

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. Senator Conway.

SENATOR CONWAY: Call the question, please.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Conway moves the previous question. Do I see five hands? I do. Shall debate now close? Those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Please record.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays to cease debate, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Debate ceases. Senator Baack, for closing.

SENATOR BAACK: Yes, Mr. Speaker and colleagues, just a short closing. I want to make it perfectly clear that with the language that we're doing here this money is going to come from somewhere out of the medical center's budget. It's going to come from them. We're just stating here that we want this program to continue, this money is going to come out of their budget. It's not going to just materialize some place. This money is going to come out of their present budget that they have now. I want that to be perfectly clear. But this language, what we're doing here is we're saying the intent of this Legislature is that they continue the medical residency program. I'll be back in with a bill next year to fund it and to carry through with the appropriations process in a proper manner to do that. But I think what we're doing here is just intent language. Senator Warner did an excellent job of explaining the program and if we do not do this, this program will be phased out. There is no doubt in my mind about that. In visiting with the people that are the head of it, it's going to be phased out, there are no dollars to do it with. They are going to phase this program out. Rural Nebraska, the health in rural Nebraska is going to suffer when that happens. So with that, I would simply urge you to override the veto of this section. Thank you.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. The question is the override of the Governor's veto on Section 53, the Family Practice Residency Program. Those in favor of the override vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record, please.

ASSISTANT CLERK: 34 ayes, 8 nays on Senator Baack's motion, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: The motion prevails, the veto is overridden.