

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: How many acres do you think, approximately, is in this drainage ditch?

SENATOR KORSHOJ: Seventy-six to seventy-eight thousand, it was almost a dollar an acre assessment, if they decided they wanted to have it resurveyed and refigured.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Okay, thank you.

SENATOR KORSHOJ: And that was \$80,000, was the estimated cost.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: That will suffice for now, thank you.

SENATOR KORSHOJ: Okay.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. Senator Schellpeper, would you care to discuss the Korshoj amendment further?

SENATOR SCHELLPEPER: Mr. Speaker and members, yes. I would also have a question of Senator Roosevelt. Frank, this just deals with this one district, right?

SENATOR KORSHOJ: It's only going to affect one district. There are still several drainage districts, as I understand it. But they all contract their work out. Our district does their own work.

SENATOR SCHELLPEPER: But the way that your amendment is written it will only affect the one district, or will...can they all...

SENATOR KORSHOJ: It could affect any of them.

SENATOR SCHELLPEPER: Could affect any of them.

SENATOR KORSHOJ: But we have heard from no districts whatsoever. And we're going to probably see a lot of these districts disappear and the NRDs don't really want them, they don't have much taxing authority. But I think they're an obsolete form of government.

SENATOR SCHELLPEPER: So what you're saying is that there could be some other districts, but it has to be the same type district. You can't have the NRDs...