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that a little more closely, would have an answer to that particular question. But I don't have it in front of me. I'd have to get a detail of that.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Well, okay. I think it's a little confusing the way the amendment is written maybe, or just maybe I'm just thick-headed this morning. But I don't quite understand it. And Senator Beutler...thank you, Senator Pederson. May I ask Senator Beutler a question, Mr. President?

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Beutler. And one minute.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Senator Beutler, do you know what that money is put in the budget for, for Game and Parks, off the top of your head? I know it's asking a lot.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Senator, and I'm sorry but I was off on the side talking to my staff. I missed the entire exchange between you and Senator Chambers, so I have no idea what you're talking about.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Well, in his amendment it says the money...the additional funding by the Appropriations Committee of \$597,699 in 2006 and then \$75,000 in 2007. And that...my understanding, the Appropriations Committee gave additional funding, and I...first thing I wondered if it was related to the Environmental Trust Fund award and, secondly, if it wasn't, then what specifically was it used for? And then it goes on to say in this...

SENATOR CUDABACK: Time, Senator Schimek.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: ...amendment we should reduce the Cash Fund appropriation. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Schimek. Further discussion, Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you, Mr. President. Senator Schimek, here's the way this goes. The money that I'm going after came to my...the reason I'm offering this amendment is because the