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interested in it. And I want to be sure I understand what this bill did, and I...it came at me kind of quick this morning. So thank you.

SENATOR SCHROCK: I understand.

PRESIDENT HEINEMAN: Thank you, Senator Wehrbein. Senator Janssen.

SENATOR JANSSEN: Thank you, Mr. Lieutenant Governor, members of the body. This is a good discussion we're having. And I'm glad to see that Senator Schrock is still allowing agriculture to use the tires for covering silage piles. I am assuming that...the way I looked at the book, that you can still use that. And habitat for fish is...tires have been extremely beneficial for fish habitat throughout some of the NRD lakes, and so on, that we have, and I hope that is still in there. Senator Schrock isn't shaking his head, but I believe it is. Bank stabilization is another thing. Blowouts, with the drought that we're having in this state, some of those blowouts...I know this spring we went out west to Whiteclay, and it was quite early in the spring. And the meadows are usually very green at that time of the year, and this year it looked just like they had been strafed with a bunch of bombs. The blowouts were tremendous. And I believe Senator Jones has said that these kinds of things are very beneficial for blowouts in the Sandhills. And, Senator Preister, could I ask you a question?

PRESIDENT HEINEMAN: Senator Preister.

SENATOR PREISTER: Yes.

SENATOR JANSSEN: In your last time on the mike, I thought I heard you say that there were some types of rubber tires that can go into landfills. Was that the solid rubber tire that's used on forklifts, or that type of tire, rubber?

SENATOR PREISTER: Currently, Senator, whole tires are banned from landfills, all tires. But this amendment, this bill, would allow those solid tires that can't be broken down and processed like other tires can be, those few tires would now be allowed,