

is difficult to be in the position that I'm in to try and promote something which is perceived to be ill by some people. I'm not comfortable with every aspect of the bill. That's why, from the beginning, I've said I'm willing to work with people, but it is difficult to craft legislation to tear pieces apart from it on the floor and make any sense of it. And, Senator Morrissey, I think you would agree with me. The folks shut you off, shut the whole process off about two, three hours ago and that's the problem you have when you get to a point where nobody knows what is going on. Nobody cares anymore. They just want to move the bill or get that out of the way so they can move to the next bill and that's why you try as best you can to compromise and work together off the floor to get something done. This bill needs to pass this year. The people of Boyd County, even those who are opposed to the project, need this bill to pass so that they can have some say in the process. So I would move for the advancement.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Johnson. We will now vote on the motion to advance LB 827. All those in favor please vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Please record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 1 nay, Mr. President. You want a record vote, Senator? Senator Morrissey requests record vote. (Read record vote. See pages 1892-93 of the Legislative Journal.) 30 ayes, 1 nay on the motion to advance, Madam President.

PRESIDENT MOUL: LB 827 is advanced. Now proceed with LB 827A.

CLERK: LB 827A, introduced by Senator Rod Johnson. (Read title.)

PRESIDENT MOUL: Senator Johnson.

SENATOR R. JOHNSON: Madam President, this deals with the cash funds that go to the monitoring committee for operation. I would simply move the A bill.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Johnson. Does anyone wish to speak on this bill? Seeing none, we will proceed to vote. All those in favor please vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Please record, Mr. Clerk.