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we're going to do it. And it takes a little bit of thought to do it, because our committee, Appropriations, had 60 days to stew on this, and that they were not easy decisions when we came to this. So I guess if we're getting close to a vote, I probably will go with Senator Chambers, take it out. And I firmly believe that there's 25 or more strong supporters of the State Fair in here that are going to be willing to put back \$306,000, or something less. And I'm on the verge of taking that gamble. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Wehrbein. Senator Vrtiska.

SENATOR VRTISKA: Thank you, Mr. President, members of the body. Senator Wehrbein reads it right. It's a difficult thing to understand where people might be on this thing. But I would like to ask Senator Chambers a question, if I might.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Yes.

SENATOR VRTISKA: Senator Chambers, I've been listening to this debate for a long time, and I've heard you give your position, and I understand it, I think, fairly well. I also know that you're a man of your word.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Yes.

SENATOR VRTISKA: I've worked with you before, and you are a man of your word. Are you giving the word here that if we vote to take this out, Senator Wehrbein, puts it back in, you're not going to spend three, four days on this issue again? You'll accept what the body's will is?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Senator Vrtiska, to make it as clear as I possibly can, if it comes out now, and then at a future point Senator Wehrbein can get 25 votes to put it back in over my debating against it, I will not bring up the State Fair on the budget bill again. Not days, not hours, not minutes, not seconds, not nanoseconds.