

EXTRAORDINARY SESSION

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Wednesday, June 29, 1955

The Senate convened at 11:00 o'clock A. M., pursuant to adjournment on Tuesday, June 28, 1955.

The President in the Chair.

The roll was called and the following Senators answered to their names:

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

—37.

A quorum present.

Senator Tapper was excused from attendance upon the Session.

The following Prayer was offered by the Senate Chaplain, Reverend E. E. Snow:

Our Heavenly Father, shed forth Thy blessed Spirit richly on our Governor and all members of our Legislature today. Make each one of us an instrument in Thy hands for the good of our State and people. Purify our hearts, strengthen our minds and bodies, fill us with mutual friendliness and love. Let no pride, no self conceit, no rivalry, keep us from rendering the best possible service for Thee and our State.

Make us earnest and true, wise and prudent, giving no just cause for offense, and may Thy holy peace rest upon us this day, and every day, sweetening us in our difficulties, cheering us in our work, and keeping us steadfast and faithful to the end; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Senate daily Journal of Tuesday, June 28, 1955, was corrected and as corrected was approved.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, MEMORIALS, BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Senator Stratton—

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 13-X(55):

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CONCERNING RECESS OF THE EXTRAORDINARY SESSION OF THE LEGISLATURE OF FLORIDA.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING:

Section 1. That the time for recess of the extraordinary session of the legislature of Florida, be and the same is hereby fixed at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, June 30, 1955; thereafter to reconvene at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, September 28, 1955.

Section 2. No member of the legislature shall receive per diem during the recess of the extraordinary session, herein provided for.

Which was read the first time in full and referred to the Committee on Reapportionment.

By Senators Rogers, King, Carlton and Pope—

Senate Resolution No. 14-X(55):

A SENATE RESOLUTION RELATING TO ATTACHES.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA:

Section 1. That the employment of a personal secretary by each senator be discontinued on Friday, July 1, 1955, for the duration of the extraordinary session of the legislature.

Section 2. That a pool of not more than twelve (12) secretaries be established and made available for furnishing secretarial assistance to Senators during the remainder of the extraordinary session.

Which was read the first time in full and referred to the Committee on Legislative Management and Population.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be waived and Senate Resolution No. 14-X(55) be withdrawn from the Committee on Legislative Management and Population and placed on the Calendar.

A roll call was demanded.

Upon call of the roll on the motion made by Senator Rodgers, the vote was:

Yeas—16.

Baker	Carlton	Kicklitter	Pope
Barber	Gautier (28th)	King	Rodgers
Bronson	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Rood
Cabot	Houghton	Neblett	Stenstrom

Nays—17.

Mr. President	Connor	Getzen	Shands
Beall	Douglas	Hodges	Stratton
Black	Edwards	Melvin	
Carraway	Floyd	Pearce	
Clarke	Fraser	Phillips	

So the motion failed of adoption.

Senator Pearce moved that the Senate recess until 1:00 o'clock, P. M., this day.

Which was agreed to and the Senate recessed at 11:19 o'clock A. M., until 1:00 o'clock P. M., this day.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The Senate reconvened at 1:00 o'clock P. M., pursuant to recess order.

The President in the Chair.

The roll was called and the following Senators answered to their names:

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

—37.

A quorum present.

By permission the following Report of Committee was received:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE

Senator Carraway, Chairman of the Committee on Legislative Management and Population, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Resolution:

Senate Resolution No. 14-X(55)—

A SENATE RESOLUTION RELATING TO ATTACHES.

—and recommends that the same be adopted.

And the Resolution contained in the preceding report was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be waived and when the Senate adjourns at this session it adjourn to reconvene at 12:00 o'clock, Noon, Thursday, June 30, 1955.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote and it was so ordered.

Senator Shands moved that the Senate adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate stood adjourned at 2:08 o'clock P. M., until 12:00 o'clock, Noon, Thursday, June 30, 1955, pursuant to the motion made by Senator Shands.