

that? The main construction firm...I guess Lueder Construction and are they now the contractor at Kearney?

SENATOR HANNIBAL: I believe it's the architect that is the same architect that designed the building, although the architectural firm itself is not the exact same firm as it was. And Senator Withem could probably enlighten you more than I on that.

SENATOR NELSON: Senator Withem.

SENATOR WITHEM: Yeah, the firm was Wilscum, Mullins and Birge who designed the pharmacy building. Two of the principals in that firm are still there. It's called Wilscum, Birge and Associates and they are the design professional on the Kearney building, not the contractor. Lueder is not doing the job but the architect is.

SENATOR NELSON: Sure. Thanks a lot, I appreciate that information. I will give Senator Hartnett the balance of my time if he would wish. Senator Hannibal, do you want more time? Enough.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Senator Wehrbein, please.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Question.

PRESIDENT: The question has been called. Do I see five hands? I do. The question is, shall debate cease? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, please.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays to cease debate, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Debate has ceased. Senator Withem, would you like to close?

SENATOR WITHEM: Yeah, I really would. This is probably going to be a machine gun type of closing because a number of things came up during the discussion I want to respond to. First of all, I think the fact that Gary Hannibal, who is not...does not have the reputation as a big spending member of this body, and I don't know if people knew that or not, is sincere about his support of this, you know, does...makes me question whether I ought to be questioning this and I know he has been through this with a fine tooth comb. His questions have been answered. I'm sorry, I still have some. The closing of the college that was