Aug. 13, 2020

*This Date in Missouri Senate History*

On *This Date in Missouri Senate History*, the date was Aug. 13, 2020, sixth day of the First Extra Session of the 100th General Assembly.

This was a Thursday. This extra session had started on July 27. The original call for this session was to battle rising crime, especially violent crime, in our state. This would be contained in seven of the 10 points made in the governor’s call for the extra session.

In a rare move, the executive branch then added six points to the original call, all of which related to violent crime. This did *not*, however, extend to the 60 days already allotted for an extra session, five of which had already been used.

This was the only order of business for the day, aside from reading the previous day’s journal and voting on resolutions. Senators would move to adjourn until 11 a.m. on Aug. 21.

[Senate Bill 1](https://www.senate.mo.gov/20info/BTS_Web/Bill.aspx?SessionType=E1&BillID=49966062) was introduced initially, with approximately 12 hours of discussion held on the measure. Amending the call essentially obsoleted this proposal. In its place were House Bills [2](https://www.house.mo.gov/Bill.aspx?bill=HB2&year=2020&code=S1), [11](https://www.house.mo.gov/Bill.aspx?bill=HB11&year=2020&code=S1), [16](https://www.house.mo.gov/Bill.aspx?bill=HB16&year=2020&code=S1), [46](https://www.house.mo.gov/Bill.aspx?bill=HB46&year=2020&code=S1) and [66](https://www.house.mo.gov/Bill.aspx?bill=HB66&year=2020&code=S1), with House Bills 46 and 66 eventually sent to the executive branch.

This extra session would conclude on Sept. 16.

August 13, 2020, the date marking the sixth day of the First Extra Session of the 100th General Assembly, on *This Date in Missouri Senate History*.

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