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LB 74, 56, 269, 407,  
489, 500

permit fee money that we collect from others but they do have the opportunity to go to these parks without any charge. They can go to their city parks. Of course, I know there is a swimming fee if there is a swimming pool but, anyway, the City of Lincoln and the City of Omaha obtain their funds from the general fund. There is no possible way that we can get \$4 million from our general fund to pay for our park system. So for the present time and until we do find the money, as Senator DeCamp says, to give the people of the State of Nebraska the opportunity to come and go as they please and yet find the clean and all the equipment in the state parks that we have today, then we are just going to have to charge a fee and hopefully someday we can do what Senator DeCamp and Senator Chambers mentioned, get the money from other sources to keep up the park system and I urge the members of this Legislature to advance LB 74 from General File. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: The question before the House is the advance of LB 74 to E & R Initial. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record the vote.

CLERK: 28 ayes, 6 nays, Mr. President, on the motion to advance the bill.

PRESIDENT: Motion carries and LB 74 is advanced to E & R Initial.

CLERK: Mr. President, may I read a few things?

PRESIDENT: Yes, you may read some matters in.

CLERK: Mr. President, first of all, Senator Von Minden would like unanimous consent to add his name to LB 269 as co-introducer.

PRESIDENT: Any objection? If not, so ordered.

CLERK: Mr. President, Attorney General opinions addressed, one to Senator Lowell Johnson regarding LB 489; the second addressed to Senator Kahle regarding LB 407.

Mr. President, your committee on Public Works whose Chairman is Senator Kremer reports LB 56 to General File with committee amendments attached.

PRESIDENT: Ready then for the second bill on General File, LB 500. Mr. Clerk, you may read.