

Now we are going to recess, I propose, to eleven-thirty this morning at which time this will give you a couple of hours to get those in to the Clerk. So we must be in session when those bills are reported in and I urge you strongly to get a few bills so we will have something to do tomorrow. And I'm sure it is just an oversight on some of the chairmen's part to get those reported back to the Clerk promptly. So do that, I am begging you to do it so we can work tomorrow. I hate to take tomorrow off just for fun, so thank you, chair people of the committees, for getting something reported by the end of the session today. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: Very well, LR 46.

ASSISTANT CLERK: LR 46 is offered by Senator Schmit and a number of others.

PRESIDENT: Is Senator Schmit here? Does anyone know where Senator Schmit is? Did he check in this morning?

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Read LR 46.)

PRESIDENT: Senator Schmit, are you here? Senator Schmit, please come to the floor. Your resolution is before the House.

SENATOR DECAMP: Oh, yeah, I urge you to support the resolution. It's about whooping cranes and habitat and you can read the resolution and it is self-explanatory.

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator Wesely.

SENATOR WESELY: Thank you, Mr. President. After that explanation by Senator DeCamp, I, too, would rise in questioning the intent of this resolution. Is Senator Rupp here? You're a resident expert on things like this. Have you had a chance to look at this resolution and can you tell us, since Senator Schmit isn't here, kind of what is going on?

SENATOR RUPP: Yes, I have. I don't see anything...it's a request for a study of exactly what the use is at this time. I don't know when the last study was conducted but it is a further request for more study of how much and when and if the cranes use the area.