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even Stevie Wonder and Ray Charles, bless their hearts, will be able to see the value of what was done. Nobody will have to scratch his or her head and say, where did that money go? You can put them in a car, if there are enough of them, Senator Hilgert, you can put them in a truck, Senator Bourne, if they are the flashy kind of people who really like to move rapidly, they can be put in that little red streamlined car of yours, and driven right to the locus, the situs, the place where that money was spent, and you can point with pride, not view with alarm, and say, here is your money in action.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: And I don't know that there would be anybody in the state who would condemn us for what we had done. So the purpose of this bracket motion is to allow discussion on any element of the budget that anybody pleases, but also gives an opportunity for further discussion of the amendment that is being drafted. Thank you, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Senator Chambers, your light is on next, if you'd like to proceed.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Yes, I would, as if I didn't know and as if I wasn't prepared. I would like to make a comment about the hard work that Senator Thompson has put in on these juvenile issues. Let me tell you all something. When it comes to persistence, Senator Thompson ranks right up there with the anthrax bacillus. She came to that Judiciary Committee so much with so many bad ideas, not because the intent was bad but not workable in this imperfect world, that when Senator Thompson would be on the agenda, because we have a courteous committee the groaning would occur before she came into the room. Then everybody would get that glazed look over their face and say we will endure this, then we'll kill all of her bills; not all of them. But you had to give respect to the hard work that she did put forth. And although I wanted to kill the majority of the bills that she brought, I was pleased that there was somebody willing to push and push on the issue of fairness to juveniles all across the board. And again, if this were a perfect world and we could wave a wand and those things which ought to be done would be done, not only would Senator Brown...Senator Thompson's bills