

the line on this thing, he has got to make sure this passes in the State of Nebraska. We can't be one of the states that turn this down. Our Governor is going to make darn sure of that. This is the same Governor who is going to be here, maybe, and when they come back for ratification on these issues. So he is already up there saying he agrees with these proposals. He is pushing these proposals. He is pushing the entire conference....

SENATOR CROSBY: One minute.

SENATOR WITEK: ...and he is pushing these proposals. So you are going to have the support of the Governor of the State of Nebraska on these proposals. That is a power behind those proposals and it is something that this Legislature should consider, and if you want a legitimate say on whether those should be adopted or not, if you are not one of the delegates chosen, this is the time to say whether you agree with and whether you want our delegates to be able to vote for or against, more than likely for, this proposal to add a third way to amend the Constitution of the United States. I hope you will support this amendment. Thank you.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Senator Witek. You've heard the call...sorry, the house is under call. Senator Bernard-Stevens, Senator Beutler, Senator Lindsay, Senator Brashear, Senator Bromm, please return to the Chamber. Senator Pirsch and Senator Schellepeper. Senator Hall and Senator Jones. Senator Kristensen.

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: I'd ask for a roll call vote in reverse order please.

SENATOR CROSBY: Senator Chambers had already asked for a roll call vote. And Senator Kristensen has asked for it in reverse order. Senator Bernard-Stevens, Senator Beutler and Senator Bromm, the house is under call, if you would return to the Chamber. Senator Beutler. He is on his way. Senator Chambers, you say it is okay to go ahead. A roll call vote has been requested in reverse order. We are voting on the Witek amendment to LR 16. All those in favor vote. aye, opposed no. And, Mr. Clerk, would you call the roll.

CLERK: (Roll call vote taken. See page 1252 of the Legislative Journal.) 17 ayes, 18 nays on the amendment.