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SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Koch.

SENATOR KOCH: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. The reason I am inserting the legal aspect of it is that this is being carried out in all bills today, making certain it is recognized as a legal newspaper and I don't believe there is anything controversial. But the second part of the amendment bothers me when I see that it should be posted in at least two public places. I don't know, two public places in a control area, and those of you who are concerned about the spending of the NRD Boards, it would appear to me that you'd want it published in far greater number of public places than two, because some of these control areas are rather large when you look at the geographic perimeters of them. So, therefore, I am saying that you must post it at least six public places in a control area, so the public does indeed have some opportunity to know what's going on, if they ever do read the public notices, and I sometimes have concerns about that as well. I ask for the adoption of the amendments.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Now we are now addressing ourselves to the Koch amendment to the original amendment. Senator DeCamp, do you wish to speak to the Koch amendment? Senator Keyes, do you wish to speak to the Koch amendment? We are now dealing with the Koch amendment to the original. Okay. Senator Cope, do you wish to speak to the Koch amendment? Senator Cullan, do you wish to speak to the Koch amendment?

SENATOR CULLAN: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, I would simply say that I think Senator Koch's amendment makes sense and I see no reason to oppose it.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The vote is on the Koch amendment to the Schmit-Cullan amendment. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote no. The Clerk will record the vote.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays on the adoption of Senator Koch's amendment.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The Koch amendment is adopted. The Chair now recognizes Senator DeCamp, and then Senator Keyes, and then Senator Cope. Senator DeCamp.

SENATOR DeCAMP: Mr. President, just as a practical matter, I think you're going to find the Schmit amendment is an absolute necessity. You may have read the paper the other day and it said the Attorney General said that the lid bill doesn't affect this law, or doesn't affect the mill levy. That, indeed, is true, but I think if you combine the two things, the budget that