, Romanoff,  
49 Stafford; also Senator(s) Evans, Hagedorn--Concerning  
50 changes to the Colorado works program as a result of the  
51 reauthorization by the United States congress of  
52 temporary assistance for needy families.  
53 Committee on Health, Environment, Welfare, & Institutions  
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- 1 **HB03-1058** by Representative(s) Stafford, Clapp; also Senator(s)  
2 Evans, Chlouber--Concerning the creation of a credit  
3 against the state income tax for moneys in excess of a  
4 specified amount expended by senior citizens on  
5 prescription drugs.  
6 Committee on Finance  
7
- 8 **HB03-1059** by Representative(s) Paccione--Concerning allowing  
9 minors to serve as directors of nonprofit corporations,  
10 and, in connection therewith, exempting directors who  
11 are minors from personal liability.  
12 Committee on Information & Technology  
13
- 14 **HB03-1060** by Representative(s) Lee; also Senator(s) Hillman--  
15 Concerning cash funding license plate issuance from  
16 license plate fees, and, in connection therewith, making  
17 an appropriation.  
18 Committee on Finance  
19 Committee on Appropriations  
20
- 21 **HB03-1061** by Representative(s) May M.--Concerning the repeal of  
22 the requirement that the state board of registration for  
23 professional engineers and professional land surveyors  
24 publish an annual roster.  
25 Committee on Information & Technology  
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27
- 28 **HB03-1062** by Representative(s) Cloer--Concerning the nursing peer  
29 health assistance diversion program.  
30 Committee on Health, Environment, Welfare, & Institutions  
31
- 32 **HB03-1063** by Representative(s) Johnson R.--Concerning a patient's  
33 option to choose to have the purpose for which a drug is  
34 prescribed printed on the prescription label.  
35 Committee on Health, Environment, Welfare, & Institutions  
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- 38 **HB03-1064** by Representative(s) Stafford; also Senator(s) Johnson S.-  
39 -Concerning standards of conduct regarding dead human  
40 bodies, and, in connection therewith, making an  
41 appropriation.  
42 Committee on Business Affairs & Labor  
43 Committee on Appropriations  
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45
- 46 **HB03-1065** by Representative(s) Decker--Concerning the refund  
47 interest rate on property tax abatements.  
48 Committee on Local Government  
49
- 50 **HB03-1066** by Representative(s) Larson; also Senator(s) Teck--  
51 Concerning frivolous requests for hearings before the  
52 executive director of the department of revenue.  
53 Committee on Finance  
54
- 55 **HB03-1067** by Representative(s) Larson; also Senator(s) Johnson S.--  
56 Concerning certain circumstances under which the



- 1 purchaser of a motor vehicle that was abandoned on  
2 public property is required to obtain a bonded title for the  
3 vehicle.  
4 Committee on Transportation & Energy  
5
- 6 **HB03-1068** by Representative(s) Judd--Concerning the requirement  
7 that a county clerk and recorder obtain an elector's  
8 electronic mail address when the elector applies for  
9 registration to vote in the county if the elector chooses to  
10 state said address.  
11 Committee on State, Veterans, & Military Affairs  
12
- 13 **HB03-1069** by Representative(s) McCluskey; also Senator(s) Takis--  
14 Concerning the modification of certain procedures related  
15 to the issuance of a duplicate warrant to pay money.  
16 Committee on Information & Technology  
17
- 18 **HB03-1070** by Representative(s) Ragsdale, Williams S.; also  
19 Senator(s) Takis--Concerning the clarification of existing  
20 statutory provisions to specify that the regional  
21 transportation district may annex certain areas upon the  
22 affirmative vote of a majority of the registered electors  
23 voting upon such question.  
24 Committee on State, Veterans, & Military Affairs  
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26
- 27 **HB03-1071** by Representative(s) Larson, Smith; also Senator(s) Teck,  
28 Entz, May--Concerning a requirement that enforcement  
29 officials who perform commercial vehicle safety  
30 inspections be certified by the commercial vehicle safety  
31 alliance to perform level I inspections.  
32 Committee on Transportation & Energy  
33
- 34 **HB03-1072** by Representative Weissmann--Concerning title  
35 insurance.  
36 Committee on Business Affairs & Labor  
37
- 38 **HB03-1073** by Representative(s) Smith--Concerning clarification of  
39 the types of aircraft that are exempt from the excise tax  
40 imposed on gasoline in Colorado.  
41 Committee on Finance  
42
- 43 **HB03-1074** by Representative(s) Hall; also Senator(s) Cairns--  
44 Concerning tax deductions for payments to qualified  
45 tuition plans.  
46 Committee on Finance  
47
- 48 **HB03-1075** by Representative(s) Weissmann--Concerning health  
49 benefit coverage.  
50 Committee on Health, Environment, Welfare, & Institutions  
51
- 52 **HB03-1076** by Representative(s) Wiens--Concerning the exemption  
53 of portions of southwestern Douglas county from the  
54 motor vehicle emissions program.  
55 Committee on Local Government  
56

- 1 **HB03-1077** by Representative(s) May M.; also Senator(s) Evans--  
2 Concerning the establishment of a process for the  
3 resolution of disputes among local governments arising  
4 out of a petition for annexation of land that is located  
5 within the boundaries of a development plan entered into  
6 by local governments through intergovernmental  
7 agreement.  
8 Committee on Local Government  
9
- 10 **HB03-1078** by Representative(s) Butcher--Concerning authorization  
11 for the use of lease-purchase agreements for the purpose  
12 of funding forensics medium and maximum security  
13 replacement and heating plant at the Colorado mental  
14 health institute at Pueblo.  
15 Committee on Finance  
16
- 17 **HB03-1079** by Representative(s) Veiga--Concerning mandatory  
18 juvenile parole.  
19 Committee on Judiciary  
20
- 21 **HB03-1080** by Representative(s) Romanoff, Boyd; also Senator(s)  
22 Hanna, Linkhart--Concerning substance abuse treatment  
23 for persons eligible for the Colorado works program who  
24 are enrolled in medicaid.  
25 Committee on Health, Environment, Welfare, & Institutions  
26
- 27 **HB03-1081** by Representative(s) Coleman, Vigil, White, Williams T.;  
28 also Senator(s) Takis, Anderson, Taylor, Tupa--  
29 Concerning foster care services.  
30 Committee on Local Government  
31
- 32 **HB03-1082** by Representative(s) Crane--Concerning the requirement  
33 that a regular election for a ballot measure that arises  
34 under the taxpayer's bill of rights shall take place in  
35 November, and, in connection therewith, requiring that a  
36 regular election for a ballot measure that arises under the  
37 taxpayer's bill of rights be held concurrently with the state  
38 general election in even-numbered years or on the first  
39 Tuesday in November in odd-numbered years.  
40 Committee on State, Veterans, & Military Affairs  
41
- 42 **HB03-1083** by Representative(s) Spence, Paccione; also Senator(s)  
43 Arnold, Anderson, Dyer, Hanna, Johnson S.--Concerning  
44 repeal of the requirement that transfer rules shall not  
45 prohibit a student's participation in extracurricular  
46 activities if the student enrolls in the transfer school  
47 within fifteen days after the school year begins and prior  
48 to participating in the activity during the same school year  
49 at the prior school of enrollment.  
50 Committee on Education  
51
- 52 **HB03-1084** by Representative(s) Clapp; also Senator(s) Sandoval--  
53 Concerning the requirement that registered dietitians  
54 report child abuse or neglect.  
55 Committee on Health, Environment, Welfare, & Institutions  
56

- 1 **HB03-1085** by Representative(s) Rippy--Concerning the duration of  
 2 the validity of certain forms of identification issued by  
 3 the department of revenue, and, in connection therewith,  
 4 making an appropriation.  
 5 Committee on Information & Technology  
 6 Committee on Appropriations  
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- 8 **HB03-1086** by Representative(s) King; also Senator(s) McElhany--  
 9 Concerning beneficiary deeds.  
 10 Committee on Judiciary  
 11
- 12 **HB03-1087** by Representative(s) Veiga--Concerning requirements  
 13 related to student transfers.  
 14 Committee on Education  
 15
- 16 **HB03-1088** by Representative(s) Williams T., Vigil, White; also  
 17 Senator(s) Takis, Anderson, Tupa--Concerning the annual  
 18 compensation of members of the public utilities  
 19 commission.  
 20 Committee on Business Affairs & Labor  
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- 22 **HB03-1089** by Representative(s) Mitchell--Concerning reimburse-  
 23 ment to owners whose property is acquired by a  
 24 condemning authority in eminent domain proceedings.  
 25 Committee on Information & Technology  
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## 27 INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

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 31 The following resolutions were read by title and laid over one day under  
 32 the rules:  
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- 34 **HJR03-1003** by Representative(s) King, Spradley, Veiga; also  
 35 Senator(s) Anderson, Andrews, Fitz-Gerald--Concerning  
 36 a joint session of the Senate and the House of  
 37 Representatives for the purpose of hearing a message  
 38 from the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, and  
 39 appointing a committee to escort the Chief Justice.  
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41 *Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Sixty-fourth*  
 42 *General Assembly of the State of Colorado, the Senate concurring*  
 43 *herein:*  
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45 That a Joint Session of the Senate and House of Representatives  
 46 of the First Regular Session of the Sixty-fourth General Assembly be  
 47 held in the House Chambers at 11:00 a.m., on Friday, January 10, 2003,  
 48 for the purpose of hearing a message from the Chief Justice of the  
 49 Supreme Court, the Honorable Mary J. Mullarkey, and that a committee  
 50 of two members of the Senate and three members of the House of  
 51 Representatives, be appointed by the President of the Senate and the  
 52 Speaker of the House of Representatives, respectively, to escort the  
 53 Chief Justice to the Joint Session.  
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1 **SJR03-002** by Senator(s) Anderson, Andrews, Fitz-Gerald; also  
 2 Representative(s) Cloer, Johnson R., Garcia, Jahn--  
 3 Concerning employee salary ranges for the First Regular  
 4 Session of the Sixty-fourth General Assembly.  
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6 (Printed and placed in member's file.)  
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9 **HR03-1003** by Representative(s) Cloer, Johnson R., Garcia, Jahn--  
 10 Concerning the appointment of officers and employees  
 11 for the House of Representatives of the Sixty-Fourth  
 12 General Assembly.  
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14 *Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Sixty-fourth*  
 15 *General Assembly of the State of Colorado:*  
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17 That the following named persons be appointed as officers and  
 18 employees of the House of Representatives of the Sixty-fourth General  
 19 Assembly, convened in the First Regular Session to the position set  
 20 opposite their respective names.  
 21

22 Judith Rodrigue	Chief Clerk
23 Marilyn Eddins	Assistant Chief Clerk/Journal Clerk
24 Patricia Nicholaisen	Docket Clerk
25 Patricia Geddis	Front Desk Clerk
26 Michael Mawhinney	Reading Clerk
27 Patricia Blakey	Historian
28 Debra Woller	Finance Clerk
29 Tom Suman	Chief Sergeant-at-Arms
30 Richard Lebsock	Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms
31 Bernard Nicholaisen	Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms
32 Elden Thompson	Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms
33 John Wallin	Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms
34 Ron Piccone	Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms
35 Deanna Johnson	Chief Enrolling Clerk
36 Eileen Heltzel	Assistant Enrolling Clerk
37 Carol Miller	Assistant Enrolling Clerk
38 Mary Myklak	Information Clerk
39 Tom Gross	Bill Room Clerk
40 Donna Acierno	Secretary to the Speaker
41 Anne Willhardt	Secretary to the Majority Leader
42 Judy Smallen	Majority Caucus Secretary
43 Hong Dao	Minority Caucus Secretary
44 Doyle Forrestal	Secretary to the Minority Leader
45 Betty Schmidt	Chief Legislative Secretary
46 Joan Kosila	Legislative Secretary
47 Erin Markel	Legislative Secretary
48 Cheryl Palm	Telephone Receptionist
49 Patricia Worley	Chief Assignable Clerk
50 Patricia Altstadt	Assignable Clerk
51 Andrea Hough	Assignable Clerk
52 Mary Kittler	Assignable Clerk
53 Majorie Spillane	Assignable Clerk
54 Elizabeth Krickbaum	Visitors' Aide
55 Vickie Agler	Administrative Assistant to Speaker
56 Joe Miklosi	Minority Administrative Assistant

1	Sean Shields	Majority Media Relations
2	Steve Vieregg	Majority Media Relations Director
3	Jane Locke	Minority Media Relations
4	Scott Wasserman	Minority Media Relations

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7 **HR03-1004** by Representative(s) Cloer, Johnson R., Garcia, Jahn--  
8 Concerning payment of employees for pre-session work  
9 for the House of Representatives convened in the First  
10 Regular Session of the Sixty-fourth General Assembly.

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12 *Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Sixty-fourth*  
13 *General Assembly of the State of Colorado:*

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15 That the following named individuals who received training or  
16 who performed pre-session work for the House of Representatives be  
17 compensated for such training and pre-session work:

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19	Joan Kosila	5 Days
20	Erin Markle	3 Days
21	Carol Miller	3 Days
22	Mary Myklak	2 Days
23	Ron Piccone	2 Days

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26 **HR03-1005** by Representative(s) Cloer, Johnson R., Garcia, Jahn--  
27 Concerning the chaplain position in the House of  
28 Representatives.

29

30 *Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Sixty-fourth*  
31 *General Assembly of the State of Colorado:*

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33 That the House Services Committee is hereby authorized to  
34 appoint persons to serve as the Chaplain for the House of  
35 Representatives and to designate the number of days any one person may  
36 serve as Chaplain. Compensation is to be paid as authorized in Senate  
37 Joint Resolution 03-002.

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41 On motion of Representative King, the House adjourned until 9:00 a.m.,  
42 January 9, 2003.

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Approved:

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LOLA SPRADLEY,  
Speaker

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50 Attest:

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52 JUDITH RODRIGUE,  
53 Chief Clerk