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Lieutenant Governor Heineman would have had a different perspective had he known he'd be the person transitioning into that office. When you have two individuals working on a project and one is a lion and the other is a kitty cat...let me not say kitty cat, a Lynx rufus, or for Senator Connealy's benefit...or I should say Senator Schrock, you know, Lynx canadensis. That's just the Canadian lynx. The other one is the red lynx. You got a lynx and a lion. There is no parity. The lynx might say "rrrrrr" and the lion says "RRRRRR" and the lynx says, well, I guess you have it your way, Leo. There is no parity there. So when they say it was a joint decision, all that means is that...

SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...the lion said, this is the way it is, and the lynx said, amen, so let it be written, so let it be done. There's no way to determine what current Governor Heineman would have recommended were he making the decision. Frankly, I don't feel we have to be bound by what was offered in the early days of putting the budget together. Nobody, in my opinion, will be able to show me where this amount is extravagant or that it will lead to an extravagant, profligate expenditure of money. Thank you, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Chambers. On with discussion of AM1429, Senator Don Pederson, followed by Senator Janssen.

SENATOR D. PEDERSON: Thank you, Mr. President. Senator Chambers is totally correct in that the funding source for this should be General Funds instead of Cash Funds. It was an error in the preparation of that particular portion of the budget, and I'm glad that it was called to our attention. We do have an amendment, incidentally. In the event that this amendment of Senator Chambers is not approved, we have an amendment that changes the funding source to General Funds rather than Cash Funds. But let's just talk about, what are we really talking about? We're not talking about an inaugural ceremony or anything like that. That's done by separate funds. What we're talking about with transition funds is the office space, the telephone, secretary, and that sort of thing. It's not a big