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But for right now, I would like to see us continue the discussion, and not have it be based on money and money alone. Because I don't think money is always the most important. I think the historical significance of these books is great. Before I ever came into the Legislature, I used to consult them, to look at things like, for instance, what the voting was in 1980 in the Governor's race. You could go to the back of this book and you can find out, county by county. You used to be able to get...in this book, you used to be able to be able to get the party platforms. I mean, there are always...it's always changing. You can go in this book and look at all the boards and commissions. It's a ready, quick thing that you can have when you aren't necessarily at your computer, whatever. I would very much appreciate your vote on this. And I think that it's an ongoing discussion that we should have. But I don't want to see 1904-1905 (sic) go by without any printing of the Blue Book. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you,...

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Oh, excuse me, (laugh) 2004-2005 to go away without the printing of the Blue Book. (Laugh) Thank you, Carol.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Schimek. You've heard the closing on the AM1495, which is an amendment to LB 425. All in favor of the amendment vote aye; those opposed, nay. Have you all voted who care to? Are you requesting something, Senator Schimek?

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Yes. I think we better have a call of the house. The vote is a little slow in coming in. Please.

SENATOR CUDABACK: There's been a request for a call of the house. All in favor of the house going under call vote aye; those opposed, nay. Record please, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, to place the house under call.

SENATOR CUDABACK: The house is under call. All members check