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The House met pursuant to adjournment.

Speaker Jones in the Chair.

Prayer by D. Adam Crumbliss, Chief Clerk

Lord Our God:

What can happen in two years? As 161 lives were lost and a town destroyed, humanity seeks You, and I ask what can happen in two years?

Humanity seeks You as our travel to the heavens through the Space Shuttle program concluded. We seek You as the Higgs-Boson is recreated for the first time by human hands. Humanity seeks You as snowstorms bring the most advanced civilizations to a standstill. We seek You as an Arab spring rises and old dictatorships give way to new fledgling governments. We seek You as humanity surpasses seven billion but our capacities are unable to end hunger or prevent the casualties of a Japanese nuclear catastrophe. Humanity seeks You as earthquakes, bombings, hurricanes and collisions cease the lives of thousands. We seek You as nations witness the transitions of democratically-elected leaders with hesitancy, both foreign and domestic. Humanity seeks You as we search for common purpose through Olympic sport, a Diamond Jubilee, and the first solar-powered transcontinental flight. Humanity seeks You as we explore new depths in our worldly home at Challenger Deep. We seek You as a 35-year old Voyager 1 reaches the end of our solar system and passes into interstellar space. We seek You as the Mayan calendar reaches its natural end all the while our planet avoids cosmically-near collision with asteroids. Humanity seeks You as the Papal leadership transitions from one to another, as Benedict gives way to Francis. We seek You as we learn new things like sequestration and Benghazi, even as the Dow Jones surpasses 15,000. Humanity seeks You as the peaceful armistice of Korea is brought to an abrupt end and weapons of destruction are exercised.

Nearly two years to the day, another small God-fearing town was ripped to shreds by the winds of change, and I humbly ask again today what can happen in two years?

Lord, You spared my family that fateful day two years ago and I answer—the miracle of Your love has happened in these two years. Lord our God, You have restored Joplin and rebuilt a community. You have reminded the masses of our capacity to love. You have brought together a new hope; and on the eagles' wings of Joplin, You have brought us closer together. Though the flight has just begun, we soar higher together because of Your grace. We have all suffered loss and in You we abide. The school of life is hard, but our hope is high.

Thank You God for what can happen in only two years. Amen.

The Pledge of Allegiance to the flag was recited.

SIGNING OF HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTIONS

All other business of the House was suspended while **CCS#2 SS HCS HJR 11 & 7** and **SCS HJR 16** were read at length and, there being no objection, were signed by the Speaker to the end that the same may become law.

Having been duly signed in open session of the Senate, **CCS#2 SS HCS HJR 11 & 7** and **SCS HJR 16** were delivered to the Secretary of State by the Chief Clerk of the House.

SIGNING OF HOUSE BILLS

All other business of the House was suspended while **SCS HCS HB 1, CCS SCS HCS HB 2, CCS SCS HCS HB 3, CCS SCS HCS HB 4, CCS SCS HCS HB 5, CCS SCS HCS HB 6, CCS SCS HCS HB 7, CCS SCS HCS HB 8, CCS SCS HCS HB 9, CCS SCS HCS HB 10, CCS SCS HCS HB 11, CCS SCS HCS HB 12, SCS HCS HB 13, SCS HCS HB 17, SCS HB 18, SS SCS HCS HB 19, SS SCS HCS HB 28, SS#2 HB 34, SS HCS HB 58, HB 68, CCS SS SCS HCS HB 117, HB 133, SS SCS HB 142, SCS HB 148, HCS HB 159, SS SCS HCS HB 175, SCS HB 196, HB 212, SCS HCS HB 233, HCS HB 235, HB 278, SCS HB 301, SCS HCS HBs 303 & 304, CCS SS SCS HB 307, SS HCS HB 315, HB 316, SCS HB 329, SS HB 331, CCS SS HB 336, HB 339, SS SCS HCS HB 345, HCS HB 349, HB 400, HCS HB 418, SS SCS HB 428, HB 432, SCS HCS HB 436, HCS HBs 446 & 211, HB 451, HB 478, SCS HB 498, HB 510, SS SCS HB 542, HCS HB 656, HB 673, HCS HB 675, HB 702, HB 715 and SCS HCS HB 722** were read at length and, there being no objection, were signed by the Speaker to the end that the same may become law.

Having been duly signed in open session of the Senate, **SCS HCS HB 1, CCS SCS HCS HB 2, CCS SCS HCS HB 3, CCS SCS HCS HB 4, CCS SCS HCS HB 5, CCS SCS HCS HB 6, CCS SCS HCS HB 7, CCS SCS HCS HB 8, CCS SCS HCS HB 9, CCS SCS HCS HB 10, CCS SCS HCS HB 11, CCS SCS HCS HB 12, SCS HCS HB 13, SCS HCS HB 17, SCS HB 18, SS SCS HCS HB 19, SS SCS HCS HB 28, SS#2 HB 34, SS HCS HB 58, HB 68, CCS SS SCS HCS HB 117, HB 133, SS SCS HB 142, SCS HB 148, HCS HB 159, SS SCS HCS HB 175, SCS HB 196, HB 212, SCS HCS HB 233, HCS HB 235, HB 278, SCS HB 301, SCS HCS HBs 303 & 304, CCS SS SCS HB 307, SS HCS HB 315, HB 316, SCS HB 329, SS HB 331, CCS SS HB 336, HB 339, SS SCS HCS HB 345, HCS HB 349, HB 400, HCS HB 418, SS SCS HB 428, HB 432, SCS HCS HB 436, HCS HBs 446 & 211, HB 451, HB 478, SCS HB 498, HB 510, SS SCS HB 542, HCS HB 656, HB 673, HCS HB 675, HB 702, HB 715 and SCS HCS HB 722** were delivered to the Governor by the Chief Clerk of the House.

SIGNING OF SENATE BILLS

All other business of the House was suspended while **CCS#2 HCS SCS SB 9, SS SB 28, SS SCS SB 29, CCS SCS SB 33, CCS HCS SS SB 34, SB 35, CCS SCS SB 36, CCS HCS SCS SB 42, SCS SB 47, SB 58, SCS SB 69, SB 72, HCS SB 73, SB 77, HCS SCS SB 89, CCS HCS SB 100, CCS SCS SB 106, HCS SB 110, HCS SS SCS SB 116, CCS HCS SCS SB 117, HCS SCS SB 118, SS SCS SB 121, SS SCS SB 125, SCS SB 126, CCS HCS SB 127, SS SCS SB 129,**

HCS SB 148, CCS HCS SCS SB 157 & SB 102, SS SCS SB 159, CCS HCS SB 161, SB 170, HCS SCS SB 186, HCS SB 188, SB 197, HCS SB 205, SB 208, SB 216, CCS SCS SB 224, HCS SCS SB 229, SB 230, SB 236, CCS SCS SB 248, SS SB 251, HCS SS SB 252, SCS SB 254, CCS HCS SCS SB 256, SB 257, SCS SB 258, SB 265, SS SB 267, HCS SS SB 282, CCS SB 327, CCS#2 HCS SB 330, CCS HCS SB 342, SS SB 357 and SCS SB 381 were read at length and, there being no objection, were signed by the Speaker to the end that the same may become law.

The following members' presence was noted: Curtis, Dugger, Fitzwater, Franklin, Gosen, Grisamore, Korman, Lynch, Miller, Muntzel, Roorda, Scharnhorst, Shull, Spencer and Wood.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Speaker Jones, the House adjourned until 9:00 a.m., Thursday, May 30, 2013.