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- Clerk Hollman: "House Perfunctory Session will come to order.

 Introduction of Senate Bills. Senate Bill 931, offered by
 Representative Mah, a Bill for an Act concerning government.

 First Reading of this Senate Bill."
- Speaker Manley: "The House will be in order. Members will be in their chairs. We shall be led today by Reverend Mike Rayson from Alton Main Street United Methodist Church. Mr. Rayson is the guest of Representative Elik. Members and guests are asked to refrain from starting their laptops, turn off all cell phones, and rise for the invocation and Pledge of Allegiance. Mr. Rayson."
- Reverend Rayson: "Let us pose for a moment of reflection. God of love and love who is God, thank you for our state and for the role that you have invited us to play within it. Give us courage to face the future, ready to fight for the smallest of those within our districts and fields of work wherever and whenever we are propelled into action. And in every moment when we're simply called to get on with the work at the coalface, lifting up the heads and hearts for all those for whom we bear responsibility. Thank you for the land on which we stand, the land occupied for thousands of years by our first nations. May we do the ancestors who gather in clouds of witnesses rightful and truthful justice and service. Thank you for those who keep our state running. Not those we immediately think of, but of those we don't. For the ones who clean our offices at night. For the people who collect the trash and clean hotel rooms. For those who care for sick children and those who coach little league. For those who are often rarely seen and, for most of the time, unseen, we are

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grateful. We thank you for our responders, for our military, police, fire, for our ambulance drivers, for our teachers, for our students, for our mayors, for our local government. As the business of this day in this chamber begins, call us to attention, God. Invite us to be our best selves and show us the way forward for this great State of Illinois. God, I particularly give thanks this day for the Representative Elik. Thank you for her dedication to the 111th District. And thank you, too, for those who stand behind her, for Don, her husband, and for her children, Caroline and Adam. Keep them safe from harm and enable them to be her biggest cheerleaders. On this day, God, bless the families, the children, the grandchildren, their parents, and the siblings of each Member of this House, that they may serve as a mountain on which each Member stands ready to serve you in Illinois. Teach us to have fun while we serve, to smile and laugh with each other, even when we work on the most serious of tasks. We ask this knowing that you got a present already in this chamber. Let me leave you with a blessing from the country that I am originally from. For you, deep stillness of the silent inland. For you, deep blue of the desert sky. For you, flame red of the rocks and stones. For you, deep water from the hidden springs. From the heartland seek the edges, and when you're burned by the journey, may the cool wind of the hovering spirit soothe and replenish you. In the name of God, Amen."

Speaker Manley: "We will be led in the Pledge of Allegiance today by Leader Harris."

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- Harris et al: "I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America and to the republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."
- Speaker Manley: "Roll Call for Attendance. Leader Greenwood is recognized to report any excused absences on the Democratic side of the aisle."
- Greenwood: "Thank you, Madam Speaker. Let the record show that Representatives Lilly, Morgan, Mason, Gonzalez, Ramirez, and Yingling are excused today."
- Speaker Manley: "Leader Batinick is recognized to report any excused absences on the Republican side of the aisle."
- Batinick: "Thank you, Madam Speaker. On today, November 29, 2022, also known as Diane Batinick's 80th birthday, I would like to excuse Representative Marty McLaughlin, Steve Reick, Deanne Mazzochi, Tom Bennett, and Joe Sosnowski."
- Speaker Manley: "Have all recorded themselves who wish? Have all recorded themselves who wish? Have all recorded themselves who wish? Mr. Clerk, please take the record. There being 107 Members answering the roll call, a quorum is present. Mr. Clerk, Rules Report."
- Clerk Hollman: "Rules Report. Representative Harris, Chairperson from the Committee on Rules reports the following committee action taken on November 29, 2022: approved for consideration, referred to Second Reading is Senate Bill 1794; and approved for consideration, referred to the Order of Concurrence is House Bill 347."

Speaker Manley: "Speaker Welch in the Chair."

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Speaker Welch: "Wow. That's all I have to do? Members of the General Assembly, welcome back to Springfield. I hope everyone had a safe and healthy holiday spent with loved ones. We have a special guest in the chamber today. However, I'm going to, you know, do a little something different today. I am going to let Leader Jim Durkin introduce our special quest. Before that, I want to take a... just a quick moment to say a few words about my friend, Leader Durkin. As many of you in this chamber know and have witnessed from time to time, Jim and I have had our disagreements. That's natural coming from different sides of the aisle. But I got to tell you, he's been a friend of mine for a very long time and I have always had a lot of respect for the Leader. He's represented his caucus very well for nine years. And after almost a decade in that position, he has stepped aside for new leadership and a new day in Springfield. What some of you may not know is that, before my time in the General Assembly, Leader Durkin helped me become an elected official in my community when I wanted to run for the local school board. He may not have voted for me and my Bills here in Springfield, but I was certainly happy that he supported me 22 years ago when I wanted to serve on that school board. I think we all owe a resounding thank you to my friend, your friend, Leader Jim Durkin, for his service leading the Republican Caucus. Can you please put your hands together and welcome him to the dais? Leader Durkin."

Durkin: "Mr. Speaker, thank you for those very kind words. And I tell you what, I've been trying to get up here in this position for many years now after many election cycles. But I..."

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Speaker Welch: "It was very strategic."

"Yeah, I'd say so. Holy cow. But again, I'm not quite Durkin: done yet. We're going to ... I'm going to stick around a little bit and see what the future is. But... moment... the reason I'm here is that we have a great guest. And many of you remember the Consul General who served for the Midwest over the years with David Bushby. He was sent back over the pond, back over to the old sod, as we say in Ireland, but this is Australia. And I have had an opportunity to meet the new Consul General for the Midwest. And we're honored to have with us today, Mr. Chris Elstoft, Midwest Consul General of Australia, who has had a lifetime career in foreign service for his country, serving in Indonesia, India, and Iraq. He is an economist, growing up in Melbourne. He's a father of three, and his wife is also part of the diplomatic service for the country of Australia and in Canada. It's quite a family. But he is in Chicago right now. He lives within a stone's throw of Wrigley Field. And maybe if he wants to see good baseball, he'll jump on the Red Line and go down to 35th Street. So, with that being said, I'd like to offer this moment to us to say hello to Mr. Chris Elstoft and hear his words of wisdom. So, thank you. Chris."

Consul General Elstoft: "Thank you, Leader Durkin. Mr. Speaker, Republican Leader, Members of the General Assembly, I'm conscious that I'm standing here between you and the U.S. versus Iran soccer match that's currently happening at the moment. So, if there are any cheers during my speech, I'll take it that I've just issued a funny joke rather than a goal has been scored. For some time, I've had an interest in U.S.

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history. And so, it's a great privilege to be here in the Land of Lincoln, recalling the great debates of Lincoln and Douglas, thinking of the ... of how Abraham Lincoln must have felt as he set off from here on his journey to Washington, D.C. to be inaugurated in 1861. And Lincoln serves as a useful example when I try and explain how Australian Members of the House of Representative are elected through ranked-choice voting. And I remind people here that the ballots at the Chicago Convention of which Lincoln was elected to... to be the nominee for the Republican Party were an example where Lincoln was everybody's second choice. And if you had had a system at that time, at that convention, where one didn't need 50 percent of the... of the delegates, then you would've had a New Yorker from Auburn as your 16th President. You may have heard that Australia has always been a most reliable and steadfast partner to the United States. And this is because we see the world similarly and we share your values of freedom and democracy. For more than 100 years, we fought side by side in every conflict. It started on the Western Front in World War I when, on the 4th of July, 1918, an Australian General, Sir John Monash, led Australian, British, and American troops to victory at the Battle of Hamel. This was the first time that Australians and American soldiers had fought together with the American soldiers comprising of the 131st and 132nd Infantry Regiments from the Illinois National Guard. Since then, we fought together in every major conflict and the defense relationship continues to strengthen and deepen. The Australia-U.S. alliance is a central pillar of Australia's foreign and security policy. So, for over 70 years, the

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alliance has contributed to peace, prosperity, and resilience in what we call the Indo-Pacific region. But it's certainly not static. In response to rapidly changing security situations in the Indo-Pacific, it's evolving and deepening. And an example of this is the AUKUS agreement. A-U-K-U-S. Australia, UK, U.S., which is a new security and technology partnership between those three countries. And under this partnership, something astounding is happening. For the first time in 70 years, and only the second time in history, the United States will share its nuclear propulsion technology, and they'll share that with Australia. So, you've only done this once before and that was with the United Kingdom after World War I. So, this is nuclear propulsion. It's not nuclear ammunitions. But you will support Australia's acquisition of conventionally armed, nuclear-powered submarines. Now, submarines might not be a big deal in Illinois, situated where you are, but they are hugely important to Australia's security and we greatly value the trust that this deal places in Australia. I said Australia was a reliable security partner and I want to say also that Australia is an important economic partner to the United States, to the Midwest, and also to Illinois. While our population is only 25 million, about double the size of this state, we are the world's 12th largest economy. Our economy is larger than Russia's. America is our number one economic partner when we combine investment and trade. It's more than \$1.5 trillion of investment in both directions. And the United States is the largest investor in Australia by a wide margin. Today, over 10 thousand Australian companies sell to or operate in this country. And Australian

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companies directly employ an estimated 180 thousand people in the United States. They've invested between 20 and 30 billion dollars on new capital projects here just in the last 15 years. Over 1.3 million Australian tourists visit the United States each year and they spend over \$8.7 billion, supporting thousands of jobs across the 50 states. And a sizeable number of Australian businesses have a presence in Illinois, whether its AMP Capital, Macquarie Bank in the finance sector, CSL Behring, which has a plasma and biotherapeutics plant, or Nufarm, which is in crop protection. So, for example, CSL, who's headquarters is in my hometown of Melbourne, have developed a major plasma processing facility here in Kankakee County, Illinois, employing 1500 people. And your companies have significant interest in Australia. Companies like Boeing, Caterpillar, John Deer, and the Northern Trust have a presence there. Recent data suggests that Australia is Illinois' fourth largest export market after Canada, Mexico... it's pretty hard to compete with them ... and Germany, and well ahead of China. And these trade numbers are driven by industrial and electrical machinery as well as motor vehicles and parts. You may know that Australia has a free trade agreement with the United States, and that's a mutually beneficial agreement. And we're pleased to join the U.S. as a founding member of the IPEF, the INDO-Pacific Economic Framework for Prosperity, and that'll contribute to a more stable, peaceful, and prosperous Indo-Pacific. And more specifically, Australia is a key partner in some of the challenges that are emerging around global supply chains, and this is where I think security issues interact with trade

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issues. For example, Australia is a key supplier of critical minerals, such as lithium, which will power the batteries in electric vehicles, many of which will be built in the Midwest. You will have more and... you will hear more and more, I think, about on-shoring, friend-shoring, and ally-shoring over coming years, as countries look more closely at critical aspects of their supply chains. And Australia will be part of that picture, I think. So, Australia, as a friend and as an ally, can be relied upon as a partner. We both look to secure our supply chains, working with countries like Japan and Korea. I thank you very much for the opportunity to address this chamber. I wish you all the best for the remainder of your Session and for a safe and happy festive season ahead. Thanks very much."

- Speaker Welch: "Members, the Consul General has agreed to take photos with any Members who desire. He'll be down to my right, here in the well. Leader Manley back in the Chair."
- Speaker Manley: "On the Order of Agreed Resolutions, we have House Resolution 1013, presented by Leader Harris. Leader Harris."
- Harris: "Thank you, Madam Speaker and Ladies and Gentlemen of the House. I've gotten to stand up and talk about this family before on the House Floor, but there are some families and some people you cannot talk about enough. So, today, we're going to talk about the Clifford family... or I'm sorry, the Dahl family again, and talk about Clifford and his... his brother, and of course their dad, Dave Dahl. Many of us have had the pleasure of being interviewed by Dave Dahl on a variety of topics. We know his questions are often incisive and they can be pressing. They can also be what sometimes we

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refer to as unique in his approach, especially in press conferences downstairs. And over the years, we have come to know him as a really great dad to Isaac and Clifford. But the fact that this General Assembly has recognized him and thanked him and have watched what he has put in to fathering his two sons, he's now been recognized for that statewide. And this Resolution honors a really great dad who has now been awarded the very first Outstanding Illinois Father of the Year award from the Illinois Council on Responsible Fatherhood. So, Dave, could you stand just for a minute so we can all see you? And thank you for pointing out your dad so that we could see him. And we've watched Dave, not only here on the floor, but we also watched him, sort of emblematic of how so many families struggled during COVID with the obligations of fatherhood, of caring for two sons, one of whom had medical struggles before COVID came along, and then going through it during COVID. You know, he's really a role model for what good fathers in our state looks like. And we're just very pleased today that in the House we can recognize you and honor you. I'd like to ask that, without objection, all Members of the General Assembly be added to this Resolution. And thank you, Madam Speaker. And thank you, Dave."

Speaker Manley: "All Members will be added to House Resolution 1013. Leader Harris moves for the adoption of House Resolution 1013. All those in favor say 'aye'; those opposed say 'nay'. In the opinion of the Chair, the 'ayes' have it. And the Resolution is adopted. On page 2 of the Calendar, under the Order of Agreed Resolutions, we have House Resolution 481,

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- offered by Representative Meier. Representative Meier is recognized on the Resolution."
- Meier: "Up to my right in the gallery, from Highland, we have Policeman Rob Horner and paramedic Martin Carlen. And also with them, Brian Wilson, the EMS Chief, and Lieutenant Damian Feeny. And this Resolution is to honor Rob and Martin for their heroics, which I will read about now. Thank you.
 - WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of Representatives wish to commend Officer Rob Horner and paramedic Martin Carlen for their heroic and lifesaving actions on Silver Lake on September 8, 2021; and
 - WHEREAS, Silver Lake is located in Madison County; the lake is 550 acres in size and approximately 22 feet deep at its deepest point; anglers can expect to catch a variety of fish at Silver Lake, including Bluegill, Channel Catfish, and Largemouth Bass; and
 - WHEREAS, On September 8, 2021 at approximately 2 p.m., Highland Police Officer Rob Horner was signaled to stop by a driver, who alerted the officer to a capsized boat on Silver Lake; and
 - WHEREAS, Officer Horner arrived at the spillway and witnessed an upside-down sailboat with two passengers holding fast to the side; and
 - WHEREAS, With winds at least 20 mph that day, the men clinging to the boat could not hear Officer Horner calling to them; one of the men tried to climb onto the boat and kept falling back into the water; and
 - WHEREAS, Officer Horner made a call to the dispatcher requesting the rescue team and EMS, but he quickly realized the need to

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- dive into the water; while waiting for the requested support to arrive, he began swimming the 150 yards to the two men in distress; and
- WHEREAS, Due to the choppiness of the water, Officer Horner used the backstroke to conserve energy as he swam against the waves and wind; and
- WHEREAS, The two fishermen were 76 and 83 years of age, respectively, and one had lost his life jacket and had his leg tangled in a rope; Officer Horner dove underwater to free the man's leg; eventually, the boat was flipped into position, and the passengers were able to regain their seats safely; and
- WHEREAS, Meanwhile, paramedic Martin Carlen arrived and swam to the two men and Officer Horner; he then helped guide the boat to safety; therefore, be it
- RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we commend Officer Rob Horner and paramedic Martin Carlen for their quick thinking, decisive actions, and teamwork that helped rescue two senior citizens from Silver Lake on September 8, 2021; and be it further
- RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be presented to Officer Rob Horner and paramedic Martin Carlen as an expression of our esteem and respect. And I ask that all Members be added on to this Resolution. Thank you, gentlemen."
- Speaker Manley: "All Members will be added. Representative Meier moves for the adoption of House Resolution 481. All those in favor say 'aye'; opposed say 'nay'. In the opinion of the Chair, the 'ayes' have it. And the Resolution is adopted. On

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the Order of Agreed Resolutions, we have House Resolution 995, offered by Representative Niemerg."

Niemerg: "Thank you, Madam Speaker. Today with us... today, we have the 2022 Mount Carmel High School girls golf team, the Lady Aces, right behind me here, who are the Class 1A Girls Golf Championship. Guys, they won by 35 strokes. That's amazing, unbelievable, no 3-putts. The Lady Aces had a 2022 season record of 69-0. The team won back to back championships in 2021 and 2022 with two perfect seasons and a combined record of 147-0. Outstanding, guys. The Lady Aces' team roster includes Emily Gottman, Lillian Gottman, Maria Kennard, Miley Kennard, Zeme Moore, Alexis Wymer, and Madelyn Young. The team is led by Coach Karin Kelsey and Assistant Coach Abbey Carpenter. Congratulations, Lady Aces."

Speaker Manley: "Representative Niemerg moves for the adoption of House Resolution 995. All those in favor say 'aye'; opposed say 'nay'. In the opinion of the Chair, the 'ayes' have it. And House Resolution 995 is adopted. Leader Greenwood is recognized for announcement... is recognized."

Greenwood: "Thank you. Thank you, Madam Speaker and Members of the General Assembly. I am so excited today to congratulate the 6A... State 6A Football Champions, the East St. Louis Senior High School Flyers on their victory, resounding victory, of 57-7 on Saturday at the University of Illinois. So, I'm standing here today to congratulate all of them and their coach, Coach Sunkett, and his coaching staff. And they will be here during lame duck Session to celebrate with us. Thank you and congratulations. Go Flyers."

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Speaker Manley: "Congratulations, Flyers. Chair recognizes Representative Marron."

Marron: "Thank you, Madam Speaker. Point of personal privilege." Speaker Manley: "Please proceed."

Marron: "Thank you. I just wanted to announce... I'm very proud to have with me today in the gallery, across the way, my district LA, Marguerite Bailey, and two of my interns, Tina Wayne and James Stuart. Please welcome them to Springfield. Thank you."

Speaker Manley: "Welcome to Springfield. Chair recognizes Representative Halpin."

Halpin: "Thank you, Madam Speaker. Point of personal privilege." Speaker Manley: "Please proceed."

"Thank you, Madam Speaker. So, we heard the news today Halpin: that President Biden is seeking to intervene in the labor dispute involving railroad workers across the country and many of those workers who live right here in Illinois. And the administration wants Congress to step in and prevent these workers from exercising their right to strike. Frankly, I'm truly disturbed and frustrated with this news when corporate profits continue to roll in. We should be supporting the working class and their efforts to improve their lives and the lives of their families. Strikes are unpleasant, they're disruptive, and they cause friction, and that's exactly the point. Strikes demonstrate the economic power of workers' labor by withholding it. They show the company and the general public just how valuable their labor is. And more importantly, just the threat of a strike can help resolve disputes at the bargaining table. But sadly, the President's request undercuts that power. It turns a legitimate lever of power

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into a bluff that's easily called. What reason would the railroads have to compromise when they know that the workers won't have their most powerful economic tool? Why would they come to the table again when there's no downside risk by holding firm? And we're not talking just about this round of contract negotiations. What happens next time around when the railroads know that Congress is never going to let the railroad workers strike? We just passed a workers' rights Amendment here Illinois. Nearly 60 percent of the people that voted on that stood up and said we value workers' rights. Illinois is the literal crossroads for the rail industry in this country. We should not be part of undermining our own workers. And so, I'd ask each of you here today, and anyone listening or watching at home, to make sure to contact their member of Congress and contact their Senators and ask them to stand up for Illinois workers and allow them to protect that right to strike. Thank you."

Speaker Manley: "Chair recognizes Representative Hamilton."

Hamilton: "Thank you, Madam Speaker. A point of personal privilege."

Speaker Manley: "Please proceed."

Hamilton: "I, too, would like to congratulate our very own local high school team here in Springfield. Sacred Heart-Griffin Cyclones are the champions of the Class 4A State Championship. And our son, Jake Hamilton, is a senior on that team. And I don't know if you guys remember, but they stood up there in the gallery back in March and won a state championship in basketball as well. So, excited for our local team here and also wanted to give a shoutout to our local coach, Coach Ken

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Leonard, who is now retired from coaching football after 43 years. Forty-three years. He was with Sacred Heart-Griffin for 39 years and is the Illinois winningest football coach in history. So, shoutout to Coach Leonard. Thank you."

Speaker Manley: "Chair recognizes Representative Hurley."

Hurley: "Thank you, Madam Speaker. Point of personal privilege." Speaker Manley: "Please proceed."

Hurley: "Thank you, Ma'am. Not to be undone, my alumni, Mother McAuley High School, won the State 4A Volleyball Championship under the direction of Coach Jenn DeJarld. And Mount Carmel High School won a 7A Football Championship, who my sons graduated with, under the coach of Jordan Lynch, who went to the same school as my boys did, St. Christina. So, hopefully, I will have them down, but since we're commenting on everybody's State A championships, I want to throw these guys in too. So, thank you."

Speaker Manley: "Chair recognizes Representative Lewis."

Lewis: "Thank you, Madam Speaker. Point of personal privilege." Speaker Manley: "Please proceed."

Lewis: "So, if I may ask this chamber, it was 25 years ago today that I was in a very, very different spot. And if I could have all of you wish my better half and I... she's better at everything actually, 100 percent. We are celebrating our 25th wedding anniversary today. So, thank you very much."

Speaker Manley: "Congratulations, Representative. Chair recognizes Representative Scherer."

Scherer: "Thank you, Madam Chair. I would like a point of personal privilege as well."

Speaker Manley: "Please proceed."

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Scherer: "So, like many of my colleagues, I would like to announce that my high school, St. Teresa High School in Decatur, won the football state championship and it was very exciting to watch and listen. And went back to my old high school yesterday, and was not in the bleachers, but was out on the gym floor with a proclamation and it was... it was really a special moment because I've never done that in my 10 years here. So, congrats to the St. Teresa Bulldogs, and also congrats, as my colleague Representative Hamilton said, to SHG, which will be a new part of my district and Coach Leonard is actually my college roommate's first cousin. So, it kind of all comes around. So, congrats to them all. Thank you."

Speaker Manley: "Chair recognizes Representative Grant."

Grant: "Thank you, Madam Chair. I would like to... I have a personal point of privilege."

Speaker Manley: "Please proceed."

Grant: "With me here today is Michael Kamber. He is from Wheaton College. He reached out to me, I would say, oh, more than a year ago in my district office. And we let him come in and do an internship. And he was so very good at it, and he enjoyed us and we enjoyed him. So, now he works with us one day a week. Though he is going to be graduating from Wheaton College at the end of this year with a degree in political science and business economics, he is a part of the Assyrian community up in... American Assyrian community up in Rogers Park and he is also the reason that I became a Member of the Assyrian Caucus. So, welcome today, Michael. And he's having a nice experience here today."

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- Speaker Manley: "The Clerk is in receipt of a Motion in Writing to waive the posting requirements for a Bill. Leader Harris on the Motion."
- Harris: "Madam Speaker, I move the posting requirements be waived so that Senate Bill 1595 and Senate Bill 1698 can be heard in the Executive Committee."
- Speaker Manley: "Leader Harris has moved to waive the posting requirements. All those in favor say 'aye'; opposed say 'nay'.

 In the opinion of the Chair, the 'ayes' have it. And the posting requirements are waived. Chair recognizes Leader Batinick."
- Batinick: "Thank you, Madam Speaker. While we're waiting for further instructions, I wanted to introduce my guest in the audience. So, I'd like to do a point of personal privilege, if that's okay?"
- Speaker Manley: "Please proceed."
- Batinick: "Up in the audience, we have from Canada via Naperville, we have my business partner, Rick Campbell and Karen Campbell. So, I just wanted to introduce them."
- Speaker Manley: "Welcome to Springfield, Mr. and Mrs. Campbell.

 Anything else? I can't get enough of you. I know you're leaving soon. Mr. Clerk, committee announcements."
- Clerk Hollman: "Committee announcements. The following committees will be meeting at 2:30 p.m. The Executive Committee will meet in Room 118. Cities & Villages will meet in Room 122B. Human Services will meet in Room 114. These committees are meeting at 2:30."
- Speaker Manley: "Leader Greenwood for an announcement."

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Greenwood: "Thank you, Madam Speaker. The Democrats will request a caucus meeting immediately in Room 114."

Speaker Manley: "Leader Welter for announcement."

Welter: "Madam Speaker, the House Republicans request immediate caucus in Room 118."

Speaker Manley: "Democrats will caucus in Room 114, Republicans will caucus in Room 118 immediately after we adjourn. Mr. Clerk, Agreed Resolutions."

Clerk Hollman: "Agreed Resolutions. House Resolution 991, offered by Representative Kifowit. House Resolution 992, offered by Representative Elik. House Resolution 993, offered Representative Gabel. House Resolution 994, offered by Representative Wilhour. House Resolution 996, offered by Representative Brady. House Resolution 997, offered by Representative Stuart. House Resolution 998, offered by Representative Stuart. House Resolution 999, offered by Representative Stuart. House Resolution 1000, offered by Representative Stuart. House Resolution 1001, offered by Representative Stuart. House Resolution 1002, offered by Representative Stephens. House Resolution 1004, offered by Representative Hoffman. House Resolution 1005, offered by Representative Halpin. House Resolution 1006, offered by Representative Halpin. House Resolution 1007, offered by Representative Halpin. House Resolution 1008, offered by Representative Nichols. House Resolution 1009, offered by Representative Nichols. House Resolution 1010, offered by Representative Gordon-Booth. House Resolution 1011, offered by Representative Niemerg. House Resolution 1012, offered by Representative Niemerg."

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Speaker Manley: "Leader Greenwood moves for the adoption of Agreed Resolutions. All those in favor say 'aye'; opposed say 'nay'. In the opinion of the Chair, the 'ayes' have it. And the Agreed Resolutions are adopted. And now, allowing perfunctory time for the Clerk, Leader Greenwood moves that the House stand adjourned until Wednesday, November 30, at the hour of 11 a.m. All those in favor say 'aye'; opposed say 'nay'. In the opinion of the Chair, the 'ayes' have it. And the House stands adjourned."

Clerk Hollman: "House Perfunctory Session will come to order. Committee Report. Representative DeLuca, Chairperson from the Committee on Cities & Villages reports the following committee action taken on November 29, 2022: recommends be adopted is the Motion to Concur with Senate Amendment(s) 4 to House Bill 4073. Representative Rita, Chairperson from the Committee on the Executive reports the following committee action on November 29, 2022: do pass Short Debate is Senate Bill 1595, Senate Bill 1698; recommends be adopted is the Motion to Concur with Senate Amendment(s) 1 to House Bill 1293. Representative Moeller, Chairperson from the Committee on Human Services reports the following committee action on November 29, 2022: recommends be adopted is the Motion to Concur with Senate Amendment(s) 2 to House Bill 347. Introduction of Resolutions. House Joint Resolution 100, offered by Representative Luft, is referred to the Rules Committee. Introduction and First Reading of House Bills. House Bill 5846, offered by Representative Avelar, a Bill for an Act concerning criminal law. House Bill 5847, offered by Representative Robinson, a Bill for an Act concerning gaming.

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House Bill 5848, offered by Representative Flowers, a Bill for an Act concerning appropriations. House Bill 5849, offered by Representative Scherer, a Bill for an Act concerning property. House Bill 5850, offered by Representative Stoneback, a Bill for an Act concerning elections. House Bill 5851, offered by Representative Halpin, a Bill for an Act concerning finance. First Reading of these House Bills. Second Reading of Senate Bills. Senate Bill 1595, a Bill for an Act concerning local government. Second Reading of this Senate Bill. Senate Bill 1698, a Bill for an Act concerning State government. Second Reading of this Senate Bill. These both will be held on the Order of Second Reading. There being no further business, the House Perfunctory Session will stand adjourned."