

put a constitutional amendment on the ballot and have the people of this state accept that constitutional amendment. What we need to be saying is, we need to be saying that we're working towards the best solution that we can come up with and the fairest most equitable plan that can pass this legislative body. That's what we need to be saying, not that it stinks less or stinks more than the other plan. I think it's time for us to be positive about this. We can solve this problem. It's a very big problem, very complicated problem but we can solve this problem. Bringing 1063 to the floor helps us because it gives us another alternative to look at and we need to look at that alternative. I think that the thing for you to consider is, what are the alternatives that we have? We have 1120 out there. We've discussed a number of alternatives on 1120. A number of things have failed on 1120. That does not mean that I'm ready to give up on the fact that I want to exempt all personal property. Personally that's my position. I think that's what we ought to do, but I'm also not going to tell you that I'm going to vote against something that does tax personal property in the end. I can't tell you that right now and I think it's bad for people to dig in their heels and say that right now because what they are saying is they are going to tax personal property. If you say you're not going to vote for any kind of bill that puts personal property on the tax rolls, what you're saying is I'm willing to vote that all personal property gets put back on the tax rolls. That's what you're doing. You're not taking it all off. You're voting to put it all back on. That's what present law is. You put it all back on the tax rolls. We cannot do that in this body. I think that's devastating to the economy of the state, in all sectors of the economy. We do not need to do that at this time. At this time I would simply urge you to bring 1063 to the floor. We will continue discussion on LB 1120. That will be the bill that will be up first and then the discussion will take place on 1063 after some action has been taken on 1120. I would encourage you to vote for this motion and bring 1063 to the floor. Thank you.

SENATOR CONWAY: Thank you, Senator Baack. The motion is to place 1063 on General File. There is still one person who hasn't checked in, Senator Baack. He says to proceed, so all those in favor of placing LB 1063 on General File vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? A record vote has been requested. Have you all voted? Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: (Read record vote. See pages 1005-06 of the Legislative