

burden. And I...so I propose something that I hope perhaps Senator Withem can find in his heart to support or at least to refine, if he doesn't support it, to provide and to follow through with actually giving notice to people without making an undue burden or a latent defect that we don't intend to build into the law. I have other reservations about the tax policy and the concept we're dealing with, and a lot of questions yet, but on this issue I think that it's a good point. I think we should try to provide for reasonable notice and that's what my amendment proposes to do.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator. Senator Coordsen, your light is next, followed by Senators Dierks, Withem, Beutler, Chambers and Kristensen.

SENATOR COORDSEN: Thank you, Madam President. I believe that the Bromm amendment is, in fact, better language than what I drafted last Thursday and that that's printed in the Journal. I think it would provide that out in case of error or the inability to find the names of all of the landowners of record in the area and ought to be a part of this amendment. And, following that, I think the amendment ought to be adopted. Thank you, Madam President.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Coordsen. Senator Janssen wishes to announce that the following guests are visiting the Legislature. Connie and Kenneth Brand are here from Fremont. They're under the south balcony. Will you stand and be recognized, please. And Senator Bernard-Stevens would like to announce that Matt Hasenour is here from Wallace, Nebraska. He is under the north balcony. Will you please stand and be recognized. Thank you. Senator Dierks, your light is next.

SENATOR DIERKS: Thank you, Madam President. Members of the body, I just wanted to stand up and offer my support for the amended...this amendment that Senator Bromm has for Senator Coordsen's amendment and also express some concerns I had about the amendment of Senator Jones last week that failed, the one that changed the distance from ten miles to two miles. One of the big problems I have, of course, you have to understand is with the nuclear waste site issue in Boyd County, that site happens to be two miles from the City of Butte; could present big problems. The other thing I think that people forgot to mention or forgot about was, or I didn't hear anything about it, was the issue of township forms of county government and if a