

that's a consequence of what we've done, but at least you are providing them with the opportunity to vote on this issue and I think that's extremely important. You're not making the final decision on this issue when you pass LR 219. All you're doing is you're saying to voters of this state, you are being provided with the opportunity to make the decision on how taxes are going to be handled in this state. With that, I would urge you to vote for the suspension of the rules and then to vote for LR 219. Thank you.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Speaker Baack. We will now vote on the motion to suspend the rules. All those in favor please vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Please record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 34 ayes, 10 nays, Madam President, on the motion to suspend the rules.

PRESIDENT MOUL: The motion is adopted. We will proceed with Final Reading on LR 219CA.

CLERK: (Read LR 219CA on Final Reading.)

PRESIDENT MOUL: Mr. Speaker.

SPEAKER BAACK: I would request that all the senators please check in before we vote on this.

PRESIDENT MOUL: We are at Final Reading. The house is under call. Would the senators please check in so that we can proceed with the vote. Senators, please check in and please return to your seats, the house is under call. Senator Bernard-Stevens, would you please check in. Senator Wickersham, Senator Withem. All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LR 219CA pass providing for the submission of this proposition at the next primary election? All those in favor please vote aye, opposed nay. Please record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: (Record vote read. See page 1318 of the Legislative Journal.) 36 ayes, 11 nays, 1 present and not voting, 1 excused and not voting, Madam President.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Since LR 219CA did not received the required four-fifths majority, we will now vote again. Shall LR 219CA