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we can proceed with Final Reading. Thank you, senators. We will start with LB 795, I'm sorry, 731E.

CLERK: Madam President, LB 731, I have a motion to return the bill from Senator Conway. Senator Conway would move to return for a specific amendment. The amendment is on page 1148 of the Journal.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Senator Conway.

SENATOR CONWAY: Thank you, Madam President, members, the amendment that was filed was a request to return back to Select for a specific amendment, which if you were to notice on the bill when you...on page 9, line 6, we talk about the various activities that one can engage in with respect to the joint efforts of these interlocal cooperative activities and it says that purposes may include but shall not be limited to, and then a colon, and a whole laundry list of various things. And I guess I have a couple of questions for Senator Coordsen, if he would respond, please.

SENATOR COORDSEN: Yes, Senator Conway.

SENATOR CONWAY: Senator Coordsen, when the laundry list was provided it was not meant to be totally inclusive of all situations that one might enter into these cooperative agreements. Is that correct? Or was this list meant to be pretty much everything that one could dream up that should be allowed under this provision?

SENATOR COORDSEN: Senator Conway, the language that I think you cited "may include but not be limited to" and then the 13 items that are listed in the bill are suggested things that they may be, may be used for the agreement reached under 731, it does not exclude. Certainly anything that is currently permissible under the Interlocal Agreement Act, the concerns that you have with regard to libraries, et cetera, would be permissive under this particular bill.

SENATOR CONWAY: So, had I been involved in the creation of this instrument and that laundry list, had I said how about libraries, senior citizen centers or community activity centers, you probably, in terms of your intent, would have said, yes, those are good examples as well.