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ONE HUNDRED SIXTEENTH CALENDAR DAY  
SIXTY-EIGHTH SESSION DAY

Senate Chamber  
Des Moines, Iowa, Thursday, May 8, 2025

The Senate met in regular session at 9:09 a.m., Senator Boussetot presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Honorable Tom Shipley, member of the Senate from Adams County.

The Journal of Wednesday, May 7, 2025, was approved.

## ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Senator Klimesh, the Senate adjourned at 9:10 a.m. until 9:00 a.m., Friday, May 9, 2025.

## APPENDIX

### COMMUNICATION RECEIVED

The following communication was received in the office of the Secretary of the Senate and placed on file in the Legislative Services Agency:

#### DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

Department of Natural Resources Quarterly Expenditure Report, pursuant to 2024 Iowa Acts, [SF 2421](#), section 6. Report received on May 8, 2025.

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE MEETING

### WAYS AND MEANS

**Convened:** Thursday, May 8, 2025, 10:50 a.m.

**Members Present:** Dawson, Chair; Rowley, Vice Chair; Bisignano, Ranking Member; Boussetot, Dickey, Dotzler, Driscoll, Green, Gruenhagen, Klimesh, Koelker, Petersen, Quirnbach, Reichman, Sweeney, Townsend, and Winckler.

**Members Absent:** Schultz (excused).

**Committee Business:** [SSB 1227](#).

**Adjourned:** 11:20 a.m.

### INTRODUCTION OF BILL

[Senate File 651](#), by committee on Ways and Means, a bill for an act relating to local government property taxes, financial authority, and budgets, modifying appropriations, and including effective date, applicability, and retroactive applicability provisions.

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

### FINAL COMMITTEE REPORT OF BILL ACTION

#### WAYS AND MEANS

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 651 \(SSB 1227\)](#), a bill for an act relating to local government property taxes, financial authority, and budgets, modifying appropriations, and including effective date, applicability, and retroactive applicability provisions.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 16: Dawson, Rowley, Bisignano, Boussetot, Dickey, Dotzler, Driscoll, Green, Gruenhagen, Klimesh, Koelker, Petersen, Reichman, Sweeney, Townsend, and Winckler. Nays, none. Present, 1: Quirnbach. Excused, 1: Schultz.

**Fiscal Note:** NOT REQUIRED UNDER JOINT RULE 17.

### AMENDMENTS FILED

<a href="#">S-3142</a>	<a href="#">S.F. 551</a>	Jeff Reichman
<a href="#">S-3143</a>	<a href="#">H.F. 711</a>	Jeff Reichman