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healthcare system and who gets healthcare and who doesn't because of the unaffordability of health insurance by employers and by individuals. We can't solve that whole problem. But we have the revenue. You aren't going to have to raise taxes to do this. This fits in our budget. You can put this money back in and we can provide basic healthcare coverage for a lot of needy people. They are not here. They're working. These are the working poor. If they are disabled, if they have no means, they're being picked up in county programs, they're being picked up by our Medicaid program.

SENATOR BAKER PRESIDING

SENATOR BAKER: One minute.

SENATOR THOMPSON: These are poor working people, and they're mainly children and mothers. That's who we serve in these centers, and the elderly to some extent, but remember, they're covered by Medicaid and Medicare. These are the working poor and we should do what's right and we should vote to override for this small amount of money. Thank you.

SENATOR BAKER: Thank you, Senator Thompson. Senator Chambers, you're recognized to speak.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, I cannot improve on anything Senator Thompson said, but I do want to express support for this override motion. She is so correct in mentioning the plight of the people who would benefit from the services provided if we override. I have had so much difficulty all session with the big giveaway bills that the Governor supports, hundreds of millions of dollars ultimately, without the blink of an eye. Even our presiding officer managed to get some benefits for people who have machinery used in manufacturing. Machinery means a great deal to some people. The people who do the work in running those machines, or, as Senator Thompson pointed out, the work that some people consider menial but it is essential to the running of a society, are the ones others of us care about. These clinics are located throughout the state. All of us at some point during this session, most of us, have supported programs to help unfortunate