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SENATOR BAKER: That is correct. All those in favor of calling the house please vote aye; those opposed vote nay. Record please, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 30 ayes, 2 nays, Mr. President, to place the house under call.

SENATOR BAKER: The house is under call. All unexcused senators please check in, and unauthorized personnel please leave the floor. Looking for Senator Brashear, Senator Schrock, Senator Price, Senator Friend. Please check in. Senator Chambers, Senator Heidemann. Senator Schrock, Senator Chambers, and Senator Brashear, please check in. Senator Schrock, would you please check in. Everyone is present. The question now is whether debate shall cease. It will be a board vote. All those in favor vote aye; those opposed vote nay. Have you all voted who care to vote? We're voting to call the question. Record please, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 18 ayes, 13 nays to cease debate, Mr. President.

SENATOR BAKER: Debate is not ceased. We'll go back to Senator Stuthman; continue debate on AM2708. The call is raised. Senator Stuthman, recognized to speak.

SENATOR STUTHMAN: Thank you, Mr. President and members of the body. I'd like to engage in a little discussion with Senator Landis, if I may.

SENATOR BAKER: Senator Landis, would you respond, please?

SENATOR STUTHMAN: Senator Landis, you had explained in your opening remarks new territory that isn't in a territory around a metropolitan area or a municipality. That's kind of open range territory, as to who would service that territory. Who would be the individuals as to who would designate that territory to?

SENATOR LANDIS: The answer...the short answer is the Public Service Commission will determine, on the basis of proximity, efficiency, and good service, where in an unserved