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Westroads or the Northroads or whatever shopping centers we have would be carrying the load for these developers that went into this area. Now, I'd like to see it cleaned up. And al, talk about the river front and I think that is going to be taken care of under an SID form which will be all right, I don't care about it, if they pay it themselves and pay the taxes on it, but this here has one of the most far reaching implications you ever seen and I hope that Senator Goodrich will really explain what this is going to do and if he doesn't explain what it's going to do and he and Mr. Hassack, who came down and talked for it, don't understand it and don't see eye to eye on it, then they should but this is going to be one of the most far reaching things that you folks ever let get to the vote of the people. I could come out in my area, take an area of farm land, and it could be entirely possible, develop it into a full city and pay taxes on it like it was for the last few years. I think we ought to kill this thing right now.

SPEAKER: Senator Warner, did you wish to be recognized? You're passing? Thank you. Senator Stahmer, then Nore, then DeCamp.

SENATOR STAHMER: I'm not sure how Senator Keyes voted last year or two years ago to put a constitutional amendment on to benefit the rural people who have land surrounding cities. It was a great benefit I guess, to them and I supported that measure. I think perhaps Senator Keyes may or may not have, I don't recall, but I think this is something for the blighted area of the city not unlike what was done to help the farmer on the edge of the city. There are special problems in our urban areas. They affect both the farmer on the edge of the town and they affect the blighted area in the heart of town. I'd suggest for those who put the measure on the ballot to help the farmer, now do the same thing to help the blighted area.

SPEAKER: Senator Nore. We're still speaking on the Goodrich amendment and I would like to call your attention to that because that's the issue before the body at this time, the Goodrich amendment to his bill no. 72. Senator Nore.

SENATOR NORE: Mr. President, would you state the motion again.

SPEAKER: Pardon me, sir?

SENATOR NORE: What is the amendment?

SPEAKER: All right. The Clerk will read the amendment once again, please.

CLERK: Mr. President, the amendment is as follows: (amendment read).

SPEAKER: That's the issue before the body, right now. Is there any further discussion of that amendment. Senator DeCamp, do you want to speak on the amendment? Thank you. Senator Chambers, do you want to speak on the amendment? Thank you. Senator Frank Lewis, do you want to speak on the amendment. That's what we have before the body. Just on the bill? All right. Does anybody else want to speak? Senator Syas.

SENATOR SYAS: Just one thing. I urge the Senate to take, it's a suggested thing, in my committee report that we take this out. You take this out, then we'll discuss what's the real bill. I urge you to adopt this amendment, then discuss the bill and that will be the bill with this out. This is just extra stuff in there. It's not needed, in fact is, --

SPEAKER: Thank you Senator Syas. We have before us the amendment. Senator Snyder.

SENATOR SNYDER: Mr. President and Members of the Legislature. A question regarding the amendment, I wonder if they don't want