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friend, is blowing in the wind. The answer is blowing in the wind. There are those of us who can tell you that Latinos, Native Americans, black people have very serious problems throughout this state. I was talking to a lady here from Washington, D.C., and she was in my office this afternoon, said she was struck by how white this state is. She's from the east. Well, people who live in this state and don't have these problems believe they don't exist. That's why we have a problem because people who are helping create the problem say there is no problem; everybody is treated fairly. A lot of the colleagues on the floor I know don't believe that. They probably are embarrassed by the answer, and if they are not, they ought to be. That's why I don't waste my time addressing some of these rural groups who ask me to come out and talk to them about problems. What kind of problems, they don't even believe they exist, so they want me there for entertainment. I don't waste my time. I don't waste my time arguing with people who say, well, racism is long gone; everybody is equal now and justice prevails. But the difficulty is that the problems do exist, but when those who are in a position to help rectify them deny they exist, then we have a problem. I am sure there are people, in White Clay, Nebraska, say there is no problem with the Native Americans. There are no problems between us and them up here. Outsiders are causing those problems. Just like when my people, black people, were complaining about segregation and discrimination, they said the only reason we did was because the "comminist", they can't even say communist, the "comminist" are the ones doing it. The "comminist" are telling them be upset, the "comminist" told this black man be upset because when you take your child down the street and the child wants a drink of water, and the sign says white, he or she cannot get a drink of water there. The "comminist" is the one who has to tell us that black people lose faith with their children when cops can treat them like criminals when they are taking their child to church. "Comminists" are the ones who tell us that, but white people just know that, that kind of degrading,...

SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...demeaning treatment is not appropriate. They understand it but not when it comes to us. Some people cannot conceive of the fact that I care about my black child