

SENATE REPORTS RECEIVED AFTER ADJOURNMENT

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE (BANKING DIVISION)

Bank Required Collateral, pursuant to Iowa Code section 12C.20. Report received on May 11, 2026.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

Enhance Iowa Fund Report, pursuant to 2024 Iowa Acts, [HF 2686](#), section 129. Report received on June 2, 2026.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Community Action Agencies Report, pursuant to Iowa Code sections 19 and 216A.92. Report received on May 26, 2026.

Judicial Review Report, pursuant to Iowa Code section 625.29. Report received on June 2, 2026.

Medicaid Managed Care Contracts Notification Report, pursuant to 2026 Iowa Acts, [HF 766](#), section 42. Report received on June 2, 2026.

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

Quarterly Expenditure Report, pursuant to 2025 Iowa Acts, [SF 646](#), section 8. Report received on May 21, 2026.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

Verification of Voters Report, pursuant to 2025 Iowa Acts, Chapter 123, section 39. Report received on May 5, 2026.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE MEETING

ETHICS

Convened: Friday, May 22, 2026, 8:05 a.m.

Members Present: Evans, Chair; Shipley, Vice Chair; Winckler, Ranking Member; Dawson, Petersen, and Staed.

Members Absent: None.

Committee Business: Meeting to address ethics complaint regarding Senator Wahls.

Adjourned: 8:25 a.m.

BILLS ENROLLED, SIGNED, AND SENT TO GOVERNOR

The Secretary of the Senate submitted the following report:

MADAM PRESIDENT: The Secretary of the Senate respectfully reports that the following bills have been enrolled, signed by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House, and presented to the Governor on this 5th day of May, 2026:

Senate Files 93, 274, 304, 378, 472, 473, 512, 542, 563, 629, 2086, 2088, 2139, 2189, 2207, 2219, 2220, 2231, 2280, 2289, 2296, 2299, 2304, 2318, 2320, 2365, 2379, 2399, 2429, 2430, 2467, 2468, and 2471.

ALSO: The Secretary of the Senate respectfully reports that the following bills have been enrolled, signed by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House, and presented to the Governor on this 11th day of May, 2026:

Senate Files 469, 654, 2039, 2187, 2378, 2422, 2453, 2474, 2478, 2492, and 2493.

ALSO: The Secretary of the Senate respectfully reports that the following bills have been enrolled, signed by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House, and presented to the Governor on this 18th day of May, 2026:

Senate Files 639, 2168, 2218, 2428, 2465, 2472, 2480, 2484, 2488, 2490, and 2497.

W. CHARLES SMITHSON
Secretary of the Senate

RESOLUTION ENROLLED, SIGNED, AND SENT TO THE
SECRETARY OF STATE

The Secretary of the Senate submitted the following report:

MADAM PRESIDENT: The Secretary of the Senate respectfully reports that the following resolution has been enrolled, signed by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House, and presented to the Secretary of State for deposit on this 11th day of May, 2026:

[Senate Joint Resolution 11.](#)

W. CHARLES SMITHSON
Secretary of the Senate

SENATE BILLS APPROVED AND VETOED
AFTER ADJOURNMENT

The following is a record of action by the Governor transmitted to the Secretary of State after the close of the 2026 Regular Session:

SENATE BILLS APPROVED

[Senate File 93](#)—Relating to qualifications to serve as a commissioner or an executive director for a county commission of veteran affairs. Approved May 15, 2026.

[Senate File 274](#)—Relating to forms of payment for entry into an extracurricular interscholastic athletic contest or competition. Approved June 1, 2026.

[Senate File 304](#)—Providing an exception to a minor's legal capacity to consent to the provision of medical care or services for a sexually transmitted disease or infection. Approved May 19, 2026.

[Senate File 378](#)—Relating to speed limits, including the speed limit range for which certain excessive speed violations cannot be considered for certain purposes and the default speed limit for all vehicular traffic, and making penalties applicable. Approved June 1, 2026.

[Senate File 469](#)—Creating an emeritus license to practice medicine and surgery or osteopathic medicine and surgery. Approved June 2, 2026.

[Senate File 472](#)—Relating to retention and recertification elections for public employee collective bargaining units and including effective date and applicability provisions. Approved May 19, 2026.

[Senate File 473](#)—Relating to certain sincerely held religious or moral beliefs of certain entities for purposes of child foster care and adoption. Approved June 2, 2026.

[Senate File 512](#)—Relating to statutes of limitations in civil actions. Approved June 2, 2026.

[Senate File 542](#)—Relating to the suspension of child support and medical support in certain circumstances. Approved May 15, 2026.

[Senate File 563](#)—Relating to the licensure of crematory operators and funeral establishments, and making penalties applicable. Approved June 2, 2026.

[Senate File 629](#)—Providing for an expedited filing service for filers of business documents administered by the secretary of state, and providing fees. Approved June 2, 2026.

[Senate File 639](#)—Creating a specialty business court, and including effective date provisions. Approved June 1, 2026.

[Senate File 654](#)—Relating to wildlife, including the treatment of beaver dams, identification for traps, snares, and tree stands, maximum fur dealer license fees, and deer depredation, and making penalties applicable. Approved June 2, 2026.

[Senate File 2039](#)—Providing for intervention by members of the general assembly in proceedings for judicial review of agency action under the Iowa administrative procedure Act. Approved June 2, 2026.

[Senate File 2086](#)—Authorizing schools to offer an elective junior fire fighter program to students enrolled in grades eleven and twelve. Approved June 1, 2026.

[Senate File 2088](#)—Relating to transportation, including the administration and regulation of matters associated with the operation, registration, and titling of motor vehicles and the Mississippi river parkway commission, making penalties applicable, and including applicability provisions. Approved May 19, 2026.

[Senate File 2139](#)—Enacting the athletic trainer compact. Approved May 15, 2026.

[Senate File 2168](#)—Relating to workforce matters including apprenticeships and other career training, unemployment insurance, and membership of the state workforce development board, making appropriations, and including effective date provisions. Approved June 2, 2026.

[Senate File 2187](#)—Relating to the verification of citizenship and immigration status of persons who apply for or renew a driver's license or nonoperator's identification card, and including applicability provisions. Approved May 15, 2026.

[Senate File 2189](#)—Relating to information required for nonresidents who apply for vehicle registration and issuance of a certificate of title. Approved June 1, 2026.

[Senate File 2218](#)—Relating to state regulatory compliance and eligibility requirements, including by modifying provisions related to the verification of the identity and employment eligibility of individuals by the board of educational examiners, school districts, accredited nonpublic schools, charter schools, and innovation zone schools; the provision of a false social security number to an employer, prospective employer, or a potential employee; qualifications for employment, professional licensure, voter registration, and bail; making penalties applicable; and including applicability provisions. Approved June 2, 2026.

[Senate File 2219](#)—Requiring boards of directors of school districts, governing boards of charter schools, and authorities in charge of accredited nonpublic schools to adopt policies related to exempting student absences for school-sponsored activities, programs, competitions, and projects. Approved May 19, 2026.

[Senate File 2220](#)—Relating to education, including by modifying provisions related to the Iowa statewide assessment of student progress and programs for gifted and talented children, and by requiring school districts to develop an advanced mathematics pathway and implement procedures for subject acceleration and whole-grade acceleration, and including applicability provisions. Approved June 2, 2026.

[Senate File 2231](#)—Relating to education, including by modifying provisions related to the protected speech and expression rights of students, modifying provisions related to the duties of the department of education, and modifying eligibility and participation requirements for certain education programs, preschool programs, and tax provisions, providing civil penalties, and including retroactive applicability provisions. Approved May 19, 2026.

[Senate File 2280](#)—Relating to the safety of persons in certain professions involved with the judicial system, including authorizing a member of the general assembly, judicial officer, attorney general, deputy attorney general, or assistant attorney general to be issued a professional permit to carry weapons, establishing the criminal offenses of threatening and the malicious sharing of personal information of a general assembly member or a judicial officer or a general assembly member's or a judicial officer's immediate family, and considering true threats to public officials as harassment, and providing penalties. Approved May 6, 2026.

[Senate File 2289](#)—Relating to matters under the purview of the department of inspections, appeals, and licensing, and including effective date provisions. Approved May 15, 2026.

[Senate File 2296](#)—Relating to digital financial kiosks, modifying civil penalties, and including effective date and applicability provisions. Approved May 6, 2026.

[Senate File 2304](#)—Relating to certain public utilities, including the development of ratemaking principles permitted for recovery costs of certain investments in infrastructure by water and wastewater utilities and cost considerations for acquisitions of water, sanitary sewer, or storm water utilities. Approved June 1, 2026.

[Senate File 2318](#)—Relating to nonresident deer hunting licenses. Approved May 15, 2026.

[Senate File 2365](#)—Relating to public improvement contracts, including notice requirements. Approved May 15, 2026.

[Senate File 2378](#)—Relating to the ability of property owners to protest proposed changes in zoning districts. Approved June 2, 2026.

[Senate File 2379](#)—Relating to victim protections including victim counselors, protective orders, sex offender registration, rights of sexual abuse victims, mental competency and civil commitment, restitution, and victim rights, and including effective date provisions. Approved May 6, 2026.

[Senate File 2399](#)—Relating to bail and bond amounts and conditions. Approved June 2, 2026.

[Senate File 2422](#)—Relating to public assistance programs under the purview of the department of health and human services, including the supplemental nutrition assistance program, Medicaid, and the Iowa health and wellness plan, and including effective date provisions. Approved June 2, 2026.

[Senate File 2428](#)—Relating to education, including by modifying provisions related to the duties of the department of education; the discipline of students enrolled in school districts, charter schools, and innovation zone schools who cause violent or nonviolent disruptions; the responsibilities and powers of the department of education, school district teachers, and other educational staff related to students who have individualized education programs or plans under section 504 of the federal Rehabilitation Act; school district professional development plans; and authorizing teachers to request a meeting of a student's individualized education program team. Approved June 1, 2026.

[Senate File 2429](#)—Relating to fluid milk products annual permits, and including effective date provisions. Approved June 1, 2026.

[Senate File 2430](#)—Relating to the display of flags at half-staff on public buildings. Approved May 15, 2026.

[Senate File 2465](#)—Relating to agriculture, including by providing for the powers and duties of the department of agriculture and land stewardship, including the promotion and regulation of commodities and products, the regulation of the transportation of agricultural items, the use of agricultural land, sales and use taxes, and veterinary practice and income taxes, making penalties applicable, and including effective date and applicability provisions. Approved June 1, 2026.

[Senate File 2467](#)—Concerning reimbursement of the attorney general for services relating to the second injury fund for workers' compensation. Approved May 15, 2026.

[Senate File 2468](#)—Providing for the conversion of partnerships into other forms of domestic or foreign organizations, and providing for fees. Approved May 15, 2026.

[Senate File 2471](#)—Relating to fees for lifetime fur harvester licenses. Approved June 2, 2026.

[Senate File 2472](#)—Relating to state and local government taxes, fees, financial authority, and budgets, by modifying property assessment provisions, divisions of revenue, and funding from the secure an advanced vision for education fund, establishing a program for first-time homebuyers, modifying and making appropriations, and including effective date, applicability, and retroactive applicability provisions. Approved May 18, 2026.

[Senate File 2474](#)—Relating to education, including by modifying provisions related to the Iowa dyslexia board and requiring the department of education to prepare a report related to cardiac emergency response plans and automated external defibrillators. Approved June 1, 2026.

[Senate File 2478](#)—Relating to transportation and other infrastructure-related appropriations to the department of transportation, including allocation and use of moneys from the road use tax fund and the primary road fund. Approved June 2, 2026.

[Senate File 2480](#)—Relating to the taxation and regulation of alternative nicotine products and vapor products, making appropriations, and including effective date provisions. Approved May 26, 2026.

[Senate File 2488](#)—Relating to early childhood and family services, including the creation of an early childhood and family services system, making appropriations, convening an early childhood Iowa interim study committee, and including applicability, retroactive applicability, and effective date provisions. Approved June 2, 2026.

[Senate File 2490](#)—Relating to oil and gas production, including filing requirements, the authority of the department of natural resources, confidential information, pooling orders, negotiation of surface damage, imposition and distribution of a tax, and jurisdiction, and providing civil penalties. Approved June 1, 2026.

[Senate File 2492](#)—Creating a state corporate income tax deduction for net controlled foreign corporation tested income, and including retroactive applicability provisions. Approved May 15, 2026.

[Senate File 2493](#)—Relating to the excise tax on certain ethanol blended gasoline purchased exclusively for use in an implement of husbandry used in agricultural production. Approved June 1, 2026.

[Senate File 2497](#)—Providing for an assignment of assets for the benefit of creditors, exempting the related tax on the transfer of real estate, and including effective date provisions. Approved June 2, 2026.

SENATE BILL ITEM VETOED

[Senate File 2484](#)

June 2, 2026

The Honorable Paul Pate
Secretary of State of Iowa
State Capitol Building
LOCAL

Dear Mr. Secretary:

I hereby transmit [Senate File 2484](#), an Act relating to making appropriations from the Rebuild Iowa Infrastructure Fund, Technology Reinvestment Fund, and Renewable Fuel Infrastructure Fund, providing for related matters including financial assistance eligibility for Regional Sports Authority districts, Department of Health and Human Services information technology systems, the Railway Tracks Overpass and Underpass Fund, and eligibility for entities to receive financial assistance from both the Iowa Major Events and Tourism Fund and the Sports Tourism Infrastructure Program and including effective date provisions.

[Senate File 2484](#) is approved this date with the following exception:

Division VI would prohibit the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) from entering into, amending, or extending contracts, purchase orders, agreements, or other financial obligations exceeding \$5,000,000 — individually or collectively — for major information technology systems.

I share the legislature's commitment to responsible stewardship of taxpayer dollars, and I strongly support strategic, cost-effective IT modernization. In fact, I have directed the Department of Management and HHS to immediately conduct a thorough review of HHS spending as it relates to information technology modernization efforts and submit a report of their findings to the general assembly as soon as possible and no later than December 1, 2026.

However, the limiting provisions found within Division VI go too far. As written, it would effectively halt all major IT modernization efforts across HHS — producing widespread project delays that are neither fiscally responsible nor operationally acceptable. The harm goes far deeper than missed deadlines or deferred launches. In practical terms, this provision strips HHS of its routine ability to manage contracts already underway. Virtually every major HHS IT system will require some form of contract action during SFY2027 — an amendment, extension, task order, or similar action — simply to keep existing systems running.

Perhaps most urgently, Division VI's broad restrictions would jeopardize continued operation of major systems that are required by law to remain functional — including Medicaid claims processing, child support enforcement, and SNAP benefits issuance. Operational disruptions to these systems would not only impact Iowans directly, but would trigger independent federal compliance failures, some carrying substantial legal and financial penalties.

For the above reasons, I respectfully disapprove that part of [Senate File 2484](#) as specified above, in accordance with Article III, Section 16, of the Constitution of the State of Iowa. The remainder of [Senate File 2484](#) is approved as of this date.

Sincerely,

Kim Reynolds
Governor of Iowa

SENATE BILLS VETOED

[Senate File 2207](#)

June 2, 2026

The Honorable Paul Pate
Secretary of State of Iowa
State Capitol Building
LOCAL

Dear Mr. Secretary:

I hereby transmit [Senate File 2207](#), an Act relating to the submission of proposed legislation by the governor and state departments and agencies.

While I appreciate the intent of establishing earlier deadlines in the legislative drafting process, this legislation would significantly impair the ability of the Office of the Governor to fully develop and finalize legislative priorities ahead of each session.

While the original intent of this bill was to move up the deadline for departments and agencies of state government to submit proposed legislation and joint resolutions to the Legislative Services Agency from 45 days before the convening of the General Assembly to 60 days before the start of the session, the bill was amended to also move the Governor's Office deadline for submitting proposed legislation from the Friday before the convening of the General Assembly to 60 days before the start of session.

The period immediately preceding the convening of the General Assembly is one of the most important and intensive policy development periods of the year. During that time, agencies finalize recommendations, fiscal analyses are completed, stakeholder feedback is incorporated, and the Governor's Office prepares both the Condition of the State Address and the Governor's budget proposal, each of which is delivered during the opening week of session. These responsibilities necessarily inform and shape legislative proposals.

Advancing the submission deadline by an additional two months would substantially reduce the time available for thoughtful policy development and coordination across state government. It would hinder the executive branch's ability to respond to emerging issues, refine proposals based on updated information, and ensure legislation is aligned with the Governor's budget and policy priorities.

For the above reasons, I respectfully disapprove [Senate File 2207](#) as specified above, in accordance with Article III, Section 16, of the Constitution of the State of Iowa.

Sincerely,

Kim Reynolds
Governor of Iowa

[Senate File 2299](#)

June 2, 2026

The Honorable Paul Pate
Secretary of State of Iowa
State Capitol Building
LOCAL

Dear Mr. Secretary:

I hereby transmit [Senate File 2299](#), an Act relating to the district-to-community college sharing or concurrent enrollment program.

Concurrent enrollment programs play an important role in helping Iowa students earn college credit, explore career pathways, and prepare for future success. However, I am concerned [Senate File 2299](#) could discourage participation in these programs by allowing students and families to be charged when a course is failed or withdrawn.

Data show students eligible for free and reduced-price lunch (FRL) fail or withdraw from both online and face-to-face concurrent enrollment courses at more than double the rate of students who are not FRL eligible. At the same time, Iowa students who participate in concurrent enrollment are significantly more likely to pursue and complete postsecondary education. Introducing the possibility of financial liability may specifically discourage participation among economically disadvantaged students who often benefit most from these opportunities. Local school districts and community college partners are best positioned to address student completion challenges through intervention strategies tailored to the individual student. Iowa should strengthen academic assistance, advising, and early intervention strategies to help students successfully complete coursework rather than creating additional financial barriers for families.

Concurrent enrollment has expanded significantly across Iowa and now serves students pursuing a wide range of academic and workforce goals. As participation continues to grow, future legislatures should take a comprehensive look at the program as a whole rather than addressing individual issues one bill at a time.

Our focus should remain on expanding opportunities for students while ensuring these programs remain strong, sustainable, and accessible for all Iowa students.

For the above reasons, I respectfully disapprove [Senate File 2299](#) as specified above, in accordance with Article III, Section 16, of the Constitution of the State of Iowa.

Sincerely,

Kim Reynolds
Governor of Iowa

[Senate File 2320](#)

June 2, 2026

The Honorable Paul Pate
Secretary of State of Iowa
State Capitol Building
LOCAL

Dear Mr. Secretary:

I hereby transmit [Senate File 2320](#), an Act modifying provisions related to the district-to-community college sharing or concurrent enrollment program.

Concurrent enrollment programs provide Iowa students with valuable opportunities to earn college credit, explore career pathways and prepare for postsecondary success. As these programs continue to grow across Iowa, students and schools need access to high-quality coursework that meets local needs and workforce demands.

However, I am concerned [Senate File 2320](#) creates a one-size-fits-all statewide requirement without addressing broader concerns related to course quality, cost and student access.

In-person instruction often provides a stronger educational experience for students. Online coursework remains an important option in communities where course availability, scheduling conflicts, transportation challenges, or other circumstances may reduce student access. Iowa's community colleges should strengthen the quality and rigor of online concurrent enrollment coursework while preserving reasonable flexibility for students and schools.

Recent communications from school leaders demonstrate the practical challenges that may result from rigid statewide requirements. In some cases, students attending schools operating on quarterly schedules may be expected to attend concurrent enrollment courses in person at schools operating on different academic calendars and class schedules. Additional concerns have been raised about reduced course access and limited capacity to expand in-person concurrent enrollment offerings. In some cases, students may lose access to coursework opportunities altogether because equivalent in-person options are not realistically available.

As Iowa continues expanding educational options for students and families, policies related to concurrent enrollment should maintain appropriate flexibility while supporting high-quality instruction across delivery models. Questions related to course delivery and student access would benefit from a broader review of Iowa's concurrent enrollment system rather than statewide requirements focused on a single delivery model.

For the above reasons, I respectfully disapprove [Senate File 2320](#) as specified above, in accordance with Article III, Section 16, of the Constitution of the State of Iowa.

Sincerely,

Kim Reynolds
Governor of Iowa

[Senate File 2453](#)

June 2, 2026

The Honorable Paul Pate
Secretary of State of Iowa
State Capitol Building
LOCAL

Dear Mr. Secretary:

I hereby transmit [Senate File 2453](#), an Act providing for investment by regents institutions in certified innovation funds and including effective date provisions.

Iowa's regent universities and their affiliated foundations play an important role in supporting research, innovation, workforce development, and economic opportunity across our state. Iowa should continue encouraging strong partnerships between higher education, entrepreneurs, and private investment to support innovation and economic growth.

However, I am concerned [Senate File 2453](#) creates a statewide investment mandate on university foundation assets without adequately recognizing the independent fiduciary responsibilities of foundation boards and investment professionals based on donor intent, institutional priorities, market conditions, and long-term financial performance. Recent concerns raised by university stakeholders also demonstrate the uncertainty that may result from requiring specific investment allocations through statute.

Iowa should continue supporting innovation and economic development while preserving the flexibility necessary for university foundations to responsibly manage long-term investments in support of students, research, and institutional priorities.

For the above reasons, I respectfully disapprove [Senate File 2453](#) as specified above, in accordance with Article III, Section 16, of the Constitution of the State of Iowa.

Sincerely,

Kim Reynolds
Governor of Iowa

REPORTS OF THE SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

May 6, 2026

The Honorable Kim Reynolds
Governor of Iowa

Re: [Notice of Senate Disapprovals of Gubernatorial Nominees](#)

Dear Governor Reynolds:

On April 21, 2026, the Iowa Senate failed to approve the confirmations of Larry Johnson as Director of the Iowa Department of Health and Human Services and Todd Abrahamson to the State Board of Education.

Motions to reconsider were filed after both votes. When the Senate adjourned on May 3, 2026, votes on the motions to reconsider had not been taken. As such, pursuant to Senate Rule 24 the motions are deemed to have failed as an operation of procedure and thus do not impact any timelines in Iowa Code § 2.32.

If you have any questions or concerns, please notify me.

Sincerely,

/s/ W. Charles Smithson

W. Charles Smithson
Secretary of the Senate

May 11, 2026

The Honorable Paul Pate
Secretary of State
Hand-Delivered

Re: [Transmittal of Senate Joint Resolution 11](#)

Dear Secretary Pate:

Please find the accompanying [Senate Joint Resolution 11](#) for filing with your office that deals with a proposed amendment to Iowa's Constitution relating to requirements for certain state tax law changes. This is the companion resolution to [House Joint Resolution 2006](#) that was adopted on April 10, 2024.

Please note the directive under Section 2 of the Resolution concerning "SUBMISSION TO ELECTORATE" that triggers the appropriate provisions of Iowa Code chapters 49, 49A, and any other applicable election laws.

Pursuant to Joint Senate/House Rule 21(2), this specific type of "joint resolution" does not require consideration and signature by the Governor.

Sincerely,

W. Charles Smithson
Secretary of the Senate