Aug. 1, 1921

*This Date in Missouri Senate History*

On *This Date in Missouri Senate History*, the date was Aug. 1, 1921, 38th day of the First Extra Session of the 51st General Assembly.

This was a Monday, in a session that has now continued for nearly two months, the purpose of which was to divvy out $60 million in bonds for Missouri’s first county roads.

This extra session turned into a marathon of bills that not only fulfill the wishes of Missouri voters, but also wound up rewriting the state budget for the next two years and adding a myriad of new regulations that oversaw most aspects of infrastructure and motor vehicles in our state.

Morning session became afternoon session, and senators continued to discuss legislation.

The main proposal of this extra session was House Bills 1, 5, 6, 8, 9, 12, 36, 38, 39 & 48. Several days had been spent on what had become an omnibus transportation measure.

After more time was spent on more legislation, senators moved to adjourn until the next morning.

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