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question as to whether this is the right approach. In the first place, the amount of money is hardly significant. It's almost an insult. Second problem is that it imposes upon the local communities and fire districts an additional financial responsibility to come up with the first hundred dollars which many of them can ill afford. Now, thirdly, I think the real problem is in supplying the needs of the local districts, their equipment, their training, the financing that they need to do their job well. Senator Baker this morning I think made a very good point when he referred to the problem associated with the recreational facilities at a lake in his part of the state. I have Lake McConaughy in my district. A handout was... I think Senator Hartnett handed out a three- or four-page handout this morning that recites the number of incidents at various recreational areas and lakes that belong to the state. And I think the problem here is the state is not meeting its responsibility. It's trying to freeload off of the local fire departments and local rescue units. Just to give you a specific example, I have a front-page news story here from the Ogallala newspaper, that's where Lake McConaughy is located, and it says last year there 269 emergency response calls at the lake during a 111-day period. That's more than two a day. These are fires, drownings, accidents, and this is a state facility operated by Game and Parks Commission in cooperation, of course, with the Central Nebraska Public Power and Irrigation District. But we look to the small communities to bear the expense of this. The little town on the north side of Lake McConaughy, called Lemoyne, actually, the original town of Lemoyne used to be in the bottom of the lake but when they built the dam the flooded the town and they moved it up on a hill, and it's just a very pretty little wide spot in the road. Their statistics are almost astronomical. They got called in on a couple of drownings and the expense estimate in one of them in just locating the body was \$112,000, and another was \$12,000, depending on the time and equipment that was involved in the attempt to locate the body or rescue the victim. So we expect an awful lot of our volunteers. And I think all of the speeches that have made here... been made here today are sincere and very worthy. Many of us have been involved in volunteer fire departments, rescue units, EMS work. There's, frankly, no way that we could compensate them adequately...