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are hurting, face to face with people who are simply saying to us do what you can and do it quickly. I know that as you deliberate here that you will, as I have witnessed you in the past, attempt at least to try to provide some answers if only to say that we've worked hard and we may only give you that hard work in response. I know that you have heard me in the past say this to you, but I will say it again, I value very much any individual who is willing to stand up and simply say I believe that this is right, or I believe this is wrong. In my brief lifetime I have witnessed people who are unwilling to do that, who will simply say, well, let things go as they are, or everything is relative, it really doesn't matter what is right or wrong. I happen to take the opposite position, believe that there is a right and a wrong and I have an undying admiration for individuals, such as yourselves, who are willing to stand up on the floor of the Legislature, to stand in front of the people of the State of Nebraska, to stand in front of your constituents and say that I'm going to sit here and make judgements based upon what I believe is right, based upon what I believe is wrong, and that collectively we will attempt to try to solve what problems we can. We will bring our wit, we will bring our intelligence, we will bring our willingness to sacrifice and discipline ourselves and our humor to the problems. We will attempt, collectively, to give honor to this system, this remarkable system that we call representative democracy. I welcome you all back. I know that we will have plenty of opportunities to disagree and plenty of opportunities as well to agree. I hope that when the smoke clears, way down there in June they tell me, when the smoke clears out there in June that Nebraskans disagree or agree with us, we'll be able to say that we served with honor, and that we served with pride, and we served to the best of our ability. Thank you very much.

PRESIDENT: Will the committee please escort the Governor from the Legislative Chamber. Thank you very much, Governor Kerrey, for coming over and launching our session. (Gavel.) Does the Clerk have matters for the record? Okay, first Senator Beyer, do you have a motion for the house?

SENATOR BEYER: Mr. President, I move to provide weekly mailings of all bills and journals without cost to county clerks and to provide boxes to the state agencies without cost.