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going broke, yeah. But we can't do it on the back of Medicaid alone. All of these things have to be taken into consideration as a whole. That's not part of this study. I don't see that here. I see long-term care, and I support that. Do we need to look at these? Senator Engel made the point, the federal government mandates programs to us, and then we end up funding them. He's absolutely right. That's what I'm scared to death of. If Congress has its way, they're going to push \$50 billion to the states over the next six years. Then we've got to plan, I'll tell you for sure, folks. And where are we going to get the money? But we don't know that they're going to do that. Should we make a plan in a vacuum? Sounds great. Is that really good business? I'm not sure making a business plan that I took to my banker on building a new business or restructuring my business, and there was information out there that things were going to happen within the next 12 months that could, could dramatically affect that business plan, I'm not sure he'd loan me any money. And I think we need to keep these things in consideration. But think about that. Per capita, Medicaid has been cheaper than Medicare in private health insurance. And let's not mix them up. Let's think in terms of thinking globally. Let's not think in tunnel vision. Let's try to make decisions based truly on what's good for the people that we're obligated to serve. And understand,...

SENATOR SCHIMEK: One minute.

SENATOR BYARS: ...if you're going to reform this system and you're going to save a lot of money, with the amount of money that we're spending now on Medicaid, you've got to reduce services or you have to reduce the amount of money that you're going to pay to the people that provide those services. Thank you, Madam Chair.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Thank you, Senator Byars. Senator Jensen, your light is next.

SENATOR JENSEN: Thank you, Senator Schimek, members of the Legislature. You know, one of the things that I've really noticed since being here in the Legislature is...and also, just in business, that we've seen a culture change that occurred in