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for Omaha, \$97,000. I know this is as important to the farmers, and maybe it isn't or, you know, their children, there are court cases, but let's not pick between one group and the other. This is very important to the agricultural community and it is something that cannot be done on their own and they are willing to fund by user fees and just give them that opportunity, and that's all I've got to say.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Hall, please.

SENATOR HALL: Question.

SPEAKER NICHOL: The question has been called. Do I see five hands? The question is, shall debate cease? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 28 ayes, 0 nays to cease debate.

SPEAKER NICHOL: The debate has ceased. Senator Rod Johnson to close, please.

SENATOR R. JOHNSON: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I suppose the quickest and easiest way to do this whole...or to compromise the situation is to bring some killer bees in the state and that will take care of your coyotes and everything else, but the way it is now I would suggest that the body overrule the Chair, allow us to vote on the Predator Control Program along with the Apiary Program since they're both programs instituted by the Department of Agriculture and let's vote them up or down rather than take a lot of time. If the Chair is sustained, then simply...I'll probably still vote for the Apiary Program even though I think the Predator Control Program is probably more far-reaching to an awful lot of farmers and ranchers more so than the Apiary Program, but I'll live by the wishes of the body.

SPEAKER NICHOL: The question is, shall the Chair be overruled? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Senator Rod Johnson.

SENATOR R. JOHNSON: I'm going backwards here. I'll ask for a call of the house, please, and call in votes.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Okay, the question is, shall the house go under call? Please vote aye, on those opposed, vote no. Record, Mr. Clerk.