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**Greetings:**

At the General Assembly  
***For the Week***

*Legislators participated in session Monday through Thursday last week. During the week over 19 bills, 1 House Joint Resolution, and 3 Veto Overrides.*

*Joyce Waddell*

**Veto Overrides**

These 3 bills were vetoed by the Governor. If the Governor vetoes a bill, the bill is returned to the chamber of origin where three-fifths of the members present and voting can vote to override the veto. If legislators vote to override a veto, the bill becomes law.

**House Bill 198**

An act to make changes to transportation laws, as recommended by the department of transportation.

**House Bill 237**

An act to modify the physical health and safety of others exemption to certain laws prohibiting wearing masks; to enhance punishment if the defendant was wearing a mask or other clothing or device to conceal or attempt to conceal the defendant's identity; to prohibit gubernatorial executive orders, secretarial declarations, municipal or local government prohibitions and restrictions, or other rules or regulations by a political subdivision of this state from imposing additional limitations on religious institutions that are not applicable to businesses, nonprofit organizations, or other private entities affected by the same or similar emergency; to increase the penalty for impeding a road during a demonstration or obstructing an emergency vehicle from accessing a road at any time; to create civil liability for a demonstration organizer of a demonstration that obstructs an emergency vehicle; and to amend campaign finance laws regarding federal political committees and political organizations.

**House Bill 834**

An act to modify the definition of delinquent juvenile, to modify the transfer process for indicted juvenile cases, to create a new process to remove a case to juvenile court, to make changes to school use of information, to make secure custody hearing changes.

## ***Students at the General Assembly***

*Senator Waddell speaks to a group of students about the importance of education and becoming an educator.*



## **NC General Assembly**

Visit [www.ncleg.gov](http://www.ncleg.gov), the official website of the North Carolina General Assembly. Use this website as a tool to track bills, find and communicate with your state representatives, as well as follow chamber activity, meetings and issues before the General Assembly. The 2022 Short Session began on Wednesday, May 18th at 12:00 noon.

*You can view bills in full by visiting [www.ncleg.gov](http://www.ncleg.gov).*



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