

SENATOR CONWAY: Thank you, Mr. President. Very briefly, again simply a situation where we are talking about placing a 4 percent lid on the subdivisions. We are talking about it sunseting in two years. Hopefully, it will help us transition through to the changes that are going to be resulting from 1059's activity. The 4 percent lid is on the subdivisions, can move up to as much as a 5 percent with a two-thirds majority vote on the part of the governing board of that subdivision, and the voting people naturally then have the ability to supersede even those particular standards. But it does give us that opportunity during this transition to see how this thing settles down without any unique situation that none of us would want to have to explain away, if one of those situations should come about. It is also relative only to the receipts with respect to the property tax and personal property tax levies that are received by that subdivision. If, in fact, there is other sources of revenue, that isn't what we are talking about. We are trying to hold down on the property tax situation, and that is what this affects. So with that, I ask the body to adopt the Conway amendment to LB 1059.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. The question is the adoption of the Conway amendment. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 29 ayes, 7 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of Senator Conway's amendment.

PRESIDENT: The Conway amendment is adopted. Anything further, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: Mr. President, the final motion I have at this time is a motion by Senator Chambers. Senator Chambers would move to reconsider the vote taken on Senator Smith's amendment offered yesterday. The Smith amendment is found on page 1303, and Senator Chambers' motion is to reconsider the vote.

PRESIDENT: Senator Chambers, please.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Yes, Mr. Chairman, and members of the Legislature, so it is clear, the amendment that I am offering a reconsideration motion on is the one that would take that 1 percent sales tax increase that is going to be on the automobiles and, Senator Smith, this is one where we don't put the increase on it, right? Let me ask Senator Smith a question