

be accentuated and I haven't figured out yet how we are going to handle that. Last, but not least, I believe there are several counties, a number of them, that simply will not be able to raise the dollars needed under this bill to carry on state government with another vote of the people. I would have to support the DeCamp amendment in lieu of anything better at this time.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Haberman, then Senator Cal Carsten.

SENATOR HABERMAN: Mr. President, members of the body, I have three points to make. First of all, Senator Nelson, Senator Nelson, the man I got this information from has been a manager of the ASCS Office for twenty years. I just now called him and reaffirmed, they do have the records back to 1977 on the wheat program and the allotment. So I don't know how long you worked in the ASCS Office or where you got your information, but my information is correct. They do have the records and this man has been there for twenty years. The other point that I am going to make, in front of you I handed out a little sheet. Oh, also, if I were in Senator Nelson's place and her county got a minus 8.3 in valuation, I would probably support it also. But on this little sheet that I handed out, the figures that are in black are the price. Now if you will look, in Chase, Hayes, Dundy, and Hitchcock we got \$2.82 for corn, but then you go to Douglas County and they got \$2.80. Now that is only 2 cents difference. So I am questioning these figures because their price should have been 30 to 40 cents higher due to they don't have to pay any freight. But you look at Douglas County and what happened, their values went down. Their values went down although they are making more money per bushel. Now let's go up to the ASCS loan rates for the average for five years. Chase County's loan rate was \$2.44. Douglas County was \$2.43. Well, there is a penny difference but again you have got your freight, but they lowered the value of the land. Chase County went up 8 percent. Keith went up 4 percent. Arthur went up 11 percent. So I don't know where the figures came from for the formula but I sure question them very, very much because you can take statistics and figures and do anything you want to with them. So, therefore, I say it can wait. We don't have to do it. We can adopt Senator DeCamp's amendment and take another look at this because there is already confusion on the floor, confusion on the formula, confusion on the prices. Senator Nelson and I have had a disagreement which