

Senator Beutler, do you wish to close?

SENATOR BEUTLER: Once again, Madam President, members of the Legislature, this is intended to be a friendly and defining amendment. It makes clear the distinction, I hope it makes clear, I believe it makes clear the distinction between programs that are designed to promote the capacity of areas to engage in economic development generally or to engage in particular categories of economic development and it is designed to preclude these monies being used for specific, a single specific project because those kinds of monies are provided in a multitude of other economic development programs that we have. So that's the sole purpose of the amendment. Thank you.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Beutler. The question before the body is the adoption of the Beutler amendment to LB 144. All those in favor vote aye, all those opposed vote nay. Have you all voted? Please record.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays, Madam President, on adoption of Senator Beutler's amendment.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: The Beutler amendment is adopted.

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

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Senator Maurstad.

SENATOR MAURSTAD: Madam President, I would move to advance LB 144 to E & R for engrossing.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Any discussion? Seeing none, the question before the body is the advancement of LB 144. All those in favor say aye. All those opposed nay. LB 144 advances. LB 137.

CLERK: 137, Senator, I have E & R amendments.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Senator Maurstad.

SENATOR MAURSTAD: Madam President, I would move to adopt the E & R amendments to LB 137.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Is there any discussion? Seeing none, the