

January 31, 1992 LB 573, 696

CLERK: I have nothing further on the bill, Madam President.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Senator Will. Senator Will, we have nothing further on the bill.

SENATOR WILL: Madam President, I move the advancement of LB 696 to E & R for grossment.

PRESIDENT MOUL: You heard the motion to advance LB 696. All those in favor please say aye. Opposed nay. LB 696 is advanced. LB 573.

CLERK: Madam President, 573, I have E & R amendments pending.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Senator Will.

SENATOR WILL: Madam President, I move the adoption of the E & R amendments to LB 573.

PRESIDENT MOUL: You have heard the motion to adopt the E & R amendments. All those in favor please say aye. Opposed nay. The E & R amendments are adopted.

CLERK: Madam President, Senator Baack would move to amend. You will find the amendment in your bill books, AM2573.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Senator Baack.

SENATOR BAACK: Yes, Madam President and colleagues, this amendment is basically a rewrite of the bill. As the Bill Drafters looked at whether or not there needed to be E & R amendments, they made a decision that the bill simply did not flow properly the way it was originally written. They moved the definition section. They moved a number of other sections around to make the bill flow more smoothly. They also found there were some references in statute to some regional planning councils, and they wanted to make sure that we didn't preclude these councils from continuing to do their work. We didn't want to take them out of existence. So this would allow them to stay in existence. It would allow them to jointly...to move together jointly and eventually they hope, you know, we hope that these regional councils will be the same boundaries as are within the development districts that we are putting in place in statute. It still does not call for any funding for this. It allows us