

subdivisions of government will not follow suit. It is under a "public be damned award" that Fairview township requires anyone to make copies of the township records shall pay the sum of \$25 in advance for the first hour of copying and \$10 for every hour thereafter after, and it is \$1.50 per page if the township copier is used, and notify the township secretary at least 14 days in advance so arrangements could be made to make the copier, the records, and the secretary available, and provides that if they want to bring their own copier, it's \$1 per copy for the original page. It's, of course, a very probably cost recovering for the Fairview township but hopefully our subdivisions and our agencies will not require that much from the public who wish to make copies. Thank you.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Senator Maurstad. Senator Wickersham, to close. Closing is waived. The question is, shall the Wickersham amendment be adopted? All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote nay. Record.

CLERK: 33 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the adoption of Senator Wickersham's amendment.

SPEAKER WITHEM: The Wickersham amendment is adopted. Mr. Clerk, next item.

CLERK: Senator Lindsay would move to amend, Mr. President. (See FA628 found on page 1929 of the Legislative Journal.)

SPEAKER WITHEM: Senator Lindsay.

SENATOR LINDSAY: Thank you, Mr. President and members, this amendment has been passed out. It should be on your desk. It is on page 1, line 5 of the Bromm amendment and line 21, would strike the language "sell public records or." The reason for that is as it stands now I think the language is at best ambiguous, and worse, it could be authorizing the sale of public records. I think it goes beyond what at least the proponents of these contracts are asking for. We have a...it would leave in the language of providing electronic access to public records for a fee greater than allowed by state law, but it takes out the question of actually selling those records. With this language in there, I think there is a question whether...whether Pat O'Donnell could go in and sell the Legislative Journals that we have for a fee because that is what it, as written it says or