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duce bills that are outside the Governor's call. It takes 40 votes to change that. I mean, there are plenty of protections...

PRESIDENT: One minute, Senator Newell.

SENATOR NEWELL: ...I think that Senator DeCamp's motion here is absolutely unnecessary and it sends a signal to our constituents that we are abrogating our responsibility. I think that is a bad signal. Johnny, your fears won't be realized because, in fact, there are many other things working for the Governor's proposal, like a solid majority in the Legislature.

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator Fowler.

SENATOR FOWLER: Mr. President, I would agree with the previous speakers and I am sure speakers that will follow, that we should not surrender the constitutional prerogatives that the people of Nebraska have entrusted with us within that document, the Constitution. We have it set up with a one House system. We don't have a second House to check our actions. We are responsible alone for what happens on the legislative side. I am surprised to hear it said that only one person's point of view, only one person's ideas are valid in the face of the crisis that we seem to be facing. I am not going to get into discussion of how we got to this point. It is sometimes attractive perhaps to let those who lead us into the crisis to be the ones with the responsibility to lead us out and I think Senator DeCamp might be suggesting that with this limitation. But the political advantage that that offers I think should be rejected for a sense of integrity about the legislative process and that sense of integrity says that we are here as representatives of the district, not as representatives of the Governor and that each of us may have ideas that within this call are appropriate ways to develop the reductions in revenue or the extra cash funds that the call has that the Governor may not have thought of. Obviously if the Governor feels it necessary to change his budget four months after it is adopted, he is not infallible. Therefore, it would not be inconceivable that within twenty-four, forty-eight, thirty-six hours he may accept, based on new information an idea from one of us. I would not think, and I have no idea of Senator DeCamp's visit with the Governor or any of his staff, that he would be so arrogant as to say that he has the only ideas that are valid to be considered. We might as well amend the motion to say we can't amend any of the bills if, in fact, no other ideas should be considered. I would hope in a state where we have only one House that we would guard very carefully those con-