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these Omaha and Douglas County senators can explain why they went along with this stuff when the county board members continued to say, no tax money is involved. They're spending tax money even before they sell the bonds, which they may or may not be able to sell. I want to strike...

PRESIDENT MOUL: Time.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...the words that my amendment attempt to strike.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Senator Abboud, followed by Senators Will and Coordsen. Senator Abboud. Senator Will.

SENATOR WILL: Thank you, Madam President, members of the body. I would rise to oppose the Chambers amendment. I think that Senator Chambers, clearly his position is clear on this bill. He doesn't want to see this bill pass. He's drafted some amendments that I certainly would not argue that they are not substantive, but the effect of them, clearly, is to prolong the debate on this bill. As the members of the Legislature wander away, I would urge you, at this point, to oppose this amendment, let's work our way through Senator Chambers' amendment, see if we can arrive at a vote up or down on the bill. That's all I'd have to say at this point.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Will. Senator Coordsen.

SENATOR COORDSEN: Call the question.

PRESIDENT MOUL: There hasn't been sufficient debate on this issue. Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Madam Chairman and members of the Legislature, we've got nine days before us. And people can toy with me now, if they want to, and get away with it. But we have nine days. And we have a number of serious bills. So you all can call the question and you can cut me off, because I'll allow it today. But you're not going to be able to do it for nine days on every bill. So have your fun while you can. And we never know whether somebody might not die. I might kick off, as some of my colleagues have done, unexpectedly. So, maybe I won't be here, and I can't deliver on what I'm implying. But Senator Will doesn't want to deal with the amendment because it