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participate because this will be cheaper power than if they tried to build a facility by themselves.

SENATOR HARTNETT: Yeah. I'm more concerned about the cities than I am the, you know, the other.

SENATOR SCHROCK: Okay.

SENATOR HARTNETT: So this is what the industry is...does this limit how much power that the city of Grand Island can get from this new power plant? Is there a limit on how much they can get?

SENATOR SCHROCK: Well, this is how much that they would be investing into this plant, and then they would receive that...that percentage share of the electricity from that plant. That doesn't mean they're going to use that. They may use less, and they may use more.

SENATOR HARTNETT: So the city of Grand Island is guaranteed?

SENATOR SCHROCK: They'll pay for their share of the investment in the plant, and they'll be...

SENATOR HARTNETT: And they...and they will get...that's about 10 percent? Is that right? My...

SENATOR SCHROCK: I'd say, yes, that would be 10...no, that would be...that would be 10 percent of what the...of the addition,...

SENATOR HARTNETT: Invest...

SENATOR SCHROCK: ...because it's a 600-megawatt plant...

SENATOR HARTNETT: Oh, okay.

SENATOR SCHROCK: ...and they're selling off half of it.

SENATOR HARTNETT: But there's no cap on how much power that Grand Island can get? Is that what you're...