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another 0.4 below, then the status if \$100 million, approximately a \$100 million down if we did every thing you see on the sheet. A plus is just as easily a negative. A plus is just as easily a negative, and what you have to do is find the line between all of the pluses and negatives over a long period of time, and that's the advantage of the process that we've used now for many years. It does help us weave our way along and find that steady line between what is otherwise historically a series of ups and downs. Please don't be misled by that discussion. You cannot chase your troubles away with \$55 million that you don't have. You cannot do that. We cannot do that. Now the idea that we have to balance four years out I think is a valid one. Now you may balance within some parameters. It isn't exactly...we aren't going to be required to have a minimum reserve as we do within the current biennium. We're not required to exactly balance in those out years. But certainly in any degree of prudence, we can't have a large number, like 50, 55 million dollars, in that out year for the plan. That just isn't going to happen. It isn't going to show up in all instances. Now Senator Beutler didn't note for you that even though there may be some uncertainty about the revenues that may come in, and he's saying, well, think about having higher revenues. Well, okay, think about having higher revenues but think also about having higher than projected costs. We have also in a couple of the last years underestimated cost increases. Why do you think we had 60, 70 million dollars of deficit appropriations? We underestimated costs. What if that happens to us again? What's going to happen to our budget because of the increase in gas prices? I don't think that's completely factored in. What's going to happen to our budget if the next round of salary negotiations with state employees...

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: One minute.

SENATOR WICKERSHAM: ...comes in higher than what we have currently budgeted? And that isn't altogether unlikely. That's a pretty large number. Change that number a couple of percentage points and see what the out years look like. So it isn't only revenues that are subject to some estimation process. It's also expenses that are subject to some estimation process, and the expenses may be estimated a little bit low as well. Now