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Good morning, Chairman Luick and members of the Agriculture and Veterans Affairs Committee. For the record, I am Senator Don Schaible, District 31, here to introduce SB 2202. This bill request was a concern of some patrons of mine, and as their senator, I believe it is my responsibility to get their concerns to the table. The intent of this bill is to change how the membership of the North Dakota Beef Commission are selected to a procedure to have them elected. Mr. Chairman and committee I am not a rancher and have no expertise in the workings of the ND Beef Commission, so I am going to let cattlemen behind me to explain the rationale and reasoning for this bill.