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and many of the staff and senators attended that. As a matter of fact, it was right after our last special session. And we looked at how...

SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.

SENATOR JENSEN: ...we might expect West Nile to affect us next year. And that was about the extent of that, however.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: I may catch you off guard, but I'd like to ask if you feel the Health Department has got...has the necessary tools to do away with mosquito breeding sites, such as junkyards, and stagnant pools across the state. Perhaps Department of Roads doesn't need this authority, but do they have the authority to clean up junkyards if they consider it a breeding site for mosquitos?

SENATOR JENSEN: I'm not aware that they do have that authority. Tires and all that, anywhere where it can be ponding, pooling, certainly become places where mosquitos can breed.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: If my memory is right, someone told me not long ago, actually, this West Nile virus could have further ramifications or bigger ramifications...

SENATOR CUDABACK: Time.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: ...than anthrax or some other things, if we're not careful. I...we don't know that, I think. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Wehrbein. Senator Beutler, followed by Senators Baker, Wehrbein, and Vrtiska. Senator Beutler.

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

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Wehrbein, you have almost five minutes.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Well, I'm up next, Senator Beutler, so you can have your time back. I want to collect my thoughts a little