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to be air conditioned. The funds are there and does that answer...I mean this was the next choice building that was to be used for the veterans if it wasn't used, you know, if we had more population for the Regional Center people then, then that would not have been done, you know.

SENATOR GOODRICH: What I'm thinking about was the capacity, for example, for handling of the Regional Center patients, we have the capacity in the Administration Building, the facilities with which to do it, but we don't have the capacity in some of the other buildings. The other buildings are rated in such a way they can't be used and if we were to do this thing, the most economical way, we could move Building 9 instead of...or transfer Building 9 instead of the Administration Building which includes the new kitchen and the housing facilities for the residents.

SENATOR KENNEDY: Building 9, if it would have passed the veterans inspection so to speak, which it has not been done because of the planning, this was the building that was planned for that. So it would not pass the veterans inspection but there is plenty of room in this building, I am told at this time to do what we're doing by using the Regional Center population and the veterans. I'm saying we're trying to utilize the facilities as they are without spending any more money. They are accepted.

PRESIDENT: Senator Cavanaugh. And then Stahmer and then Hasebroock.

SENATOR CAVANAUGH: Mr. President, I'd support Senator DeCamp's motion to refer this to public hearing. It was also my understanding when the bill was introduced that there was no controversy and I also have received letters from people in Norfolk. And I think when we are avoiding a public hearing or put a bill directly on General File that it's generally because it's an extremely urgent matter and does not involve controversy. But when there's a difference of opinion among the residents of a particular area and this is a localized issue, I think we do a great disservice to ourselves and to those people if we don't give them the opportunity to express themselves in public hearing. And the public hearing is the only place that this system provides for the people to express their opinions on an issue. And I think Senator Kennedy certainly misled us and possibly misled the people of his district when he presented the Legislature that this was not a controversial matter and that people up there had no opinion on it when they obviously have quite strong opinions. And we would be greatly dis-serving them and I'm surprised that Senator Kennedy doesn't seek to serve his people a little better by denying him or them a public hearing. So I think we should give it to them.

PRESIDENT: Now, Senator Stahmer, is he in the chamber? Does he want to be heard? Senator Stahmer, do you want to be heard? Senator Hasebroock.

SENATOR HASEBROOCK: Mr. Chairman and members of the Legislature. In the interest of fairness and this is the only question before the House would just be sent back to the committee for a public hearing and I think in the interest of fairness, it should be. I don't think we know enough about it and I think the people interested in it should have a chance to be heard, thank you.