

bill which will take care of that if you want to pass it and I can support that kind of a bill but I think that most of us if we support that kind of a bill are going to feel heat like we haven't felt in a long time but if you are going to create a control area and not provide the financial base to take care of the problems, you really haven't done anything. It is a cosmetic approach. It comes back to what I said earlier about my favorite floor criteria for a bill. We have told you we have solved the problem, but we haven't really addressed the problem. I think that you want to remember this. If you pass the bill as it is drafted today, number one, you are going to have constitutional problems. I don't think you're going to get thirty days down the road and someone is going to challenge it on the basis that an urban area resident must have the right to vote. Number two, if that is held to be constitutional, you're going to handicap the natural resource district by not giving them the financial base they need to affect any of the control that they need and so then, number three, the natural resource district will have no alternative except to come to this Legislature and say, now you've given us the authority to create the control area but you have not given us the funding. You have destroyed our base. So having destroyed the base it is then your responsibility to provide us with the finances we need.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Time is up.

SENATOR SCHMIT: And that means that the Legislature will have to drastically and dramatically increase the contribution to the development fund and the conservation fund. That is round one. Thank you very much.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator DeCamp.

SENATOR DeCAMP: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, I have to have some additional information before I think I or anybody in this room can make an intelligent decision as to what we are going to do on LB 401. 401 implies basically a system to go with control areas, a system to get the control areas no matter what. Now it is my understanding from reading the media quite frankly, and some talks with some of the senators here, that a consensus has been reached by Senator Kremer, by Senator Schmit, by a variety of groups on LB 375 and I would suggest to you that there is a certain inconsistency between the direction 375 provides which is management immediately of the resources under a system of immediate determination of the needs and the use and the tools and techniques of management, in other words, the theory of management to avoid a crisis, to avoid getting in a situation of control area crisis reaction. If that is the case