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county is not going to assume that cost, either. So who is the sucker who always is the residuary that has to receive and hold everything, like the residual clause in your will? Everything I didn't provide for, I just dump it in there and this is what we'll do with all of that, all of the miscellaneous. So you all are talking about your constituents as though they're residual containers. Whatever you can't get the state to do that is the state's responsibility, whatever you can't get the county to do that is the county's responsibility, you're going to make the individual citizen do it, even though my gold-digging friend, Senator Heidemann, is talking about property taxes not unjustifiably being raised. And he sits there quiet, like a lump on a log, while those private citizens' property is going to be assessed to pay for that which the state has an obligation to do but it chooses not to do. Where are those who are concerned about property tax increases? Well, they are concerned when it operates on a level big enough to affect enough people to perhaps affect an election. But when it comes to the individual, then it's a different story. I thought that responsible public officials are concerned about the individual.

SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: The society is composed of a collection of individuals. You mean to tell me that individual number one has less right to be protected than individuals two through ten? Because there are nine of them, their right is superior to that of number one, and you can disregard number one because it doesn't affect the other nine? Preposterous. But that's the way the Legislature operates, but I'm going to make it extremely difficult. You're not going to get this bill done easily. However, I do support Senator Beutler's amendment that he has before us at this point.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Senator Beutler, there are no other lights. You're recognized to close on your amendment, AM1186.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Senator Cudaback, members of the Legislature, just to recap the amendment briefly. In the bill, it says that the county has the right to come in and stop the expansion of a