

enough answer, I would like to go on and close on the bill and then perhaps use Select File to clear up any more questions that we might have. Mediation is a process which has caught on in the farm states area because of farm mediation. On the East Coast it's caught...it's been helpful in community disputes where there are community justice centers and community mediation centers. On the West Coast it's caught on because of environmental disputes and public policy disputes. Now LB 90 attempts to use this kind of mechanism which is lower in cost, quicker, voluntary and has a higher compliance rate than litigation. And I thought Senator Wickersham hit the button...hit the nail on the head when he said that clients who go through litigation process are oftentimes not satisfied with the results. It's adversarial, it's timely, time-consuming, rather, it's costly. Mediation has a higher satisfaction standard for people who pursue justice...

SPEAKER BAACK: One minute.

SENATOR LANDIS: ...than the litigation process. We want to make this, I think, available to the people of this state, give them an opportunity, put these programs in place and see what comes of them. I think that we will find that we will be very pleased as public policy that we have encouraged mediation for the ways for people to handle their conflict rather than going to court. I would urge the adoption and the advancement of LB 90.

SPEAKER BAACK: You've heard Senator Landis's closing on the advancement of LB 90. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote no. We are voting on the advancement of LB 90. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of LB 90.

SPEAKER BAACK: LB 90 advances. We will go to LB 90A.

CLERK. LB 90A, Mr. President, was introduced by Senator Landis to appropriate monies to implement LB 90.

SPEAKER BAACK: Senator Landis.

SENATOR LANDIS: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I move for the advancement of LB 90A. The first year is 109,000, the second