

want some accountability in this system, because it happens, all of us know it happens. And there were a lot of good reasons that, two years ago, that we put this into the law. And I think it's ridiculous that we consider, two years later, turning around, without a hearing, without probably any, if any, very little public knowledge of what we're trying to do. You know, we can't even get MADD in here, or PRIDE Omaha to even be aware of what we're going to do. And at the eleventh hour here we're going to...

PRESIDENT ROBAK: One minute.

SENATOR WITEK: ...rescind something that they were all in favor of two years ago, I'm still in favor of it. I won't vote for this amendment with this provision in it. And I hope the majority of individuals on this floor will not support it. Thank you.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Witek. Senator Lindsay.

SENATOR LINDSAY: Thank you, Madam President. It's real uncomfortable to keep agreeing with Senator Witek, but I'm going to do it again. (Laugh.) She raises again the points I guess I was making, the same as those. When...we're into a season where it is natural that kids are going to drink at graduation time. And here, a month before that, we're going to say...we're going to say we don't know if this law works, but in case it doesn't...I mean in case, even if it did we're going to go and repeal it. I don't know how are Mothers Against Drunk Driving going to respond? How is PRIDE Omaha going to respond? how are some of those groups that I assume worked for it, how are they going to respond to this? Are they aware that it didn't work or didn't have...didn't result in convictions or what all those things that the commission, I guess, has indicated? It's something that I think Senator Witek is probably right, it does deserve a public hearing. When Senator Landis first brought this, I figured it as kind of an innocuous sort of thing and frankly concerned that it was going to bring votes onto the bill. But as we progressed through, as pointed out by Senators Witek and Pirsch, I think it raises a concern, is this again adding wiser policy to the wise policy that we had before? I don't...I don't know that that is...I don't know that that is wise policy to do that. Senator...Senator Witek mentions that, what was it, two or three weeks ago we have four teenagers with