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# JOURNAL OF THE HOUSE

Thirty-second Calendar Day - Twenty-first Session Day

Hall of the House of Representatives  
Des Moines, Iowa, Thursday, February 12, 2026

The House met pursuant to adjournment at 8:30 a.m., Wills of Dickinson in the chair.

Prayer was offered by C. Johnson of Buchanan.

## PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Maeve Donnelly, Page from Bondurant.

The Journal of Wednesday, February 11, 2026, was approved.

## INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

[House File 2416](#), by Croken and Wessel-Kroeschell, a bill for an act relating to the regulation of confinement feeding operations, including by providing for partially roofed structures and prohibiting the construction, including expansion, of structures, making penalties applicable, and including effective date provisions.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Agriculture**.

[House File 2417](#), by Croken, a bill for an act relating to animal feeding operations by providing for certain air and water quality regulations, including when two or more related confinement feeding operations are deemed to be a single operation, making penalties applicable, and including effective date and applicability provisions.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Agriculture**.

[House File 2418](#), by Croken, Wessel-Kroeschell, Levin, and Wilburn, a bill for an act providing for county control of the siting and management of confinement feeding operations.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Agriculture**.

[House File 2419](#), by Croken and Levin, a bill for an act regulating animal feeding operations, including rulemaking requirements, and making penalties applicable.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Agriculture**.

[House File 2420](#), by Thomson, a bill for an act relating to education, including by establishing the office of the inspector general for school safety and modifying the duties of school districts, and making appropriations and providing penalties.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Education**.

[House File 2421](#), by Croken, Brown-Powers, Wessel-Kroeschell, Madison, Kurth, Levin, Ehlert, Srinivas, and Wilburn, a bill for an act relating to funding of supplemental nutrition assistance program assistance benefits.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Health and Human Services**.

[House File 2422](#), by Amos Jr., Kressig, Brown-Powers, Bagniewski, Wilburn, R. Johnson, Croken, Kurth, Gosa, Levin, and Srinivas, a bill for an act relating to creation of transfer on death deeds and to disclaimers of an interest in real property.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Judiciary**.

[House File 2423](#), by Croken and Brown-Powers, a bill for an act allowing a court to grant a grandparent or great-grandparent visitation rights of a child in certain circumstances.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Judiciary**.

[House File 2424](#), by Croken, a bill for an act relating to settlement agreements involving a county or a city.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Local Government**.

[House File 2425](#), by Croken, a bill for an act appropriating moneys to Iowa state university of science and technology for use by the Iowa nutrient research center in supporting the Iowa water quality information systems.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Natural Resources**.

[House File 2426](#), by Wood and Matson, a bill for an act adding epinephrine delivery systems to statewide protocols under which pharmacists may order and administer drugs and vaccines to adults.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Health and Human Services**.

[House File 2427](#), by Watkins, a bill for an act relating to the request for redaction of personally identifiable information from electronic documents displayed for public access by county assessors and county recorders.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Judiciary**.

[House File 2428](#), by Barker, a bill for an act relating to the authorized uses of a township fire protection levy.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Local Government**.

[House File 2429](#), by Golding, Gerhold, Andrews, and Dunwell, a bill for an act relating to prohibited terms in state agency publications.

Read first time and referred to committee on **State Government**.

[House File 2430](#), by Turek, a bill for an act limiting individual campaign contributions, and making penalties applicable.

Read first time and referred to committee on **State Government**.

[House File 2431](#), by Wengryn, a bill for an act relating to officers of county central committees.

Read first time and referred to committee on **State Government**.

[House File 2432](#), by Croken, a bill for an act relating to the natural reduction of human remains, making penalties applicable, and including effective date provisions.

Read first time and referred to committee on **State Government**.

[House File 2433](#), by Croken, a bill for an act relating to veterans' benefits claims, and providing penalties.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Veterans Affairs**.

[House File 2434](#), by committee on Health and Human Services, a bill for an act relating to insurance coverage for health care services provided pursuant to a referral by an out-of-network primary care provider.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[House File 2435](#), by Mohr and Vondran, a bill for an act relating to education, including by modifying provisions related to when children may enroll in kindergarten; when students enrolled in kindergarten in school districts, charter schools, or innovation zone schools may be promoted to first grade; and the responsibilities of school districts, charter schools, and innovation zone schools related to the discipline of students who cause violent or nonviolent disruptions.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Education**.

[House File 2436](#), by Weldon, a bill for an act relating to dissolution of marriage, including name change requests.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Judiciary**.

[House File 2437](#), by Kniff McCulla, a bill for an act relating to the use of an electronic device by deaf or hard-of-hearing persons to communicate in American sign language while driving, and making penalties applicable.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Transportation**.

[House File 2438](#), by Harris and Young, a bill for an act relating to health carriers and payment of claims, audits, and standards of conduct; prior authorizations and utilization review organizations; and providing civil penalties and including applicability provisions.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Health and Human Services**.

[House File 2439](#), by Behn, a bill for an act relating to specially constructed motorcycles.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Transportation**.

#### REREFERRED

The Speaker announced that [House File 2388](#) previously referred to the committee on **State Government** was rereferred to the committee on **Local Government**.

#### STUDY BILL COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

##### [H.S.B. 730](#) **Economic Growth and Technology**

Relating to rehabilitation projects and tax incentives under the workforce housing tax incentives program.

##### [H.S.B. 731](#) **Local Government**

Providing for the regulation of mining.

##### [H.S.B. 732](#) **Public Safety**

Relating to the establishment of an electronic court notification system.

##### [H.S.B. 733](#) **Ways and Means**

Modifying state income tax withholdings for winnings derived from slot machines, and including effective date provisions.

##### [H.S.B. 734](#) **Ways and Means**

Authorizing cities to establish self-supported tourism improvement districts.

##### [H.S.B. 735](#) **Education**

Relating to education, including by modifying provisions related to charter schools, the Iowa public employees' retirement system,

financing programs for charter schools and nonpublic schools administered by the Iowa finance authority, the statewide voluntary preschool program for four-year-old children, education savings accounts, the school start date, independent accrediting agencies, teacher training and licensure, and making appropriations, and including applicability and retroactive applicability provisions.

#### **H.S.B. 736 Natural Resources**

Relating to the treatment of private sewage disposal systems, including monitoring, maintenance, and reporting requirements, and including applicability provisions.

#### **H.S.B. 737 Commerce**

Relating to emergency planning and coordination for electric transmission line owners, and providing penalties.

#### **H.S.B. 738 Judiciary**

Relating to the grounds for removal of a local assessor and including effective date provisions.

#### **H.S.B. 739 Health and Human Services**

Relating to the Medicaid home and community-based services elderly waiver program, including transition planning and assisted living services.

#### **H.S.B. 740 Natural Resources**

Relating to the production of oil and gas, geologic hydrogen, hydrocarbons, or other minerals, including establishing certain duties required of oil and gas operators, requiring notice and surface use agreement offers, and providing for remedies.

### SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

#### **House File 1035**

Ways and Means: Boden, Chair; Wilson and Wulf.

[House File 2078](#)

Education: Fett, Chair; Gehlbach and Matson.

[House File 2088](#)

Labor and Workforce: Weldon, Chair; Cooling and Kniff McCulla.

[House File 2137](#)

Natural Resources: Barker, Chair; Hermanson and Judge.

[House File 2280](#)

Ways and Means: Lundgren, Chair; Bloomingdale and Gjerde.

[House File 2287](#)

Judiciary: Thomson, Chair; Ramirez and Williams.

[House File 2308](#)

Ways and Means: Windschitl, Chair; Wessel-Kroeschell and Wills.

[House File 2334](#)

Transportation: Meggers, Chair; Behn and Wilson.

[House File 2340](#)

Ways and Means: Wulf, Chair; Hermanson and Kurth.

[House File 2370](#)

Public Safety: Gearhart, Chair; Amos Jr. and Rinker.

[House File 2375](#)

Transportation: Gosa, Chair; Jones and Siegrist.

[House File 2388](#)

Local Government: Lawler, Chair; Smith and Wichtendahl.

[House File 2393](#)

Education: Behn, Chair; Hora and Matson.

[House File 2399](#)

State Government: Lundgren, Chair; Cooling and C. Johnson.

[House File 2402](#)

State Government: Dunwell, Chair; C. Johnson and R. Johnson.

[House File 2403](#)

State Government: Lundgren, Chair; Baeth and Hora.

[House File 2413](#)

Judiciary: Lawler, Chair; Bagniewski and Wills.

[House File 2428](#)

Local Government: Bloomingdale, Chair; Croken and Determann.

[House File 2438](#)

Health and Human Services: Harris, Chair; A. Meyer and Wessel-Kroeschell.

STUDY BILL SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

[House Study Bill 719](#) Reassigned

Education: Larson, Chair; Bradley and Madison.

[House Study Bill 726](#) Reassigned

Judiciary: Fett, Chair; Stone and Wilburn.

[House Study Bill 730](#)

Economic Growth and Technology: Latham, Chair; Wilson and Wood.

[House Study Bill 731](#)

Local Government: Boden, Chair; Golding and Zabner.

[House Study Bill 732](#)

Public Safety: Mohr, Chair; Fisher and Levin.

[House Study Bill 733](#)

Ways and Means: Bloomingdale, Chair; Hermanson and Jacoby.

[House Study Bill 734](#)

Ways and Means: Jones, Chair; Gustoff and Wilson.

[House Study Bill 735](#)

Education: Wheeler, Chair; Ehlert and Stone.

[House Study Bill 736](#)

Natural Resources: Mommsen, Chair; Nielsen and Wulf.

[House Study Bill 737](#)

Commerce: Young, Chair; Bagniewski and Harris.

[House Study Bill 738](#)

Judiciary: Holt, Chair; Wheeler and Wichtendahl.

[House Study Bill 739](#)

Health and Human Services: Wilz, Chair; Bradley and Brown-Powers.

[House Study Bill 740](#)

Natural Resources: Harris, Chair; Baeth and Collins.

## COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS

MR. SPEAKER: The Chief Clerk of the House respectfully reports that the following committee recommendations have been received and are on file in the office of the Chief Clerk:

### COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House File 2122](#)), relating to the discipline of students who exhibit disorderly conduct in the classroom and who are enrolled in school districts, charter schools, or innovation zone schools.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Amend and Do Pass** February 11, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 16: Representatives Wheeler-CH, Fett-VC, Behn, Boden, Bradley, Gehlbach, Gosa, Hayes, Henderson, Holt, Hora, C. Johnson, Larson, Moore, Shipley, Stone. Nays, 7: Ehlert-RM, Ingels, Kurth, Levin, Madison, Matson, Ramirez. Excused, 0.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House File 2124](#)), modifying the duties of the department of education related to electronic systems.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Amend and Do Pass** February 11, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 19: Representatives Wheeler-CH, Fett-VC, Ehlert-RM, Behn, Boden, Bradley, Gehlbach, Gosa, Hayes, Henderson, Holt, Hora, Ingels, C. Johnson, Larson, Matson, Moore, Shipley, Stone. Nays, 4: Kurth, Levin, Madison, Ramirez. Excused, 0.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 607](#)), repealing the board of regents' minority and women educators enhancement program.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Amend and Do Pass** February 11, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 16: Representatives Wheeler-CH, Fett-VC, Behn, Boden, Bradley, Gehlbach, Hayes, Henderson, Holt, Hora, Ingels, C. Johnson, Larson, Moore, Shipley, Stone. Nays, 7: Ehlert-RM, Gosa, Kurth, Levin, Madison, Matson, Ramirez. Excused, 0.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 610](#)), relating to computer science education, including high school curricula and graduation requirements, practitioner preparation programs, and college admissions, and including applicability provisions.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Amend and Do Pass** February 11, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 19: Representatives Wheeler-CH, Fett-VC, Ehlert-RM, Behn, Boden, Bradley, Gehlbach, Gosa, Hayes, Holt, Hora, Ingels, C. Johnson, Kurth, Larson, Madison, Matson, Ramirez, Stone. Nays, 4: Henderson, Levin, Moore, Shipley. Excused, 0.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 646](#)), requiring annual reports on antisemitism in community colleges, regents institutions, and public school districts.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Amend and Do Pass** February 11, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 17: Representatives Wheeler-CH, Fett-VC, Behn, Boden, Bradley, Gehlbach, Gosa, Hayes, Henderson, Holt, Hora, Ingels, C. Johnson, Larson, Matson, Moore, Stone. Nays, 6: Ehlert-RM, Kurth, Levin, Madison, Ramirez, Shipley. Excused, 0.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 679](#)), relating to noncontact periods for students, coaches, directors, and teachers in extracurricular interscholastic athletic contests and competitions.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Do Pass** February 11, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 20: Representatives Wheeler-CH, Fett-VC, Ehlert-RM, Behn, Boden, Bradley, Gehlbach, Gosa, Hayes, Henderson, Holt, Hora, Ingels, C. Johnson, Larson, Matson, Moore, Ramirez, Shipley, Stone. Nays, 3: Kurth, Levin, Madison. Excused, 0.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 681](#)), relating to student dress code policies of public schools, charter schools, and innovation school zones, and including applicability provisions.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Do Pass** February 11, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 14: Representatives Wheeler-CH, Fett-VC, Behn, Boden, Bradley, Gehlbach, Hayes, Henderson, Holt, Hora, C. Johnson, Larson, Shipley, Stone. Nays, 9: Ehlert-RM, Gosa, Ingels, Kurth, Levin, Madison, Matson, Moore, Ramirez. Excused, 0.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 682](#)), relating to the revocation or denial of educator licenses and certificates for publicly celebrating assassinations or acts of politically motivated violence, and including effective date and retroactive applicability provisions.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Amend and Do Pass** February 11, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 14: Representatives Wheeler-CH, Fett-VC, Behn, Boden, Bradley, Gehlbach, Hayes, Henderson, Holt, Hora, C. Johnson, Larson, Shipley, Stone. Nays, 9: Ehlert-RM, Gosa, Ingels, Kurth, Levin, Madison, Matson, Moore, Ramirez. Excused, 0.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 714](#)), relating to education, including by modifying provisions related to the social studies instruction provided to students enrolled in grades one through twelve and the educational programs provided by the institutions of higher education under the control of the state board of regents, and requiring education related to the holocaust for students and teachers in school districts.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Do Pass** February 11, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 14: Representatives Wheeler-CH, Fett-VC, Behn, Boden, Bradley, Gehlbach, Hayes, Henderson, Holt, Hora, C. Johnson, Larson, Shipley, Stone. Nays, 9: Ehlert-RM, Gosa, Ingels, Kurth, Levin, Madison, Matson, Moore, Ramirez. Excused, 0.

#### COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House File 2220](#)), relating to mental health care, including subacute mental health care facility requirements; admission to and discharge from a subacute mental health care facility; employment requirements at a subacute mental health care facility; insurance coverage for subacute mental health care; and the establishment of a psychiatric medical institution for children bed tracking system, and providing penalties and including effective date provisions.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Do Pass** February 12, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 18: Representatives Harris-CH, Barker-VC, Wessel-Kroeschell-RM, Bergan, Bradley, Brown-Powers, Gehlbach, Ingels, C. Johnson, R. Johnson, A. Meyer, Moore, Turek, Watkins, Weldon, Wilburn, Wilz, Wood. Nays, 0. Excused, 3: Andrews, Baeth, Ehlert.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House File 2315](#)), relating to allocations of moneys from the juvenile detention home fund.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Do Pass** February 12, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 12: Representatives Harris-CH, Barker-VC, Bergan, Bradley, Brown-Powers, Ingels, C. Johnson, A. Meyer, Moore, Watkins, Wilz, Wood. Nays, 6: Wessel-Kroeschell-RM, Gehlbach, R. Johnson, Turek, Weldon, Wilburn. Excused, 3: Andrews, Baeth, Ehlert.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 619](#)), creating the Iowa rural health transformation fund and making appropriations.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Do Pass** February 12, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 14: Representatives Harris-CH, Barker-VC, Bergan, Bradley, Gehlbach, Ingels, C. Johnson, A. Meyer, Moore, Turek, Watkins, Weldon, Wilz, Wood. Nays, 6: Wessel-Kroeschell-RM, Baeth, Brown-Powers, Ehlert, R. Johnson, Wilburn. Excused, 1: Andrews.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 650](#)), relating to licenses to practice medicine and surgery or osteopathic medicine and surgery, and administrative medicine licenses.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Amend and Do Pass** February 12, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 20: Representatives Harris-CH, Barker-VC, Wessel-Kroeschell-RM, Baeth, Bergan, Bradley, Brown-Powers, Ehlert, Gehlbach, Ingels, C. Johnson, R. Johnson, A. Meyer, Moore, Turek, Watkins, Weldon, Wilburn, Wilz, Wood. Nays, 0. Excused, 1: Andrews.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 653](#)), relating to care facility placement decisions for certain adults.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Amend and Do Pass** February 12, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 13: Representatives Harris-CH, Barker-VC, Bergan, Bradley, Gehlbach, Ingels, C. Johnson, A. Meyer, Moore, Watkins, Weldon, Wilz, Wood. Nays, 7: Wessel-Kroeschell-RM, Baeth, Brown-Powers, Ehlert, R. Johnson, Turek, Wilburn. Excused, 1: Andrews.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 704](#)), relating to abortions including informed consent, dispensing abortion-inducing drugs, and reporting abortion-inducing drug complications.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Amend and Do Pass** February 12, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 12: Representatives Harris-CH, Barker-VC, Bradley, Gehlbach, Ingels, C. Johnson, A. Meyer, Moore, Watkins, Weldon, Wilz, Wood. Nays, 8: Wessel-Kroeschell-RM, Baeth, Bergan, Brown-Powers, Ehlert, R. Johnson, Turek, Wilburn. Excused, 1: Andrews.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 536](#)), prohibiting regents institutions from entering into employment contracts with Chinese citizens holding certain visas.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Amend and Do Pass** February 11, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 7: Representatives Collins-CH, Shipley-VC, Holt, Hora, Stone, Wheeler, Wills. Nays, 4: Brown-Powers-RM, Jacoby, Matson, Wilburn. Excused, 0.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 537](#)), prohibiting private institutions of higher education that participate in the Iowa tuition grant program from establishing diversity, equity, and inclusion offices.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Do Pass** February 11, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 7: Representatives Collins-CH, Shipley-VC, Holt, Hora, Stone, Wheeler, Wills. Nays, 4: Brown-Powers-RM, Jacoby, Matson, Wilburn. Excused, 0.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 542](#)), prohibiting courses and content relating to diversity, equity, inclusion, and critical race theory in general education requirements and core curricula at regents institutions.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Amend and Do Pass** February 11, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 7: Representatives Collins-CH, Shipley-VC, Holt, Hora, Stone, Wheeler, Wills. Nays, 4: Brown-Powers-RM, Jacoby, Matson, Wilburn. Excused, 0.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 548](#)), directing regents institutions to sign the federal Compact for Academic Excellence in Higher Education and including effective date provisions.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Do Pass** February 11, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 7: Representatives Collins-CH, Shipley-VC, Holt, Hora, Stone, Wheeler, Wills. Nays, 4: Brown-Powers-RM, Jacoby, Matson, Wilburn. Excused, 0.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 572](#)), relating to career education, including by modifying provisions related to career academies, the collective statewide articulation agreement between community colleges and the state board of regents, the district-to-community college sharing or concurrent enrollment program, and individual career and academic plans.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Amend and Do Pass** February 11, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 11: Representatives Collins-CH, Shipley-VC, Brown-Powers-RM, Holt, Hora, Jacoby, Matson, Stone, Wheeler, Wilburn, Wills. Nays, 0. Excused, 0.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 674](#)), relating to apprenticeships and other career training and making appropriations.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Amend and Do Pass** February 11, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 10: Representatives Collins-CH, Shipley-VC, Brown-Powers-RM, Holt, Hora, Matson, Stone, Wheeler, Wilburn, Wills. Nays, 1: Jacoby. Excused, 0.

#### COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

[House File 922](#), a bill for an act relating to discrimination in the provision of financial services, and providing civil penalties.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Do Pass** February 10, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 15: Representatives Holt-CH, Lawler-VC, Dunwell, Fett, Gustoff, Nordman, Olson, Shipley, Stone, Thompson, Thomson, Watkins, Wheeler, Williams, Wills. Nays, 6: Wilburn-RM, Bagniewski, Ramirez, Srinivas, Wessel-Kroeschell, Wichtendahl. Excused, 0.

Placed on the **Calendar**, February 12, 2026.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House File 1011](#)), relating to human trafficking, including the establishment of human trafficking prosecution units and the remittance of wire transmission fees to the office to combat human trafficking.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Amend and Do Pass** February 12, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 21: Representatives Holt-CH, Lawler-VC, Wilburn-RM, Bagniewski, Dunwell, Fett, Gustoff, Nordman, Olson, Ramirez, Shipley, Srinivas, Stone, Thompson, Thomson, Watkins, Wessel-Kroeschell, Wheeler, Wichtendahl, Williams, Wills. Nays, 0. Excused, 0.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House File 2174](#)), providing for a task force to address legal services for indigent parties.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Amend and Do Pass** February 12, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 21: Representatives Holt-CH, Lawler-VC, Wilburn-RM, Bagniewski, Dunwell, Fett, Gustoff, Nordman, Olson, Ramirez, Shipley, Srinivas, Stone, Thompson, Thomson, Watkins, Wessel-Kroeschell, Wheeler, Wichtendahl, Williams, Wills. Nays, 0. Excused, 0.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 161](#)), relating to the authority of an attorney in fact under a durable power of attorney for health care.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Amend and Do Pass** February 12, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 21: Representatives Holt-CH, Lawler-VC, Wilburn-RM, Bagniewski, Dunwell, Fett, Gustoff, Nordman, Olson, Ramirez, Shipley, Srinivas, Stone, Thompson, Thomson, Watkins, Wessel-Kroeschell, Wheeler, Wichtendahl, Williams, Wills. Nays, 0. Excused, 0.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 632](#)), relating to the Iowa rules of criminal procedure including commitment hearings following an acquittal based on insanity.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Amend and Do Pass** February 12, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 21: Representatives Holt-CH, Lawler-VC, Wilburn-RM, Bagniewski, Dunwell, Fett, Gustoff, Nordman, Olson, Ramirez, Shipley, Srinivas, Stone, Thompson, Thomson, Watkins, Wessel-Kroeschell, Wheeler, Wichtendahl, Williams, Wills. Nays, 0. Excused, 0.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 664](#)), relating to local laws implementing the Iowa civil rights Act of 1965.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Do Pass** February 12, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 14: Representatives Holt-CH, Lawler-VC, Dunwell, Fett, Gustoff, Nordman, Shipley, Stone, Thompson, Thomson, Watkins, Wheeler, Williams, Wills. Nays, 7: Wilburn-RM, Bagniewski, Olson, Ramirez, Srinivas, Wessel-Kroeschell, Wichtendahl. Excused, 0.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 666](#)), relating to habitual offenders, and providing penalties.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Amend and Do Pass** February 12, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 14: Representatives Holt-CH, Lawler-VC, Dunwell, Fett, Gustoff, Nordman, Shipley, Stone, Thompson, Thomson, Watkins, Wheeler, Williams, Wills. Nays, 7: Wilburn-RM, Bagniewski, Olson, Ramirez, Srinivas, Wessel-Kroeschell, Wichtendahl. Excused, 0.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 669](#)), allowing a person to raise, guide, and instruct a child in a manner consistent with the child's sex.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Do Pass** February 12, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 14: Representatives Holt-CH, Lawler-VC, Dunwell, Fett, Gustoff, Nordman, Shipley, Stone, Thompson, Thomson, Watkins, Wheeler, Williams, Wills. Nays, 7: Wilburn-RM, Bagniewski, Olson, Ramirez, Srinivas, Wessel-Kroeschell, Wichtendahl. Excused, 0.

## COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House File 936](#)), relating to government bodies for purposes of open records, and making penalties applicable.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Do Pass** February 10, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 21: Representatives Boden-CH, Williams-VC, Zabner-RM, Blom, Bloomingdale, Croken, Determann, Golding, Gosa, Henderson, Kniff McCulla, Kressig, Lawler, McBurney, Nielsen, Smith, Thompson, Watkins, Wengryn, Wheeler, Wichtendahl. Nays, 0. Excused, 0.

Placed on the **Calendar**, February 12, 2026.

## COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES

[House File 863](#), a bill for an act relating to the use of blue lights on vessels operating on waters under the jurisdiction of the natural resource commission.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Do Pass** February 10, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 18: Representatives Wood-CH, Golding-VC, Levin-RM, Andrews, Baeth, Barker, Collins, Fisher, Gjerde, Harris, Hermanson, Judge, Mommsen, Nielsen, Scholten, Smith, Wengryn, Wulf. Nays, 2: Jacoby, Zabner. Excused, 1: Gearhart.

Placed on the **Calendar**, February 12, 2026.

## COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 656](#)), relating to remote sales of motor vehicles.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Amend and Do Pass** February 11, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 18: Representatives Jones-CH, Siegrist-VC, Gosa-RM, Bagniewski, Behn, Bossman, Golding, Henderson, R. Johnson Madison, Meggers, A. Meyer, Mommsen, Scholten, Sieck, Williams, Wood, Young. Nays, 2: Cooling, Wilson. Excused, 1: Jeneary.

[Senate File 27](#), a bill for an act relating to required information in the electronic database used by the department of transportation and law enforcement to access registration, titling, and driver's license information.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Do Pass** February 11, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 20: Representatives Jones-CH, Siegrist-VC, Gosa-RM, Bagniewski, Behn, Bossman, Cooling, Golding, Henderson, R. Johnson, Madison, Meggers, A. Meyer, Mommsen, Scholten, Sieck, Williams, Wilson, Wood, Young. Nays, 0. Excused, 1: Jeneary.

Placed on the **Calendar**, February 12, 2026.

## COMMITTEE ON VETERANS AFFAIRS

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House File 2132](#)), providing for a waiver of tuition and mandatory fees at regents institutions for certain veterans with service-connected disabilities.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Do Pass** February 11, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 17: Representatives Determann-CH, Gearhart-VC, Amos Jr.-RM, Andrews, Blom, Croken, Gaines, Gerhold, Hayes, Hermanson, Ingels, Levin, Ramirez, Rinker, Sorensen, Thompson, Wichtendahl. Nays, 0. Excused, 0.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House File 2180](#)), establishing a service animal training grant program for veterans, providing fees, and making appropriations.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Amend and Do Pass** February 11, 2026.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 17: Representatives Determann-CH, Gearhart-VC, Amos Jr.-RM, Andrews, Blom, Croken, Gaines, Gerhold, Hayes, Hermanson, Ingels, Levin, Ramirez, Rinker, Sorensen, Thompson, Wichtendahl. Nays, 0. Excused, 0.

MEGHAN NELSON  
Chief Clerk of the House

On motion by Kaufmann of Cedar, the House adjourned at 8:48 a.m., until 1:00 p.m., Monday, February 16, 2026.