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board, as I said, which most of the county commissioners throughout the state do feel, there's nothing preventing the boards if they wanted to, you know, continue to meet and bring any discussion that they might have. They could still do that, so this doesn't prevent them from doing it.

SENATOR McDONALD: So what...so what you're telling me, Senator Stuhr, that they can still maintain that board, that it's not mandatory to dissolve it?

SENATOR STUHR: No, they would just...they would have to informally...I mean, they couldn't...it wouldn't be a board but if the members...as they previously said, some of the members wanted to get together. There's nothing that would prevent them from doing that and, you know, bringing any desired change to the assessor or to the county board.

SENATOR McDONALD: So this board takes the information to the county assessors and then they take it to TERC. Is that how that works?

SENATOR STUHR: Well, that depends if there's an adjustment that has to be made. I would assume that they would bring it to the county board of equalization first, if they would have to make some change...

SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.

SENATOR STUHR: ...within their county.

SENATOR McDONALD: Okay. I'm just not sure exactly how I'm going to vote on this yet. I think I need some more information and clarification if we really need to do away with this board. Lots of times boards are established for various reasons at certain time frames and we don't know whether they're doing the job or if they have any authority, so I think what we need to do is listen to more dialog and make our final decisions later. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator McDonald. Speaker Brashear, you're recognized to speak with the Speaker.