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PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Senator Janssen.

SENATOR JANSSEN: Thank you, Senator Schrock. Listening to debate this morning, I would kind of like to get back to what...the amount of bills that the Ag Committee gets. I know it isn't very many, but if you look at this state, the last time I checked it was still an agricultural state. The amount of incentives we've given to ConAgra, Cargill, Excel, IBP, the tax incentives that those people have taken advantage of, and what do they do? What are their commodities? Their commodities are agricultural products, ethanol, ADM, soybeans. Look at the amount of seed corn companies that we have in this state, probably too numerous to mention. In my part of the state that's big business. Hybrid seed corn is a big business, and it's getting bigger and we're seeing different types of seeds introduced all the time, Roundup ready soybeans. They already have Roundup...you can use on corn, and I think it's a shame. I've thought this over and Senator Beutler called me several months ago, or a few months ago. We had...I thought it was a good idea. And I understand what's happening in Judiciary, understand very well. I've had bills in Judiciary over the past few years, some of them good bills. I think they were all good bills, in my opinion, but that was my opinion. So there is something else we need to be doing rather than taking a day away from Ag. I hate to see that happen. I'm sorry, but I've changed my mind. I think that...I think we need an Ag Committee. This is my first year on the Ag Committee; haven't been there before. Sat in on a couple of meetings last year. We have a good committee, good chairman of that committee, we take it very seriously. Senator Chambers has been on the Ag Committee for several years; he probably knows as much about ag, being a nonfarmer, as anybody in here. Of course then Senator Chambers is pretty well versed on about anything. But I think it will be doing this state an injustice if we get rid of our Ag Committee. That's my personal opinion. It was there for a purpose, put in place for a purpose when agriculture was about the only thing we had in this state. It's still the number one...

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: One minute.