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indicated...they spoke to me and said, we will do them regardless. And you have to remember, they haven't had these federal funds, a lot of counties aren't getting them at all anyway, but those who are, have not been receiving them all along. They were doing the job before these federal funds came along anyway.

SENATOR BROWN: There was passed out a list of all the counties and the amounts that was received. And you might want to reference those, the counties. And I would remind everyone that under 637 the counties would continue to receive assistance that they received for enforcement, the county attorney portion, and would continue to receive about one-third of the amount that they receive for the clerk of the district court portion of it. But I hope that everybody on this floor...

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: One minute.

SENATOR BROWN: ...has the same understanding that Senator Baker does, that what we are going to be asking now, if we adopt the Bohlke amendment, if we do not pass...or if we do not pass 637, if we do not take seriously the very real option of sanctions, which is, I believe, is there and it's going to happen, the federal government...Congress, it's not even the federal government, it is...Congress has made the determination and has given very little discretion to the...to the administration in terms of not sanctioning states that are not complying because this is such an important issue...

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Time.

SENATOR BROWN: ...across the nation. Thank you.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Brown. Senator Beutler.

SENATOR BEUTLER: I would give my time to Senator Brown.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Senator Brown.

SENATOR BROWN: Thank you, Mr. President. With...with the discussion that I just had and with the hope that each of you understands, as you go forward in the voting, as Senator Baker