

SENATE JOURNAL
SEVENTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
STATE OF SAN ANDREAS
OCTOBER 2025

1 Prayer by Senator Benny Harrison, Los Santos.
2 The President called the Senate to order at 9:00 a.m.
3 Pledge of Allegiance led by Senator Albert Petty, Pasadena.
4 The roll was called with the following result:
5 Present: 10 Absent: 0 Excused: 0
6 The President declared the required quorum present to conduct business.

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I, HEIDI SMITH, Secretary of State of the State of San Andreas, do hereby certify that the attached is a true and exact copy of the document filed in this office and admitted to record in: SENATE ORDER 25-104

"CALL FOR THE COMMENCEMENT OF IMPEACHMENT TRIAL
PROCEEDINGS IN THE SEVENTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY"

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF I have unto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of San Andreas, at the City of Los Santos this 2nd day of October 2025.

/signed/

Heidi Smith

Secretary of State.

I, Isabel Payne, Governor of the State of San Andreas, with this proclamation find extraordinary occasions exist to convene the Seventy-Sixth General Assembly of this State and summon the members of the SENATE of the Seventy-Sixth General Assembly to meet in Special Session at 9:00 a.m., on October 3, 2025, at the State Capitol, in the City and County of Los Santos, to commence the impeachment trial in the Senate of Representative Lewis Yates. GIVEN under my hand and the Executive Seal of the State of San Andreas, this 2nd day of October, 2025.

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Isabel Payne,

Governor.

1 PURSUANT to Article V, Section 6 of the San Andreas Constitution, The Legislature
2 shall have the sole power of impeachment. An impeachment may be initiated by a
3 motion introduced by two members of the House of Representatives and co-sponsored
4 by a Senator. A bill of impeachment must be passed by a vote of no less than fifty-five
5 percent (55%) of the House of Representatives. Upon passage, the bill shall be
6 transmitted to the Senate, which shall have the sole power to try all impeachments. The
7 grounds for impeachment shall include, but not be limited to, wrongdoing, corruption,
8 bribery, upon a criminal conviction or indictment, or other unethical behavior. A
9 conviction on impeachment requires the concurrence of no less than sixty-five percent
10 (65%) of the entire Senate. A judgment in cases of impeachment shall not extend further
11 than removal from office and disqualification from holding any office of honor, trust, or
12 profit under the State of San Andreas.

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14 IT IS DECLARED that the House of Representatives has met the constitutional burden
15 to APPROVE and ADOPT the following Articles of Impeachment against
16 Representative Lewis Yates:

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18 ARTICLE I: Criminal Charges relating to Violence and Abuse

19 ARTICLE II: Conduct unbecoming of an elected official

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21 THEREFORE, the Senate of the Seventy-Sixth Session shall CONVENE to hold a trial
22 on this matter and ADJOURN when the trial has been completed, and all present
23 senators have voted on this resolution.

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25 9:10 a.m. THE PRESIDENT has read all constitutional provisions applicable to this
26 matter before the Senate.

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28 9:19 a.m. THE CLERK has read all impeachment articles to senators.

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30 9:24 a.m. THE PRESIDENT opened up the floor for debate.

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32 9:26 a.m The attorney for Representative Yates, Jon Sherlov began his first speech.

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34 10:01 a.m. SENATOR STEINBECK began her first speech.

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36 10:37 a.m. SENATOR CHO began his first speech.

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38 11:10 a.m. SENATOR MURILLO began her first speech.

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40 11:55 a.m. HOUSE IMPEACHMENT MANAGER ROBERTS began her first speech.

1 12:36 p.m. THE PRESIDENT GRANTED A THIRTY MINUTE RECESS.
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3 1:06 p.m. THE PRESIDENT CALLED THE SENATE BACK INTO SESSION.
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5 1:07 p.m. SENATOR WELLS began his first speech.
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7 1:41 p.m. SENATOR PETTY began his first speech.
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9 2:28 p.m. SENATOR FORBES began her first speech.
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11 3:01 p.m. SENATOR ROBERTSON began his first speech.
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13 3:46 p.m. SENATOR HARRISON began his first speech.
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15 4:11 p.m. SENATE PRESIDENT BRINKERHOFF began her first speech.
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17 4:48 p.m. SENATOR STIMPSON began his first speech.
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19 5:29 p.m. SENATE PRESIDENT BRINKERHOFF announced a thirty minute time
20 limit for second speeches.
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22 5:35 p.m. SENATOR STEINBECK began her second speech.
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24 6:07 p.m. SENATOR CHO began his second speech.
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26 6:39 p.m. SENATOR MURILLO began her second speech.
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28 7:12 p.m. SENATOR WELLS began his second speech.
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30 7:42 p.m. SENATOR HARRISON began his second speech.
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32 8:16 p.m. REPRESENTATIVE LEWIS YATES and HOUSE IMPEACHMENT
33 MANAGER ROBERTS began closing arguments.
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35 8:30 p.m. THE SENATE BEGAN DELIBERATIONS.
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37 8:48 p.m. THE SENATE HAS CONCLUDED DELIBERATIONS.
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39 8:50 p.m. THE SENATE PRESIDENT CALLED A ROLL CALL VOTE
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1 QUESTION: SHALL REPRESENTATIVE LEWIS YATES BE CONVICTED ON
2 THESE ARTICLES OF IMPEACHMENT?

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YES

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Senator Miriam Steinbeck

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Senator Brandon Stimson

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Senator Mark Cho

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Senator Ryan Wells

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Senator Virgil Murillo

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Senator Sarah Forbes

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Senator Betty Brinkerhoff

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Senator Benny Harrison

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Senator Christopher Robertson

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8:55 p.m. THE ROLL CALL VOTE HAS BEEN CONCLUDED, THE SENATE
CLERK HAS READ THE RESULTS.

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8:56 p.m. THE CLERK ANNOUNCED THE CONSTITUTIONAL BURDEN ON
THE SENATE FOR THIS RESOLUTION HAS BEEN MET, THEREFORE THIS
RESOLUTION IS PASSED, AND REPRESENTATIVE LEWIS YATES IS HEREBY
CONVICTED AND REMOVED FROM OFFICE.

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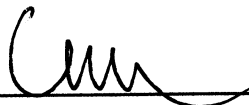
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9:01 p.m. THE PRESIDENT ADJOURNED THE SENATE on the grounds that all
matters on the executive order have been discussed and all senators reached a verdict on
this matter, as per the requirements for adjournment from the Executive Order from
Governor Payne.

–End of Record–

I hereby certify that the above record is true and accurate, and no omissions were made.



Chelsea J. Martinelli
Clerk of the Senate

10-3-25

Date