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ways. And together I think we can form better policy and I hope we can start those new foundations, looking at new ideas in January. But we are here trying to make another patch, and it's a patch that's absolutely necessary because the new tire isn't ready to put on yet. Thank you.

SPEAKER BAACK: Thank you, Senator Elmer. Senator Rogers.

SENATOR ROGERS: Mr. Chairman and members, I've been listening to all the comments, Senator Schmit, Senator Lynch maybe has one of the best ideas, let's just start all over. I haven't heard any mentions of the...when we had the 3-R Committee hearings over the state, basically when we got probably 50 miles west of Lincoln, from there on out at every meeting we had, overwhelmingly they said how about a little income and a little sales tax. I realize this is probably a suicide movement for a Governor or maybe some other officials, but basically we heard that at every meeting, and in fact some of the meetings we'd have...the bleachers would be full and we'd had a show of hands, and it was unanimously, sometimes I think, how about a little income and a little sales tax. If you make it, you can pay it. Just because those of us have to own a sizable amount of property to make a living, and some years aren't too good, some years are, I realize that the sales and income, if you make it, you can pay it. Thank you.

SPEAKER BAACK: Thank you, Senator Rogers. Senator Lowell Johnson.

SENATOR L. JOHNSON: I yield to Senator Loran Schmit, please.

SPEAKER BAACK: Senator Schmit.

SENATOR SCHMIT: Ladies and gentlemen, just a couple of historical facts. I was going through some clippings the other day and I noticed that when the 3-R plan first came out there was a poll taken by the usually reliable press. And they said there are 23 votes against the 3-R plan and 17 for it. Now one of the things that if you had a 23-17 poll early on that those who oppose the plan would be able to muster another 2 votes and go with it. Instead when Senator Hall's 1120 was up we couldn't put that together. Number two, I want to point out that I agree with what Senator Carson Rogers has said. Most people told me the same thing, you spend too much money, but if you have to have more money get it from the sales tax and income tax.