

allow for the decision to be made by the city council but to do away with the ability of the mayor to veto such an ordinance. The ordinance would be effective upon the majority vote of the council without necessarily the signature of the mayor. The testimony in the hearing was extensive as to the experience of this SID and the committee reported the bill out. The amendments that are offered by the committee were offered to the committee by the representatives of the bill, Robert Huck, who is an SID attorney, attorney for SID 95. They described the areas in which this kind of extraordinary procedure would apply and that would be in ordinances concerning a public park, playground or recreation facility improvement in an SID and it also adds to make it very explicit the language, "Governing body of such municipality in this case, Omaha, or county shall, the approval shall not be subject to any veto." It takes the executive out of the decision. It leaves the city council as the deciding body for the ordinances that would create or allow in SIDs public parks, playgrounds or recreation facilities. I move the adoption of the committee amendments.

SENATOR CLARK PRESIDING

SENATOR CLARK: Is there any discussion on the adoption of the committee amendments to LB 30? If not, all those in favor vote aye. All those opposed vote nay. Have you all voted? Record the vote.

CLERK: 31 ayes, 0 nays on adoption of committee amendments, Mr. President.

SENATOR CLARK: The motion passed. The committee amendments are adopted. Senator Koch, what do you wish to do with the bill? We have two other amendments first, Senator Koch. The Clerk will read the amendment.

CLERK: Mr. President, first of all, Senator Newell offers an amendment found on page 410 of the Legislative Journal.

SENATOR CLARK: Senator Newell.

SENATOR NEWELL: I think I am going to withdraw this but I want to make sure it is the right amendment so if I could just look at 410 for a second. Mr. President and members of the body, I would like to withdraw this amendment at this time and if my second amendment is adopted, then I will not offer this amendment to the body.

SENATOR CLARK: The amendment is withdrawn. The Clerk will read the next amendment.