

SENATOR HILLMAN: Okay. If this appropriation is not made, will the State Fair Board find money for this or will there be no premiums for these kids?

SENATOR SCHELLPEPER: There would probably have to be a fee charged to enter projects at the State Fair.

SENATOR HILLMAN: Okay, so what we're basically then would be looking at going to what I would consider a user's fee.

SENATOR SCHELLPEPER: It would have to be something like that because if you're going to pay premiums you have to have some way to pay those premiums.

SENATOR HILLMAN: Okay, thank you.

SENATOR SCHELLPEPER: Currently, the dollars aren't there to pay them.

SENATOR HILLMAN: One of the things I would like to have the body understand that if this money goes into the State Fair Board, we're making in my estimation a policy choice here. We are putting state funds into an agency, General Funds that we have not done before and it will not stop at that amount. It never has in any agency before. Whatever the money here is going to be used for, for buildings, for kids, whatever have you, we are now putting General Funds into an agency that has never had General Funds before. Thank you. Thank you, Senator Lindsay.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Senator Lindsay, you have three minutes left exactly.

SENATOR LINDSAY: Thank you, Mr. Speaker and thank you, "Senator Who". The...I am going to withdraw this but I think there are some...there are some issues here that are of concern. When we talk about priorities, we look at funding of, and I think Senator Hillman has very adequately made the point, what we're talking about is not FFA, it's not 4-H. What we're talking about is starting down funding State Fair programs. If we're going to have funding for State Fair, it's something that may or may not be a legitimate state concern. But look at the dollars we're talking about and it's not a huge number, \$160,000 I think it was or roughly. The...when you compare that over in the