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national and the local level, which I think moves it to the head of the list, ahead of humanity speakers or a lot of other things we might like to do, because if we do the cut at the level suggested by the Governor rather than the level suggested by the committee we will continue to qualify for matching funds and we will be able to leverage money for the benefit of the children involved. And because this is a lesser sum and because it does affect very directly 28 communities across this state, and because it does affect very directly 100 to 135 children, and because it alone or even in combination with other things like it will not decide the fate of this body's work, nor will its adoption in any way be a distraction to the very considerable work of the Appropriations Committee, I urge that in this instance we simply speak for and on behalf of the 28 communities, the 28 school districts, the 100 to 135 children, and the fact that we're talking about approximately \$116,510 per year. I ask your support of the amendment. I thank you for your time and consideration.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Brashear. You've heard the closing on AM1827, offered by Senator Brashear to LB 407. Question before the body is, shall that amendment be adopted? All in favor of the motion vote aye, and opposed nay. Voting on adoption of AM1827, offered by Senator Brashear to LB 407. Have you all voted who care to? Have you all voted? Record please, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 6 ayes, 22 nays, Mr. President, on the amendment.

SENATOR CUDABACK: The amendment was not adopted. Mr. Clerk, next item.

CLERK: Mr. President, the next amendment is by Senator Dwite Pedersen. Senator, I have a note that you would like to withdraw and substitute AM1778.

SENATOR DW. PEDERSEN: Yes, sir.

SENATOR CUDABACK: No objections, so ordered. You are recognized...