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continue... (laugh)... Denny Byars is agreeing with me... but, you know, I continue to express my opposition to the funding for this program. Now let's discuss this a little bit. And I don't know if Senator Landis is familiar with the program, and maybe he should go... if he's interested in talking about this, I'd like to ask him a couple of questions, or Senator Byars, or perhaps Senator Jensen. But what we have done is Senator Raikes had an amendment a few weeks ago that had... that took away \$3 million per year in funding for this tobacco cessation program. And what Senator Landis is advocating is that we put back \$400,000. That's significantly less than \$3 million. So what I'm wondering is... now, again, it's only \$400,000. Between the two years it's \$800,000, \$810,000, but we've gone from \$6 million over the biennium to less than a million. Are we just throwing the money away? If this was a great program at \$6 million, could it be a good program at \$800,000, Senator Friend? That's my question. Senator Jensen, could you yield to a question or two?

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Jensen.

SENATOR JENSEN: Yes.

SENATOR BOURNE: And I realize this was Senator Landis' amendment but I know that you're experienced with or familiar with this program. And we went from \$6 million over the biennium for this worthwhile program down to \$810,000. Now what could they do for \$800,000? Do you see what I'm... what I'm suggesting to you is that it was a successful program at \$3 million and I saw some numbers where that was even inadequately funded. So what possibly could be done for \$800,000 that would justify this expense?

SENATOR JENSEN: Senator Bourne, and that's a realistic question. What it does, it keeps the program intact.

SENATOR BOURNE: In what way, Senator Jensen?

SENATOR JENSEN: Well, it keeps the staff there and keeps the operation going. There is some outside support that can come into this operation and coordination. That's really what it