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These programs need this help. These heating and air conditioning systems are shot and this is a high priority and I would recommend the override for this particular purpose.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Lynch. Senator Wehrbein.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: I'm going to be very brief, Madam Speaker and members of the body, and answer Senator Janssen's question...Jensen. Out of the 720,000, 493,000 would be eligible for 309. Did you hear me? Senator Jensen, out of this...

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Senator Jensen.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: ...out of this...Senator Jensen.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Senator Jensen.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: I just...I just wanted to tell you the answer to your question. Out of 720,000 at Beatrice, 493,000 is eligible for 309 money. So it's a little over half is all, and that would have to do with the heating, the fire and safety issue. So I just wanted to clarify that. That is figured out. It is not totally eligible for 309. We put another million dollars in, by the way, 309, for the next two years, which is up significantly from what we've been doing. It's not quite as much as the Governor put in but then we took the money and put it in. Some of it went to Norfolk State Hospital, which he did not put in. And so that's how the figures play. Thank you.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Wehrbein. Senator Hall.

SENATOR HALL: Question.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: The question has been called. Do I see five hands? I see five hands. The question before you is, shall debate cease? All those in favor vote aye; all those opposed vote nay. Time. Please record.

CLERK: 28 ayes, 1 nay to cease debate, Madam President.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Debate ceases. The Chair recognizes Senator Wehrbein to close. Senator Wehrbein waives close...

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: I'm going to defer...if Senator Maurstad