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that...about this word, but I think this is a step forward in place of a step backwards. And hopefully there's more research being done on it for odor and everything on the lagoons, and I think there's a lot more research being done on what we could put in lagoons to help on the excess of nitrogen or phosphorous that we don't know yet. And I think anything like that, that we can have and be able to do it and have a suggestion from somebody that would help that, I think that's what we want to do and just leave this word in. So I'm going to oppose the amendment now. Thank you.

**SPEAKER KRISTENSEN:** Senator Beutler, you're recognized to close on your amendment.

**SENATOR BEUTLER:** I would like to speak again, Mr. Speaker.

**SPEAKER KRISTENSEN:** Okay.

**SENATOR BEUTLER:** Senator Bromm, if...since you are in the committee and were there for that discussion, let me engage you in a dialogue, if I may, because this is an anomalous situation to the extent that neither I nor Senator Schrock or anybody who's spoken so far would be against the use of advance technologies that would advance both the industry and protection of the environment certainly. So the question is, I guess, what does this amendment really do? Now, let me ask first of all, was there any evidence presented to the committee that the definition of "best management practices" that we've been using for years has inhibited anybody from advanced technologies? I guess I would be shocked.

**SPEAKER KRISTENSEN:** Senator Bromm.

**SENATOR BROMM:** Senator Beutler, I don't recall that there was any evidence presented of that nature. I do recall discussion and comment that the schedules of these best management practices should not be a static or nonchanging schedule and it should not be the same in every locale of the state, but that it should be an ever changing list of recommended activities, some of which would apply in one location and others which might be more applicable in another location. And I think this is intended to add that measure of flexibility from what I recall,