



Ninety-Ninth Legislature - Second Session - 2006
Revised Committee Statement
LB 706

Hearing Date: 15 February 2005
Committee On: Agriculture

Introducer(s): (McDonald, Louden)
Title: Eliminate fence viewing and provide for mediation for resolution of fence disputes

Roll Call Vote – Final Committee Action:

- Advanced to General File
 - Advanced to General File with Amendments
 - X Indefinitely Postponed
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Vote Results:

6	Yes	Burling, Erdman, Fischer, Kremer, Preister, Wehrbein
0	No	
0	Present, not voting	
2	Absent	Chambers, Cunningham

Proponents:

Senator Vickie McDonald
 Sherry Schweitzer

Joyce Oakley

Mark Eickhoff

Representing:

Introducer
 Seward County Clerk’s Office, Nebraska
 Association of County Clerks, Regulators of
 Deeds & Election Commission
 County of Nemaha, Nebraska Association of
 County Officials and County Clerks
 Richardson County, Nebraska Association of
 County Officials

Opponents:

Representing:

Neutral:

Representing:

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB 706 provides for mediation services under the Nebraska Farm Mediation Act to replace appointment of fenceviewer panels for purposes of resolving disputes between adjoining landowners regarding responsibilities for erection and maintenance of a shared fence. The bill makes necessary revisions to the Farm Mediation Act and the Law of Division Fences to effectuate this purpose. LB 706 is a competing bill with LB 934 advanced by the Committee. The purposes for which LB 706 is introduced are addressed in LB 934.

Explanation of amendments, if any:

Senator Bob Kremer, Chairperson