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else wants to speak. Thank you, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Senator Mines, followed by Senators Schimek and Louden. Senator Mines. Senator Mines waives the opportunity. Senator Schimek.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Thank you, Mr. President and members. I've been listening and I've...I just have a suggestion or an observation to make, I guess, and that is that we ought to vote down the committee amendments. As Senator Chambers and others have explained, the \$200,000 isn't probably relevant, because we can always take care of that in the A bill, although, Senator Chambers, I would argue with you about language about money being included in bills, because it's done a lot in here, all the time. And maybe we shouldn't do it, but it's not unusual. So I don't think the bill, you can say, is badly drafted. But anyway, I would like to suggest that we vote down the committee amendments and then we proceed with some of the other amendments that we have. And, Senator Synowiecki, I did not vote for your amendment, even though I had great sympathy with your amendment, and I think that it's something that does need to be addressed. I think that we need to do what we talked about in the committee, and that is we need to have a really structured, comprehensive kind of look at our economic development as it applies to local areas and local areas within cities, such as Omaha. And we need to have some kind of an umbrella organization so that you don't have all these tiny little separate administrations and all of this kind of thing going on, which takes a lot of money away from those projects that we could do. And I could go on and on about that, but I think that we need to look at this in depth. But meanwhile, I'd like to see this bill have a chance to proceed and I don't think it has a chance to proceed with the Synowiecki amendment on there. Because if you look at the vote on that, there were 25 votes. Now, I don't know if you called the house on that or not, Senator Synowiecki, but I suspect that a lot of these votes would drop off of the bill if this were included and if we continued with it. So I really think that we ought to proceed and we ought to vote down the committee amendments and then we can start over again perhaps with a clean slate. That's my observation and my recommendation at this point. Thank you.