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back out in the school districts, you go out and scrounge the bucks and then when someone complains to me about property taxes, all I have to say is, listen, we don't levy any property taxes. All we do is sales tax and income tax, go see the school board. Well, let's take...let's take the responsibility along with the credit, ladies and gentlemen. There have been references that the sales tax killed 662. If the sales tax killed 662, then the people bit the bullet on that. That was their decision. I think it ought to be done that way. I think that it's high time that we recognize that we are spending a lot of money whether it's this program or anyone else. Lay it out there and...

SPEAKER BARRETT: Time has expired.

SENATOR SCHMIT: ...see how you respond. Thank you, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. Senator Weihing, would you care to discuss the Warner amendment?

SENATOR WEIHING: I was going to speak on the Schmit amendment.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. Senator Moore, on the Warner amendment. Thank you. Senator Hefner.

SENATOR HEFNER: Mr. President and members of the body, I support the Warner amendment. I think we want to make it perfectly clear that we want this 1 percent sales tax to go into the Highway Cash Fund. We have a lot of road repairs to do. We have new roads to build. We have roads to be rebuilt. We've got bridges to replace. We've got bridges to widen and so I think we want to be absolutely sure that this 1 percent of sales tax would go into that Highway Cash Fund. Highways are very important to us in Nebraska. If we plan to do more economic development, we need good roads and I can see that especially in northeast Nebraska. We also need a new bridge across the Missouri at the Niobrara location. And to do all these things takes a lot of money and I do not want to see this 1 percent siphoned off. So we want to make it perfectly clear in the Schmit amendment that this 1 percent would go to the Highway Cash Fund.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. Senator Warner, your light is on, would you care to discuss your amendment at this point?