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House Chamber, Lansing, Wednesday, April 13, 2022.

1:30 p.m.

The House was called to order by Associate Speaker Pro Tempore Lightner.

The roll was called by the Clerk of the House of Representatives, who announced that a quorum was present.

Aiyash—present	Coleman—present	LaFave—present	Rogers—present
Albert—present	Damoose—present	LaGrand—present	Roth—present
Alexander—present	Eisen—present	Lasinski—present	Sabo—present
Allor—excused	Ellison—present	Liberati—present	Scott—present
Anthony—present	Farrington—present	Lightner—present	Shannon—present
Beeler—present	Filler—present	Lilly—present	Slagh—present
Bellino—present	Fink—present	Maddock—present	Sneller—present
Berman—present	Frederick—present	Manoogian—present	Sowerby—present
Beson—present	Garza—excused	Marino—present	Steckloff—present
Bezotte—present	Glenn—present	Markkanen—present	Steenland—present
Bolden—present	Green—present	Martin—present	Stone—present
Bollin—present	Griffin—present	Meerman—present	Tate—present
Borton—present	Haadsma—present	Morse—present	Thanedar—present
Brabec—present	Hall—present	Mueller—present	Tisdell—present
Brann—present	Hauck—present	Neeley—present	VanSingel—present
Breen—present	Hertel—present	O’Malley—present	VanWaoerkom—present
Brixie—present	Hoitenga—present	O’Neal—present	Wakeman—present
Calley—present	Hood—present	Outman—present	Weiss—present
Cambensy—present	Hope—present	Paquette—present	Wendzel—present
Camilleri—present	Hornberger—present	Peterson—present	Wentworth—present
Carra—present	Howell—excused	Pohutsky—present	Whiteford—present
Carter, B—present	Johnson, C—present	Posthumus—present	Whitsett—excused
Carter, T—present	Johnson, S—present	Puri—present	Witwer—present
Cavanagh—present	Jones—present	Rabhi—present	Yancey—present
Cherry—present	Kahle—present	Reilly—present	Yaroch—present
Clemente—present	Koleszar—present	Rendon—present	Young—present
Clements—present	Kuppa—present		

e/d/s = entered during session

Rep. Padma Kuppa, from the 41st District, offered the following invocation:

“As we gather for session, let us acknowledge the beauty of our multi-religious nation, the many faiths practiced by our constituents across our great state, our multifaith chamber, and the hope that pluralism brings to all who practice it.

Let us be grateful today for this holy week and, in fact, this holy month.

Muslims are observing the holy month of Ramadan until May 2 with daily fasts, community events, prayers, and acts of charity. Ramadan commemorates the revelation of the Quran, the Muslim holy book.

Jewish people celebrate Passover from April 15 to April 22 to commemorate the anniversary of their exodus from Egyptian slavery, and celebrate freedom.

April 2 was Ugadi or Gudi Padwa. Ugadi is derived from the Sanskrit words yuga (age) and adi (starting) — ‘the beginning of a new age’ — and this Hindu ‘new year’ is celebrated predominantly by people who speak Telugu, Kannada, and Marathi. April 14 was Sri Ram Navami when Hindus who celebrate it participate in charitable giving and hold community meals.

Tomorrow, April 14, is the festival of Vaisakhi, one of the most important dates in the Sikh calendar. Originally celebrated by Hindus and Sikhs as a spring harvest festival in northern India, in 1699 Guru Gobind Singh chose this date to establish the Sikh Khalsa — the collective name for Sikhs who have been initiated into the faith.

Easter is Sunday, the culmination of Lent, 40 days of prayer and fasting, the last week of which commemorates Jesus Christ’s Last Supper, suffering, crucifixion, and death. The death and resurrection of Jesus Christ is the loving act of God the Father through the sacrifice of God’s son, Jesus. This is a Holy Day filled with hope.

The Baha’i Festival of Ridvan (Riz-van) begins on April 21. Ridvan means Paradise and represents a spiritual springtime when God’s revelations to humanity are once again renewed and refreshed.

To close our invocation, a few lines translated and taken from the Hindu prayer Maithreem Bhajatha, sung in 1966 at the U.N. General Assembly, written in Sanskrit by His Holiness Paramacharya of Kanchi Sri Chandhrashekara Saraswathi:

**Serve with Friendship and Humility,  
which will win over the Hearts of Everyone.  
Look upon others as similar to yourself;  
Live with restraint, be charitable and kind to others.  
May All People of this World be Happy and Prosperous.”**

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The Speaker Pro Tempore assumed the Chair.

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Rep. Rabhi moved that Reps. Garza and Whitsett be excused from today’s session.  
The motion prevailed.

Rep. Frederick moved that Reps. Allor and Howell be excused from today’s session.  
The motion prevailed.

### Third Reading of Bills

#### House Bill No. 5569, entitled

A bill to amend 1846 RS 14, entitled “Of county officers,” by amending section 77 (MCL 51.77), as amended by 1982 PA 313.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of the members serving voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

**Roll Call No. 157**

**Yeas—101**

Aiyash	Coleman	LaFave	Rendon
Albert	Damoose	LaGrand	Rogers
Alexander	Eisen	Lasinski	Roth
Anthony	Ellison	Liberati	Sabo
Beeler	Farrington	Lightner	Scott
Bellino	Filler	Lilly	Shannon
Berman	Fink	Maddock	Slagh
Beson	Frederick	Manoogian	Sneller
Bezotte	Glenn	Marino	Steckloff
Bolden	Green	Markkanen	Steenland
Bollin	Griffin	Martin	Stone
Borton	Haadsma	Meerman	Tate
Brabec	Hall	Morse	Thanedar
Brann	Hauck	Mueller	Tisdell
Breen	Hertel	Neeley	VanSingel
Brixie	Hoitenga	O'Malley	VanWoerkom
Calley	Hood	O'Neal	Wakeman
Cambensy	Hope	Outman	Weiss
Camilleri	Hornberger	Paquette	Wendzel
Carra	Johnson, C	Peterson	Wentworth
Carter, B	Johnson, S	Pohutsky	Whiteford
Carter, T	Jones	Posthumus	Witwer
Cavanagh	Kahle	Puri	Yancey
Cherry	Koleszar	Rabhi	Yaroch
Clemente	Kuppa	Reilly	Young
Clements			

**Nays—1**

Sowerby

In The Chair: Hornberger

The House agreed to the title of the bill.  
 Rep. Frederick moved that the bill be given immediate effect.  
 The motion prevailed, 2/3 of the members serving voting therefor.

**House Bill No. 5732, entitled**

A bill to amend 1998 PA 58, entitled “Michigan liquor control code of 1998,” by amending section 1201 (MCL 436.2201).

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of the members serving voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

**Roll Call No. 158**

**Yeas—91**

Albert	Clemente	Kahle	Puri
Alexander	Clements	Koleszar	Reilly
Anthony	Coleman	Kuppa	Rendon
Beeler	Damoose	LaFave	Rogers

Bellino	Eisen	LaGrand	Roth
Berman	Ellison	Liberati	Sabo
Beson	Farrington	Lightner	Shannon
Bezotte	Filler	Lilly	Slagh
Bolden	Fink	Maddock	Sneller
Bollin	Frederick	Manoogian	Steckloff
Borton	Glenn	Marino	Steenland
Brabec	Green	Markkanen	Tate
Brann	Griffin	Martin	Thanedar
Breen	Haadsma	Meerman	Tisdell
Brixie	Hall	Morse	VanSingel
Calley	Hauck	Mueller	VanWoerkom
Cambensy	Hertel	Neeley	Wakeman
Camilleri	Hoitenga	O'Malley	Wendzel
Carra	Hood	O'Neal	Wentworth
Carter, B	Hope	Outman	Whiteford
Carter, T	Hornberger	Paquette	Witwer
Cavanagh	Johnson, S	Peterson	Yaroch
Cherry	Jones	Posthumus	

**Nays—11**

Aiyash	Pohutsky	Sowerby	Yancey
Johnson, C	Rabhi	Stone	Young
Lasinski	Scott	Weiss	

In The Chair: Hornberger

The House agreed to the title of the bill.

Rep. Frederick moved that the bill be given immediate effect.

The motion prevailed, 2/3 of the members serving voting therefor.

**House Bill No. 5772, entitled**

A bill to amend 1961 PA 236, entitled "Revised judicature act of 1961," by amending section 181 (MCL 600.181), as amended by 2016 PA 292.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of the members serving voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

**Roll Call No. 159****Yeas—75**

Albert	Damoose	Koleszar	Rendon
Alexander	Eisen	Kuppa	Roth
Anthony	Farrington	LaFave	Sabo
Beeler	Filler	LaGrand	Shannon
Bellino	Fink	Liberati	Slagh
Berman	Frederick	Lightner	Steckloff
Beson	Glenn	Lilly	Steenland
Bezotte	Green	Maddock	Tate
Bolden	Griffin	Marino	Thanedar
Bollin	Haadsma	Markkanen	Tisdell
Borton	Hall	Martin	VanSingel
Brann	Hauck	Meerman	VanWoerkom

Breen	Hertel	Mueller	Wakeman
Calley	Hoitenga	O'Malley	Wendzel
Cambensy	Hope	O'Neal	Wentworth
Camilleri	Hornberger	Outman	Whiteford
Carra	Johnson, S	Paquette	Witwer
Clements	Jones	Posthumus	Yaroch
Coleman	Kahle	Reilly	

**Nays—27**

Aiyash	Clemente	Neeley	Sneller
Brabec	Ellison	Peterson	Sowerby
Brixie	Hood	Pohutsky	Stone
Carter, B	Johnson, C	Puri	Weiss
Carter, T	Lasinski	Rabhi	Yancey
Cavanagh	Manoogian	Rogers	Young
Cherry	Morse	Scott	

In The Chair: Hornberger

The House agreed to the title of the bill.

Rep. Frederick moved that the bill be given immediate effect.

The motion prevailed, 2/3 of the members serving voting therefor.

**House Bill No. 5773, entitled**

A bill to amend 1949 PA 300, entitled "Michigan vehicle code," by amending section 907 (MCL 257.907), as amended by 2020 PA 382.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of the members serving voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

**Roll Call No. 160****Yeas—75**

Albert	Damoose	Koleszar	Rendon
Alexander	Eisen	Kuppa	Roth
Anthony	Farrington	LaFave	Sabo
Beeler	Filler	LaGrand	Shannon
Bellino	Fink	Liberati	Slagh
Berman	Frederick	Lightner	Steckloff
Beson	Glenn	Lilly	Steenland
Bezotte	Green	Maddock	Tate
Bolden	Griffin	Marino	Thanedar
Bollin	Haadsma	Markkanen	Tisdell
Borton	Hall	Martin	VanSingel
Brann	Hauck	Meerman	VanWoerkom
Breen	Hertel	Mueller	Wakeman
Calley	Hoitenga	O'Malley	Wendzel
Cambensy	Hope	O'Neal	Wentworth
Camilleri	Hornberger	Outman	Whiteford
Carra	Johnson, S	Paquette	Witwer
Clements	Jones	Posthumus	Yaroch
Coleman	Kahle	Reilly	

**Nays—27**

Aiyash	Clemente	Neeley	Sneller
Brabec	Ellison	Peterson	Sowerby
Brixie	Hood	Pohutsky	Stone
Carter, B	Johnson, C	Puri	Weiss
Carter, T	Lasinski	Rabhi	Yancey
Cavanagh	Manoogian	Rogers	Young
Cherry	Morse	Scott	

In The Chair: Hornberger

The House agreed to the title of the bill.  
Rep. Frederick moved that the bill be given immediate effect.  
The motion prevailed, 2/3 of the members serving voting therefor.

**House Bill No. 5777, entitled**

A bill to amend 1976 PA 451, entitled “The revised school code,” (MCL 380.1 to 380.1852) by adding section 1705.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of the members serving voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

**Roll Call No. 161**

**Yeas—92**

Aiyash	Damoose	Lasinski	Sabo
Albert	Eisen	Liberati	Scott
Anthony	Ellison	Lightner	Shannon
Bellino	Farrington	Lilly	Slagh
Beson	Filler	Manoogian	Sneller
Bezotte	Fink	Marino	Sowerby
Bolden	Frederick	Markkanen	Steckloff
Bollin	Glenn	Martin	Steenland
Borton	Green	Morse	Stone
Brabec	Griffin	Mueller	Tate
Brann	Haadsma	Neeley	Thanedar
Breen	Hall	O’Malley	Tisdell
Brixie	Hauck	O’Neal	VanSingel
Calley	Hertel	Outman	VanWoerkom
Cambensy	Hood	Paquette	Wakeman
Camilleri	Hope	Peterson	Weiss
Carter, B	Johnson, C	Pohutsky	Wendzel
Carter, T	Jones	Posthumus	Wentworth
Cavanagh	Kahle	Puri	Whiteford
Cherry	Koleszar	Rabhi	Witwer
Clemente	Kuppa	Rendon	Yancey
Clements	LaFave	Rogers	Yaroch
Coleman	LaGrand	Roth	Young

**Nays—10**

Alexander	Carra	Johnson, S	Meerman
Beeler	Hoitenga	Maddock	Reilly
Berman	Hornberger		

In The Chair: Hornberger

The House agreed to the title of the bill.  
Rep. Frederick moved that the bill be given immediate effect.  
The motion prevailed, 2/3 of the members serving voting therefor.

**House Bill No. 5875, entitled**

A bill to amend 1939 PA 280, entitled “The social welfare act,” by amending section 109 (MCL 400.109), as amended by 2018 PA 315.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of the members serving voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

**Roll Call No. 162**

**Yeas—99**

Aiyash	Coleman	LaGrand	Roth
Albert	Damoose	Lasinski	Sabo
Alexander	Eisen	Liberati	Scott
Anthony	Ellison	Lightner	Shannon
Beeler	Farrington	Lilly	Slagh
Bellino	Filler	Maddock	Sneller
Beson	Fink	Manoogian	Sowerby
Bezotte	Frederick	Marino	Steckloff
Bolden	Glenn	Markkanen	Steenland
Bollin	Green	Martin	Stone
Borton	Griffin	Meerman	Tate
Brabec	Haadsma	Morse	Thanedar
Brann	Hall	Mueller	Tisdell
Breen	Hauck	Neeley	VanSingel
Brixie	Hertel	O’Malley	VanWoerkom
Calley	Hoitenga	O’Neal	Wakeman
Cambensy	Hood	Outman	Weiss
Camilleri	Hope	Paquette	Wendzel
Carra	Hornberger	Peterson	Wentworth
Carter, B	Johnson, C	Pohutsky	Whiteford
Carter, T	Jones	Posthumus	Witwer
Cavanagh	Kahle	Puri	Yancey
Cherry	Koleszar	Rabhi	Yaroch
Clemente	Kuppa	Rendon	Young
Clements	LaFave	Rogers	

**Nays—3**

Berman	Johnson, S	Reilly
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In The Chair: Hornberger

The House agreed to the title of the bill.  
Rep. Frederick moved that the bill be given immediate effect.  
The motion prevailed, 2/3 of the members serving voting therefor.

By unanimous consent the House returned to the order of

**Motions and Resolutions**

Reps. Calley, Aiyash, Brabec, Breen, Haadsma, Hood, Hope, Kahle, Koleszar, Kuppa, Lightner, Morse, Pohutsky, Rogers, Sabo, Sneller, Thanedar, Weiss and Young offered the following resolution:

**House Resolution No. 266.**

A resolution to declare April 2022 as Autism Awareness Month in the state of Michigan.

Whereas, Autism refers to a range of conditions characterized by challenges with social skills, repetitive behaviors, speech, and nonverbal communication, as well as by unique strengths and differences. In 2013, the American Psychiatric Association merged four previously distinct diagnoses into one umbrella diagnosis of autism spectrum disorder (ASD). These included autistic disorder, childhood disintegrative disorder, pervasive developmental disorder-not otherwise specified (PDD-NOS), and Asperger syndrome. It is the result of a neurological disorder that affects the normal functioning of the brain that is believed to be caused by genetic and environmental factors; and

Whereas, Families living with autism face unique challenges and frequently experience significant financial costs for specialized education and support services. The uniqueness of each individual with autism makes the experience of living with autism different for each family; and

Whereas, Autism is a lifelong condition and the necessary support and treatment changes as people on the spectrum move through major life phases. Their quality of life depends not only upon the foundation that is provided in childhood, but on ongoing supports that are specific to the educational, medical, social, recreational, family, and employment needs of the individual; and

Whereas, Autism knows no racial, ethnic, social boundaries, family income, lifestyle, or educational levels and can affect any family and any child. Autism is the fastest-growing developmental disability in the United States and it is estimated that it is prevalent in 1 in every 59 children under the age of 8 and is four times more likely to occur in boys than in girls; and

Whereas, April 2022 is National Autism Awareness Month; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the members of this legislative body declare April 2022 as Autism Awareness Month in the state of Michigan.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution,

The resolution was adopted.

Reps. Manoogian, Brabec, Breen, Haadsma, Hood, Hope, Koleszar, Kuppa, Morse, Pohutsky, Rogers, Sabo, Sneller, Stone, Thanedar, Weiss and Young offered the following resolution:

**House Resolution No. 267.**

A resolution to declare April 24, 2022 as a Day of Remembrance in the state of Michigan for the Armenian Genocide of 1915-1923.

Whereas, With the passage of Public Act 58 of 2002, the state of Michigan has legally recognized that the Armenian Genocide occurred from 1915 to 1923. Beginning on April 24, 1915, Armenians, – as well as Greeks, Assyrian-Chaldeans, Syrians, Arameans, Maronites, and other Christians, were subject to torture, starvation, mass murder, lethal human medical experimentation, and exile from their historic homeland. Over 1.5 million lost their lives. The Armenian Genocide represented a deliberate attempt by the Ottoman Empire to eliminate all traces of an ancient, thriving, and noble civilization that had lived in these regions for millennia; and

Whereas, The majority of the Armenian population was displaced from their homes and forced to escape to neighboring and faraway communities and countries, many refugees fled to the United States. Today, Michigan is honored to be home to a vibrant Armenian-American population of more than 17,000 Michiganders. This thriving community is a proud reminder of survival and perseverance in the face of extreme injustice; and

Whereas, Michigan Armenian American churches and community organization have organized numerous charity and community drives across the state, including, but not limited to, providing college scholarships for deserving students and serving Armenian refugee communities across the state; and

Whereas, In 2015, on the 100th anniversary of the Armenian Genocide, the Armenian Church canonized the 1.5 million Armenians who were killed in the Armenian Genocide as saints–holy martyrs who died for their faith and homeland; and

Whereas, Both houses of the 116th Congress of the United States voted to commemorate and recognize the atrocities of the Armenian Genocide, rejected efforts to associate the United States government with those that deny the existence of the Armenian Genocide or any genocide, and encourage education and public understanding about the Armenian Genocide; and

Whereas, In 2021, President Joseph R. Biden, Jr. became only the second president after President Ronald Reagan to officially recognize the Armenian Genocide by name and the first to do so in a Presidential Proclamation. This proclamation declared the Armenian Genocide as a fact of United States policy, and validated the experiences of the survivors, family members and descendants of survivors, and those whose lives were taken during the Armenian Genocide as fact; and

Whereas, As the world's first modern genocide, the Armenian Genocide has served as a model for other mass atrocities across the past century, including, but not limited to, the Holocaust, the genocide of Cambodians by the Khmer Rouge, the Rwandan Genocide, the Bosnian Genocide, the genocide of the Yazidis by the Islamic State, and the Rohingya Genocide; and



Whereas, Some governments, such as those of the Republic of Turkey and Republic of Azerbaijan, continue to deny the occurrence of the Armenian Genocide or the involvement of the Ottoman government in its planning or execution. These governments continue to engage in what is commonly referred to as the tenth stage of genocide, denial, further inflicting this heinous, cruel act on Armenians and Armenian-Americans. Moreover, by destroying Armenian cities, churches, and cultural sites within the Republic of Armenia, Republic of Artsakh, and Turkey, the Turkish and Azeri governments continue their campaigns to erase Armenian cultural heritage and existence within their own historic homeland in the Caucasus. Ongoing incursions into Artsakh and the Republic of Armenia by the Republic of Azerbaijan have resulted in the deaths of countless innocent Armenians and Artsakhtsis, reminding us of the cost of engaging in government denial of genocide; and

Whereas, By recognizing and consistently remembering the Armenian Genocide, the Holocaust, and all cases of past and ongoing genocide, we help to protect historic memory, ensure that similar atrocities do not occur again, and remain vigilant against hatred, persecution, and tyranny. The Armenian community of Michigan has used its deep understanding of historic pain and dispersal to stand constantly and consistently alongside other persecuted communities in Michigan and around the world; and

Whereas, Armenian, Assyrian-Chaldean, Greek, Syriac, Aramean, and Maronite communities around the world commemorate the tragedy of the Armenian Genocide on April 24, 2022. On this day, we honor the holy martyrs of the Armenian Church who were killed during the Genocide, the survivors of the Genocide and their descendants, and reaffirm our commitment to preventing future atrocities from being committed against any people; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the members of this legislative body declare April 24, 2022 as a Day of Remembrance in the state of Michigan for the Armenian Genocide of 1915-1923.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution,

The resolution was adopted.

Reps. Hope, Aiyash, Brabec, Breen, Haadsma, Hood, Kuppa, Morse, Rogers, Sneller, Sowerby, Stone, Thanedar, Weiss and Young offered the following resolution:

**House Resolution No. 268.**

A resolution to declare April 16, 2022, as Healthcare Decisions Day in the state of Michigan.

Whereas, National Healthcare Decisions Day is April 16, 2022, and is designed to raise public awareness of the need to plan ahead for healthcare decisions related to end-of-life care and medical decision-making whenever patients are unable to speak for themselves and to encourage the specific use of advance directives to communicate these important healthcare decisions; and

Whereas, It is estimated that only about 20 percent of people in Michigan have executed an advance directive, in part due to a lack of knowledge about advance directives and considerable public confusion arising from advance directives that are often written in difficult to understand legal and medical terms; and

Whereas, Easy-to-understand advance directives that are written in plain language, such as those provided by Five Wishes and distributed by the non-profit organization Aging with Dignity, are desirable because they enable completion and foster important family discussions; and

Whereas, Because Five Wishes is available in 30 languages, citizens of our ethnic and culturally diverse state can state their wishes about comfort, dignity, and the personal, family, and spiritual issues that matter most; and

Whereas, Michigan citizens can complete an advanced directive and submit it to the statewide registry called Peace of Mind; and

Whereas, One of the principal goals of Healthcare Decisions Day is to encourage hospitals, nursing homes, assisted living facilities, continuing care retirement communities, and hospices to participate in a statewide effort to provide clear and consistent information to the public about advance directives and increase the number of Michigan residents with advance directives; and

Whereas, Many of the Michigan healthcare, business, faith-based groups, and senior services organizations have demonstrated commendable leadership in furthering patient and caregiver-focused advance care planning, and are committed to educating the public about the importance of discussing healthcare choices and completing advance directives; and

Whereas, As a result of April 16, 2022, being recognized as Healthcare Decisions Day throughout Michigan, more citizens will have conversations about their healthcare decisions; more citizens will execute advance directives to make their wishes known; and fewer families and healthcare providers will have to struggle with making difficult healthcare decisions in the absence of guidance from the patient; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the members of this legislative body declare April 16, 2022, as Healthcare Decisions Day in the state of Michigan. We call this observance to the attention of all citizens.  
The question being on the adoption of the resolution,  
The resolution was adopted.

Reps. Pohutsky, Aiyash, Brabec, Breen, Haadsma, Hood, Kuppa, Morse, Rogers, Sneller, Sowerby, Stone, Thanedar, Weiss and Young offered the following resolution:

**House Resolution No. 269.**

A resolution to declare April 10, 2022, as Michigan Youth HIV and AIDS Awareness Day in the state of Michigan.

Whereas, By end of December 2020, there were 17,348 Michiganders living with HIV, of which 522 had recently received an HIV diagnosis; and

Whereas, By end of December 2020, roughly 1% of all Michiganders living with HIV were youth 19 years old and under and 12% of all Michiganders living with HIV were people aged 20 to 29; and

Whereas, We must combat HIV misinformation and stigmatization surrounding a young person's HIV diagnosis, spread, and treatment; and

Whereas, Michigan youth disproportionately face barriers to HIV education, prevention, and treatment, with barriers including insufficient knowledge, finances, health insurance, and transportation; conflicting open hours of health care clinics during school or work times; fear of or experienced stigma and shame from medical providers and loved ones; and forced parental consent mandates for HIV medications; and

Whereas, Effective HIV care, treatment, prevention methods, and HIV medications such as Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis (PrEP) and Post-Exposure Prophylaxis (PEP); and

Whereas, Young people are least likely to be aware of an HIV infection, and least likely be to retained in HIV care and have a suppressed viral load, thereby increasing the likelihood of spread of HIV amongst youth; and

Whereas, Michigan youth cannot access prophylaxis (PrEP), a daily pill which reduces the risk of getting HIV from sex by 99% when taken as prescribed, without parental consent; and

Whereas, Michigan youth deserve to learn medically accurate information regarding medications that can be used to prevent the spread of HIV; and

Whereas, Michigan youth deserve access to non-judgmental, affirming, and affordable HIV education, care, treatment, and prevention within their communities; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the members of this legislative body declare April 10, 2022, as Michigan Youth HIV and AIDS Awareness Day in the state of Michigan.

The resolution was referred to the Committee on Health Policy.

Reps. Aiyash, Rabhi, Brabec, Breen, Haadsma, Hood, Hope, Koleszar, Kuppa, Morse, Pohutsky, Rogers, Sneller, Sowerby, Stone, Thanedar, Weiss and Young offered the following resolution:

**House Resolution No. 270.**

A resolution to declare April 2022 as Arab-American Heritage Month in the state of Michigan.

Whereas, At least 200,000 Arab-Americans reside in the state of Michigan; and

Whereas, Michigan is home to the highest concentration of Arab-Americans in the United States; and

Whereas, Arab-Americans have been an integral part of the state of Michigan since their migration to the United States in the early 1900s in search for a destination that will better provide political, economic, and religious freedom; and

Whereas, Since migrating to the United States, men and women of Arab descent have shared their rich culture and traditions with neighbors and friends, while also setting fine examples of model citizens and public servants; and

Whereas, The economic capabilities and political involvement on all levels of government are a testament to the power of the Arab-American community; and

Whereas, Arab migrants to the United States brought with them their resilient family values, strong work ethic, dedication to education, and diversity in faith and creed that have added strength to our great democracy; and

Whereas, The vast contributions of the Arab-American community in the fields of academia, business, medicine, science, and social justice continue to make our state a better place to live; and

Whereas, The working class population of this community has played a pivotal role in the establishment of industrial force that our state is known for today; and

Whereas, Arab Americans join all Americans in the desire to see a peaceful and diverse society, where every individual is treated equally and feels safe; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the members of this legislative body declare April 2022 as Arab-American Heritage Month in the state of Michigan.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution,

The resolution was adopted.

Reps. Aiyash, Rabhi, Brabec, Breen, Haadsma, Hood, Hope, Koleszar, Kuppa, Morse, Pohutsky, Rogers, Sneller, Stone, Thanedar, Weiss and Young offered the following resolution:

**House Resolution No. 271.**

A resolution to extend best wishes to Muslims in Michigan, the United States, and worldwide, for a joyous and meaningful observance of Ramadan, a holy month of prayer, fasting, charity, and reflection.

Whereas, This occasion is observed in commitment to the Islamic principles and in remembrance of the month in which the holy Quran was revealed to Prophet Muhammad (PBUH); and

Whereas, This month of sacrifice and contemplation begins on the evening of Friday, April 1, 2022, based on the visual sightings of the crescent moon. Ramadan continues until the evening of Monday, May 2, 2022, with Eid al-Fitr, the celebration of the completion of the month; and

Whereas, Muslims in Michigan, our nation, and around the world will observe Ramadan by fasting, emphasizing self-discipline, worship, charity, and reading the Holy Quran to improve patience, humility, and spirituality; and

Whereas, Muslims in Michigan will put their faith into action by organizing the Ramadan Fight Against Hunger to collect and distribute over 55 tons of food to the state's hungry and disadvantaged; and

Whereas, During Ramadan, Muslims spend this period in reflection and prayer while strengthening the bonds of family, friendship, and community. Ramadan is considered the most sacred month of the Islamic calendar; and

Whereas, The Muslim population has been growing in the United States and today's Muslim American population is a tapestry of ethnic, racial, linguistic, social, and economic groups; and

Whereas, One of the largest populations of Muslims in the United States resides in Michigan and makes meaningful contributions to our state; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by House of Representatives, That the members of this legislative body extend best wishes to Muslims in Michigan, the United States, and worldwide, for a joyous and meaningful observance of Ramadan, a holy month of prayer, fasting, charity, and reflection.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution,

The resolution was adopted.

Reps. Shannon, Aiyash, Brabec, Breen, Haadsma, Hood, Hope, Koleszar, Kuppa, Lightner, Morse, Rogers, Sabo, Sneller, Sowerby, Stone, Thanedar and Young offered the following resolution:

**House Resolution No. 272.**

A resolution to create a House select committee to study highway flooding and roadway climate resiliency.

Whereas, Climate change presents a significant and growing risk to the safety and resilience of Michigan's transportation infrastructure. Recent flooding events have resulted in closures, traffic congestion, and damaged roads, threatening the safety, health, economy, and well-being of the people of this state. Taking steps to mitigate these problems and adapt to changing weather patterns requires a comprehensive accounting of the problem and the available policy options; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the House select committee to study highway flooding and roadway climate resiliency is created. The select committee shall place a particular focus on studying the highway flooding and roadway climate resiliency of Southeast Michigan. The select committee shall consist of eight members. Four members of the select committee shall be from the House Republican Caucus selected by the Speaker of the House and four members of the select committee shall be from the House Democratic Caucus selected by the House Minority Leader; and be it further

Resolved, That members of the House select committee shall serve without compensation, but shall be entitled to actual and necessary travel and other expenses incurred in the performance of official duties, to be paid from the appropriation to the House of Representatives; and be it further

Resolved, That the House select committee shall report its findings and recommendations to the House of Representatives.

The resolution was referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

Rep. Frederick moved that House Committees be given leave to meet during the balance of today’s session. The motion prevailed.

Rep. Frederick moved that when the House adjourns Thursday, April 14 it stand adjourned until Tuesday, April 26, at 1:30 p.m. The motion prevailed.

**Announcement by the Clerk of Printing and Enrollment**

The Clerk announced that the following bills had been reproduced and made available electronically on Tuesday, April 12:

**House Bill Nos. 5982 5983 5984 5985 5986 5987 5988 5989 5990 5991 5992 5993 5994 5995 5996 5997 5998 5999 6000 6001 6002 6003 6004 6005 6006 6007 6008 6009**

The Clerk announced that the following bill had been reproduced and made available electronically on Wednesday, April 13:

**Senate Bill No. 1005**

**Reports of Standing Committees**

The Committee on Rules and Competitiveness, by Rep. Lilly, Chair, reported

**House Bill No. 5477, entitled**

A bill to regulate the preparation, distribution, and sale of kratom products; to prohibit the preparation, distribution, and sale of adulterated or contaminated kratom products; to provide for the powers and duties of certain state governmental officers and entities; to prescribe fines and penalties; and to provide remedies.

With the recommendation that the substitute (H-2) be adopted and that the bill then pass.

The bill and substitute were referred to the order of Second Reading of Bills.

**Favorable Roll Call**

To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Lilly, Clements, Bellino, Calley, Wendzel, Damoose, Posthumus, Anthony, Hertel, Sneller and Kuppa

Nays: None

**COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT**

The following report, submitted by Rep. Lilly, Chair, of the Committee on Rules and Competitiveness, was received and read:

Meeting held on: Wednesday, April 13, 2022

Present: Reps. Lilly, Clements, Bellino, Calley, Wendzel, Damoose, Posthumus, Anthony, Hertel, Sneller and Kuppa

**Messages from the Senate**

**House Bill No. 4252, entitled**

A bill to amend 1993 PA 354, entitled “Railroad code of 1993,” by amending section 315 (MCL 462.315), as amended by 2012 PA 421.

The Senate has passed the bill, ordered that it be given immediate effect and pursuant to Joint Rule 20, inserted the full title.

The House agreed to the full title.

The bill was referred to the Clerk for enrollment printing and presentation to the Governor.

### Introduction of Bills

Rep. Slagh introduced

**House Bill No. 6010, entitled**

A bill to amend 1980 PA 299, entitled “Occupational code,” by amending section 1201 (MCL 339.1201), as amended by 2020 PA 20.

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Regulatory Reform.

Reps. Albert, Bellino, Markkanen, Slagh, Beeler, Frederick, Steven Johnson, Martin, Clements, Brann, Hoitenga, Griffin, Calley, Bezotte, Bollin, Eisen, Lightner, Farrington, Hauck, Green, Whiteford, Wakeman, VanWoerkom, Carra, Damoose, Tisdell, Allor, Fink, Marino, Maddock, Roth, Borton, LaFave, Posthumus, Yaroch, Meerman, Outman, Hall, Mueller and Hornberger introduced

**House Bill No. 6011, entitled**

A bill to amend 1939 PA 280, entitled “The social welfare act,” by amending section 111e (MCL 400.111e), as amended by 1986 PA 227.

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Health Policy.

Rep. Hornberger introduced

**House Bill No. 6012, entitled**

A bill to amend 1979 PA 94, entitled “The state school aid act of 1979,” by amending section 11 (MCL 388.1611), as amended by 2021 PA 48, and by adding section 11w.

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Rep. Hornberger introduced

**House Bill No. 6013, entitled**

A bill to amend 1976 PA 451, entitled “The revised school code,” (MCL 380.1 to 380.1852) by adding section 1531e.

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Education.

Rep. Hornberger introduced

**House Bill No. 6014, entitled**

A bill to amend 1979 PA 94, entitled “The state school aid act of 1979,” by amending section 101 (MCL 388.1701), as amended by 2021 PA 48.

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Education.

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Rep. Thanedar moved that the House adjourn.

The motion prevailed, the time being 2:55 p.m.

The Speaker Pro Tempore declared the House adjourned until Thursday, April 14, at 12:00 Noon.

GARY L. RANDALL  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

