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SENATOR SYNOWIECKI: Senator Janssen, one more question. I think we're...I think we're working under the assumption that there's going to be other measures on the ballot pertaining to expanded gaming.

SENATOR JANSSEN: Well, it...from what I hear, Senator Synowiecki, they aren't having any problem getting signatures. Actually, you know, they stand in one place and people come to them.

SENATOR SYNOWIECKI: Yeah. And I can verify that as well. They've been quite active in gaining signatures. But my question is, Senator Janssen, could the...could us limiting it to two casinos and taking into account Senator Loudon and the other greater Nebraska constituency, the voting constituency, could the two really hurt the political viability of the Legislature's approach on the ballot as far as...as far as the viability of which one of these will succeed? By limiting it to two and excluding greater Nebraska from this economic development, could that negatively impact the electability, if you will, of the Legislature's angle on this?

SENATOR JANSSEN: Oh, it could, Senator. But you have to weigh both ends against the middle. What can you get out in front of the voters and what will be palatable to the voters? Some people may say, I don't want to see 10, 15, 20 spots throughout the state, you know, and then you've got those that say, you know, only two, only two or even one. So you've got a big mix there and, you know, what are you...what are you going to...where are you going to strike that happy medium? And you have to realize the votes you've got in here. You know, the most votes we...that Senator Schimek and Senator Beutler and I could count or rely on was the two, you know. And if you go above that, you start losing people who would support it...

SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.

SENATOR JANSSEN: ...at a limited number.

SENATOR SYNOWIECKI: You know, I understand it's the dynamics within the Legislature that we've set this ceiling, however