

Nebraska Legislature, this amendment puts on a one year sunset for the 90-10 rule. I sat down with county officials, and school officials, and city officials and they said to me with a one year sunset on the 90-10 rule this bill becomes a more acceptable bill to them. They did not say this is a wonderful bill, but it is more acceptable. I wrote a one year sunset provision. It is my intention to have a thorough study of the whole issue this summer and fall, to come back next session with many recommendations for change, to get those recommendations implemented. And I think a sunset is appropriate. So, with that, I would offer t. sunset amendment.

SENATOR LANDIS: Thank you, Senator Johnson. The only light on is Senator Pappas. Then back to close.

SENATOR PAPPAS: . Yes. Mr. Speaker, colleagues, could I ask Senator Johnson a question, please?

SENATOR LANDIS: Senator Johnson, would you yield to a question?

SENATOR V. JOHNSON: Yes.

SENATOR LANDIS: Senator Pappas.

SENATOR PAPPAS: Senator Johnson, you have been known in the past not to introduce the best amendments in the world. I'd just like to ask if you sincerely believe that this is a good amendment?

SENATOR V. JOHNSON: This is the best amendment in the world.

SENATOR PAPPAS: Then I will support Senator Johnson's amendment.

SENATOR V. JOHNSON: Thank you.

SENATOR LANDIS: That brings us to closing. Senator Johnson.

SENATOR V. JOHNSON: LB 1258 has a policy in it that I have had a lot of discomfiture with, and so have others, which is to, in effect, say to local government that they have to pick up 10 percent of our homestead cost for one year, actually for the indefinite future. One of the ways to make a questionable policy more palatable is to sunset it. This sunset provision, the local governments have agreed to, I have agreed to, I hope the body agrees to it. That is what it does.