

happened to the last chairman of this board? He resigned. No one knows why he resigned. I have a list in my office of supposedly the money that we're going to give to the businesses but nothing in concrete. Now Senator Wesely stands up and says we should analyze these businesses before we do anything. Well, so I say to Senator Wesely, did we analyze the businesses that we gave the two million bucks in north Omaha? Senator Chambers stands up and says, I'm no farmer, yet he is involved in the farmers' business. He gives us his opinion. He tells us what he knows and what's going on, what's bad about it. He tells us about the welfare to the farmer. What about the welfare to everybody else, Senator Chambers, which far outdoes the welfare to the farmer? I can remember here a few years ago Senator Chambers went to Wallace, Nebraska to give a speech to the farmers. He was going to help those farmers. So that made him an expert but he stands up here on the floor today and says he is no expert. Now I'm not saying that I support the resolution because there are a lot of things wrong in the ethanol industry. But the reason I am standing on my feet and talking to you is I wanted to answer Senator Chambers' remarks and I feel that I have done so. Thank you, Madam President. Thank you, members of the body.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Haberman. Senator Schmit, followed by Senator Rod Johnson, Senator Wesely, Senator Nelson and Senator Haberman. Senator Schmit. Mr. Clerk, we have an amendment on the desk.

CLERK: Madam President, I do. Senator Schmit would move to amend the resolution. Would you like me to read it, Senator?

SENATOR SCHMIT: Would you, please, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Schmit would move to amend wherever the words "Cargill" appear in the body of resolution, Senator Schmit would strike that word and insert the word "Goodyear". Wherever the words "Nebraska City" appear in the resolution, strike the words "Nebraska City" and insert the word "Lincoln". And wherever the words "Otoe County" appear in the resolution, strike those and insert the word "Lancaster County".

SENATOR SCHMIT: Mr. Speaker and members, the resolution is not entirely facetious. Senator Chambers touched upon a point which we don't like to concede but we know that if it's built down in Senator Spencer Morrissey's territory, that's dangerously close