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this. I hope it's helpful. Let's do be careful...you know, when a bill has advanced on General File, guess what? It's basic. It's going to appear on Select File. You can count on that. It will come up. If you want to do some amendments to it, get them ready, do your work, advise people, be in consultation, because if we send...I'm not...this is not expressly directed to anybody. But let's make certain we don't send everything to Final Reading that needs to come back for an amendment that wasn't ready on Select File, because basically what we do then is have two Select Files, plus a Final Reading. So if we could have your cooperation in that regard, I would appreciate it. I think we're doing fine; hang in there. We'll get a better environment next week, or else, right? Somebody's budget is going to suffer for this. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Speaker Brashear. Appreciate the update. (Visitors introduced.) Mr. Clerk, LB 673A.

CLERK: LB 673A, Mr. President. (Read title.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Louden, you are recognized to open on LB 673A.

SENATOR LOUDEN: Thank you, Mr. President and members of the body. This is the A bill that goes with LB 673. It's not a great deal of money; it's something that if we can put it in there, it would be an incentive for the counties to go ahead and adopt the plan. And those that do have problems can receive a little bit more funding that what they've been doing. At the present time they've been funding these animal damage control on their own, so by adding some money to the wildlife animal damage control fund, that's a fund has been in there for several years. At the present time, it doesn't have any money in it, but by adding some money to it, it'll give an incentive and have something to get started on so we can have something to take a little bit of the pressure off of the counties that are trying to work with animal damage control on their own. Thank you, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator. Madam Clerk.