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SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Baker, would you yield?

SENATOR BAKER: Yes, I would.

SENATOR BOURNE: I'm speaking specifically to your amendment, Senator Baker, and where it says "except roadways that are part of the state highway system." And I'm not familiar with your community, but of course I am with mine. And in Omaha, Dodge Street is Highway 6. Is there ever a situation where a road like Dodge Street, that is designated a highway, would be part of the state highway system within a municipality?

SENATOR BAKER: Yes, it would be part of the state highways system. Now,...

SENATOR BOURNE: Okay, so...go ahead. I'm sorry.

SENATOR BAKER: It is currently part of the state highway system.

SENATOR BOURNE: So Dodge Street...and I...is designated Highway 6. So your amendment would say that these individuals collecting money for charity would be unable to collect along Dodge street because it's designated a highway?

SENATOR BAKER: That's correct.

SENATOR BOURNE: And the same could be said for Maple Street. Isn't that a state highway as well?

SENATOR BAKER: If it's a state highway. And I'm not familiar with your roads in Omaha as you are. But if it's a state highway, they would not be able to access that for solicitation.

SENATOR BOURNE: Okay. I'm struggling as to what to do on this amendment. And I don't know if Senator Pedersen is supportive of this or not. But I think...I guess I'm...again, I'm debating as to what to do here, Senator Baker. I mean, it doesn't make much sense for me. They're not going to be collecting money on a highway where people are driving by at 55 miles an hour. But