

estimated to cost around \$60,000, and there would be postage for a variety of things, that would, all of that, just the cost to the county alone would be about \$700,000. Other costs that actually would not be handled by this, it would be handled through the state claims would be the cost associating for paying the publication and the notification in the papers. That would be something over and above the \$600,000. That is something that would be handled through our, as it regularly is, after the election through our claim process. But the amount of money appropriated in LR(sic) 3 is an estimate placed in the Secretary of State's budget to reimburse those counties in full. The money would be there. We would appropriate it. Over time the counties would submit their total bills to the Secretary of State and then it would be paid. If the counties' bills amounted to less than \$600,000, the Secretary of State could not use that for something else. We would let it lapse at the end of the budget year. If, for instance, that actually the counties submitted their actual costs in excess of \$600,000, and you could justify them, we'd probably at that time have to deal with a deficit appropriation to deficit appropriate next session anything over \$600,000. And so that is where the \$600,000 comes from, and with that, I would ask for advancement of LB 3.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Moore. Does anyone wish to speak to this motion? Seeing none, do you have closing, Senator Moore?

SENATOR MOORE: I'd move the bill be advanced.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Moore. You have heard the motion to advance LB 3. All those in favor please vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Please record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 41 ayes, 0 nays, Madam President, on the advancement of LB 3.

PRESIDENT MOUL: LB 3 is advanced. Do you have further announcements, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: Just one item, Madam President, Senator Hall schedules LR 9 for public hearing on Friday, July 12, at 9:00 a.m. That is all that I have, Madam President.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Mr. Speaker.