

take credit for it, or the democrats want to take credit for it, or the house wants to take credit for it, or the senate wants to take credit for it, therefore it is not happening. We are almost getting bogged down in that in here ourselves. We collectively, the other day, said, you know, this is not a bad idea, let's do it. Now suddenly we're beginning to talk about how we're going to do it and we're all wanting to go, and we want to somehow be involved with it. As Senator Schmit pointed out, there are those people out there that say, you know, it ought to be farmers, it ought to be somebody that understands it. I would suggest that there are few of us in this body that do understand it. But let me say this, of that 20 member body, or however many members that in the end the Committee on Committees determines to send, however many, in the end, this body, determines to send, I think it would be folly, I think it would be stupid, I think it would be dumb and any other adjective I can think of for us to go through the list and say we've got to all be farmers. Who are we going to go back there and talk to? That is almost like the farm organizations advertising beef to farmers, or advertising pork to farmers, or advertising how good agriculture is to people in agriculture. We are going to go back there to talk to urban people. We are going to try to impress on them what happens in the farm belt, what happens in agriculture is eventually going to affect them.

PRESIDENT: You've spoken four and a half minutes, Senator. Go ahead.

SENATOR VICKERS: Thank you, Mr. President. It seems to me that we ought to have urban members of this Legislature, who understand how that correlation is there and affects them, talking to other urban members. For all of us to go back there as just farmers, I think, would be also unproductive. Even though I'm the introducer of this legislation...of this resolution, even though it was my idea, and even though I think there probably might have been some that thought I was doing it for some political purpose, which is certainly not the case, I would be happy to step aside, if that is going to be necessary, and let somebody else go. It's not that big a deal who goes, as it is that somebody go and point out that if we are going to get any resolutions to a problem, people have got to understand that we've got a problem and we've got it collectively. I suggest that we continue to try to get the other states to join us, that we simply set