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inform myself enough so that I can take a position based on the exercise of my judgment, and not just acting on faith because the committee agreed or the municipalities group brought it to the Legislature. These small towns, in my view, do not have so many buildings to inspect that this inspector is going to be running around with his tongue hanging out every day of the week, 24 hours a day, inspecting buildings. And if that's what he or she is doing, an understanding of what inspection consists of is lacking. I do not believe that these police officers in these little towns are tracking down dangerous criminals 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Maybe somebody's dog barked and the dog shouldn't. So if the cop is smart, he'd go throw the dog a bone or tell the people whose dog it is, give the dog a bone or something, but this is not a police matter. Maybe a cat ran up a tree, and they called the cop. Then the cop could tell them, be patient. Cats go up trees. What goes up must come down. The cat's going to get hungry. The cat will hear the call of nature and answer it. So you just be cool, be patient, and let nature resolve this. And then go back to the doughnut shop and eat his doughnuts, or whatever they do in little towns. I think this is a serious enough issue, because of the impact it's going to have on the citizens, for this Legislature to take it far more seriously than we're taking it. My view is that we're not taking it seriously enough, because it appears that it's going to move forward. But because I think it is totally unnecessary, I have not heard a compelling argument given for it, we should not put another law on the books. You all as senators will be asked, why do you pass so many laws? Many are necessary. Some are not. This is one that is not. It is not one of those bills which will just be put on the books to make somebody feel good, to say they got a bill passed. It is going to give an authority...

SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...to some people to interact directly with citizens in a negative way. And before we do that in these small, restricted confines of these little cities, we should think much more deeply than we have so far. So I'm going to put a motion up there. And I'd like to ask Senator Hartnett a question before I do.