you have an electronic surveillance it is...it keeps the person at home and you don't have to provide them with food or clothing So it really is a cost benefit, as well as still maintains that essence of public safety that is needed. I want to tell you and assure you that these are not violent offenders that are used or that are given this opportunity.

SENATOR LANDIS: That's your closing, Senator Pirsch. move to a vote on the advancement of LB 220. Those in favor vote aye, those opposed vote no. Clerk will record.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the motion to advance LB 220.

SENATOR LANDIS: The motion carries, the bill is advanced. We'll move to LB 234. The introducer is Senator Wehrbein.

CLERK: Mr. President, 234 was a bill introduced by Senator Wehrbein. (Read title.)

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Mr. President, members, I didn't get to you in time. I guess I better roll on over this, Mr. Speaker. I understand there are some amendments that have been filed and I guess we'll wait until another day. Thank you.

SENATOR LANDIS: You'd like us to pass over the bill for today, Senator Wehrbein.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Yes, yes.

SENATOR LANDIS: Thank you very much. In that ase we'll move to LB 372. Senator Chizek, the principal introducer.

CLERK: Mr. President, 372, offered by Senators Chizek and (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 11, referred to Judiciary, advanced to General File. I have no amendments to the bill.

SENATOR LANDIS: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Senator Chizek, to open on LB 372.

SENATOR CHIZEK: LB 372, colleagues, is a product of about two years of work by the staff into the adequacy of the current criminal sanctions against the fraudulent use of credit and debit cards. As you know, a credit card, like Visa, allows you