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years ago but even in recent years, and then move forward into new programs? And I, actually, frankly, I'll say it on the speaker, many of you have come to me about new proposals that you're introducing that have A bills and you say to me, surely, there shouldn't be a fiscal note on this. Well, I will tell you that some of the problem agencies are having now are fiscal notes and A bills that were put on them in years past that did not have a fiscal note, quote, did not have a fiscal responsibility, quote, and now guess what. We are seeing it in our committee as we have to add a person here, a person there because workload's been increased. So this is an ongoing issue, I realize that, and I don't know the exact answer as we head forward into May, but I do believe that at this point putting...taking this amendment off is the correct thing to do. Get it out of this trust fund idea and let that continue forward, see how that works, look at it in the future, if that be your desire. But I believe we ought to return this at this point, get that out of there, make it a true straightforward General Fund, let it compete with all the others and correct the mistake that I think I made...

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: One minute.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: ...myself a couple weeks ago. Thank you.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Senator Beutler.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Senator Kristensen, members of the Legislature, first of all, let me say to Senator Byars that I'm sorry to put you in this difficult position. I wasn't intending it to be difficult. And secondly, let me say to Senator Jensen that I appreciate his defending the point of view that he is defending. But let me say thirdly that I don't think it's a mistake to do what we did and that, in fact, it is the most logical and fair thing to do. I do not think in any sense, although the hyperbola that has been coming in letters to you talks about breaking the trust and abandoning the intent of the trust and the...and crushing the integrity of the trust, I think this amendment does none of those things. Let's step back a minute though and talk about some of the other interests that we have in this Legislature. In fact, let's talk about what we did just yesterday. Just yesterday the Legislature decided, with