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disturbed when it wasn't put out as a bill. But I do think this will strengthen the use of the paper. And, again, I just ask all of you to vote for the resolution. Thank you.

SPEAKER BAACK: Thank you, Senator Crosby. We will now proceed to vote on LR 45. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote no. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of LR 45.

SPEAKER BAACK: LR 45 is adopted. We will now proceed to LR 46, also Senator Crosby.

CLERK: Mr. President, 46, offered by Senator Crosby, on page 968 of the Journal, encourages the Legislature to proclaim the month of March, 1991, as Youth Art Month.

SPEAKER BAACK: Senator Crosby.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Mr. Speaker, and members, I promise this is my last resolution this morning, at least. This is another one that's a real privilege and pleasure to introduce because a week or so ago, on a Saturday, I was privileged to speak to the group of young people who were involved in the Youth Art Month and the ones who received the awards from the Congressional Delegation for their art work. And the art exhibit is in the rotunda of the Capitol Building and it will also be in the State Office Building during the month of March. March has been declared Youth Art Month and I think it's just so important for our young people, beginning in preschool, wherever, to be able to express themselves creatively in the visual arts, in music, in dance, sculpture, whatever. And I think if any of you heard Branford Marsalis at the Lied Center a week ago, he and his brother started their music education and they came from a musical family but they were involved in the arts and education program of the state where they lived, that state's arts council. And Nebraska happens to have a tremendous arts and education program from our Nebraska Arts Council. It's a model for the...for our country...for the whole United States. We just do a tremendous job of arts in education in the public schools, the partnership between the Arts Council and the public schools. So it's just a real privilege to introduce this resolution and I hope you will all support it and that you will take advantage and if you have some time, to look at the exhibit of those young people who are...who won the awards and who are