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SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Beutler, you're recognized to open on AM3061 to LB 997.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Senator Cudaback, members of the Legislature, this is a friendly amendment. It goes to that section of the bill that allows them, in the instance where personal service or certified mail is unsuccessful, to otherwise give notice, and they can do that by either publication in a newspaper or by posting on the lot or ground upon which the nuisance is to be abated. So it could be that this posting on a vacant lot is the only notice they get. My amendment adds the word "conspicuously," conspicuously post, so that...encourage them to put it next to the street if the lot goes deep, encourage them to have a good-sized sign, encourage the sign to be above the level of the weeds. It's designed to encourage them to give a good posted notice. I think Senator Baker is agreeable to the amendment. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Beutler. You've heard the opening on AM3061. Open for discussion on that amendment. Senator Beutler, there are no lights on. He waives closing. The question before the body is AM3061 to LB 997. All in favor vote aye, opposed nay. We're voting on the Beutler amendment, AM3061. Have you all voted who wish to? Beutler amendment, AM3061. Record please, Mr. Clerk.

ASSISTANT CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays on the adoption of the Beutler amendment.

SENATOR CUDABACK: The Beutler amendment has been adopted. Anything further on the bill, Mr. Clerk?

ASSISTANT CLERK: I have nothing further pending.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Open for discussion on advancement. Seeing nobody wishing to speak, Senator Baker, you're recognized to close if you care to.

SENATOR BAKER: Thank you, Senator Cudaback. I agreed to leave the 12-inch height in the statutes as it is. I think some of