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SENATOR CHAMBERS: Is that local side a part of the Highway Trust Fund's operation?

SENATOR MOORE: Yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Was that a windfall?

SENATOR MOORE: As I said, yes, it was.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Was there a windfall to the Highway Trust Fund as a result of this percent?

SENATOR MOORE: That portion of it, yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you, you are a very honest, forthright man, that is why I wanted to ask you. But here is something else now. You had asked were there any additional projects built or constructed or whatever your term was as a result of that 1 percent, the money that was derived from that. Were there projects that the Highway, that the Roads Department was considering which were delayed for various reasons having nothing to do with 1059 or the 1 percent?

SENATOR MOORE: I couldn't answer that. I assume there probably...

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Was there...

SENATOR MOORE: ...was. I don't know the answer to that.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Okay, thank you. I will ask Senator Kristensen. Mr. Christian, I mean, Senator Kristensen, I would like to ask you a question, the same one I asked Senator Moore. Were there any highway...

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: Would you be offended if I said I wasn't listening to you?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Not at all, in fact, I would be offended if you said that you were because there is a great amount of envy on that side, you hear so many things that you don't know already. So, now, here we go. Have you got your thinking cap on and your ears open?