

been told that, if it's unconstitutional, then we may have to change the whole thing, if, if, if. However, all the rest of the appropriations bills, all the rest of the money we're spending, that's fine. Let's spend the money but not give it as property tax relief. Let's just tell the folks we're going to do this, get the good press, then we can go home and say, I'm sorry folks, there wasn't any money left. What did you do with the money? Well, we gave it to other people. What other people? Then you're going to have to explain, the teachers got theirs, the university got theirs, everybody got their money except the property taxpayer, he didn't get his money. No, he didn't get his, but everybody else got theirs. That's right. And 27 people up there said that's too bad, folks, that's just too bad you're not going to get your money. But we tried, oh, yes we tried. Now if it's unconstitutional, they are going to say, boy, we tried, but we can't do it because it's unconstitutional. It's the same story over, and over, and over every year I've been down here, we promise, and promise, and promise and then we manage to squeak out of it one way or another, but everybody else gets their money. So had I voted, I would have voted no. I passed so I could reconsider. And, with those words, because I don't think I changed anybody's mind, I will withdraw my amendment, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. The motion is withdrawn.

CLERK: Mr. President, the next motion I have is by Senator Warner.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Warner, please.

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, I'll...in view of the vote, I'll withdraw the amendment.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Warner, I did not understand your point.

SENATOR WARNER: I withdrew the amendment, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. It is withdrawn.

CLERK: I have nothing further on the bill, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: On the question of advancing the bill. I have a number of lights on, I'll simply go through them, if you'd