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We're going to do it in the name of education. Good. We're going to make sure we lock in property...the property tax situation so that we do not unfairly go back to those who have so long suffered under an unjust property tax system, that we didn't lead them out of, although we're trying. Good. But we all need some accommodation.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: One minute.

SENATOR BRASHEAR: We all need some opportunity to discuss good ideas. And the process ought not control informed, frank, open debate, I respectfully suggest, and decisions made thereafter. That's what ought to control on the big issues that concern you and your people and your constituents, and on the big issues that concern me and my constituents an opportunity for debate and discussion and decision. And, with that, I've gone just about as far afield as I've ever gone on this floor, and I thank you for your patience.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Brashear. Further discussion. Senator Quandahl. Senator Quandahl waives. Senator Chambers, you're recognized on the motion to suspend the rules.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, I'm somewhat taken aback. That was a wonderful speech. Too bad it couldn't have been given in behalf of a more worthy cause. (Laughter.) Now, as Senator Bohlke pointed out, I generally oppose motions to suspend the rules, but I am not so hide-bound that I will strenuously oppose something just because I have said that I will oppose it. Now, that's not like my good friend, Senator Bohlke, who says she has set a principle for herself never to vote to pull a bill out of committee. So, Senator Brashear and Senator Quandahl can mark at least one person off that you need to even talk to about pulling a bill out of the Revenue Committee. But on this matter that Senator Brashear is touching on, I think it goes much deeper than just this bill, LB 149. If you listened, you see that he is making a plea, not just to the Legislature, but to those who are in other branches of government to not sit off at a great distance and throw stones and bricks, like...now, he didn't say this, but I'm going to add this, tailgating on what he opened the door for, I