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need to hire a professional facilitator and a coordinator who has expertise in water issues, but not necessarily has a stake in this, water issues of the state of Nebraska. The money would come from the Soil and Water Conservation Fund, \$250,000; \$150,000 from the LUST Fund; and the other would be a grant request to the Environmental Trust Fund which we would not be able to access until next spring. There's a little presumption there, but we've had good feedback from the director of the Environmental Trust Fund. We've had positive feedback, so we feel confident that there's a good possibility that the other \$350,000 will come from that source. So we have taken any burden off the General Fund. Yes, it does hurt to take money out of the Soil and Water Conservation Fund. It does hurt to take money out of the LUST Fund, but I would remind you that the LUST Fund had \$6 million taken out of it. I don't think another \$150,000 is going to be a big issue. I will tell you that this task force is not specifically set up to handle water quality issues, but I would not object if that became a part of the discussion. But we will have good resources available to us because we have the COHYST study on the Platte River Basin, and we have the Attorney General's office who will work with it...with us. They'll have a lot of information on the Republican Basin, so those will be two good sources of resources for us. I can tell you that in my brief experience with Roger Patterson since he's come on board as director of the Department of Natural Resources, he's been well accepted in rural Nebraska. He's respected, he's a very positive person but he's not afraid to take a stand, and I don't think I'm out of line by saying he's very supportive of this. He thinks we can do something very positive with this. Water is not an unlimited resource, and as you go west it gets more so that way. We are blessed with a tremendous resource and if it comes to sharing of our water resources, I think the people involved should make that decision. Quite frankly, I think it's tough for the Legislature to make the decisions that may have to be made in the future, and I think a Water Policy Task Force can help us with that if some decisions need to be made. There are people in this state that think the answer is just to drill, drill, drill. And I think in certain areas of the state, this resource is plentiful enough that that's not a problem. But I don't even want to identify which areas of the state we may have a problem in