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that they wanted to have for their children. So I've added one more factor here that makes this very complicated. I am willing to do this first move because I think that, along with Senator Withem's amendment which sets up this commission to begin to try and answer many, many of the questions we all have about this, that we will also examine what is happening with the foster care homes, as well as the group homes and the residential programs. I was not willing to move into this with the residential programs in particular because I am also concerned about what would happen, in fact, if we, in reality, schools don't appropriately serve kids and we then start a revolving door process and put at risk the residential programs that we do have to offer, and end up doing very expensive out-of-state placements, not to mention programs that are not particularly effective because they are so far away from the family and they lessen the prospect of rehabilitation. I support this amendment. I think that we are dealing more with a concept here than what we know in terms of direct impact. I wanted to throw out one other thing in response to Senator Schmit's comments. I am told that when they go to look for foster care homes they find whoever is willing to take a foster kid. They don't say, schools, will you take this kid if we place this kid in this home? I realize that then foster care homes have had some difficulties getting appropriate services from their school districts. If that kid is eligible for special education, then the schools have to provide an appropriate education and there is due process if they don't. And I know that one of the complicating factors here is if a kid is not in a foster care home long enough to take advantage of a due process system, that doesn't help them out at all. That's one of the issues we need to address through this commission that Senator Withem is going to propose that we put together to take a look at this. I acknowledge...

SENATOR WARNER: One minute.

SENATOR RASMUSSEN: ...that we have a lot of questions that need to be answered here and I look forward to the process of trying to come up with those answers. And I would urge you to support this amendment, as well as Senator Withem's, as what I believe is a step in the right direction.

SENATOR WARNER: Senator Ashford.

SENATOR ASHFORD: Thank you, Mr. President, and members,