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they seek to use, in the best possible way, money which really was public money. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Kruse. Senator Stuthman.

SENATOR STUTHMAN: Thank you, Mr. President, members of the body. In this amendment, I'm looking at what it does and what it is supposed to include, and I would like to engage in a little conversation with Senator Beutler, if I may.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Beutler, would you yield?

SENATOR BEUTLER: Sure.

SENATOR STUTHMAN: Is there any mention of, you know, if a county, you know...it says city, county, precinct, municipality. They're all identified in the...underlined in the additional to that. Am I looking at the right page?

SENATOR BEUTLER: Senator, I think you are, but I'm not quite sure what you're asking. Explain it in a little more detail.

SENATOR STUTHMAN: Okay, yes. The question that I'm asking is, the county portion of that, is that identified in your underlined in the bottom, except that? Every other...

SENATOR BEUTLER: Yes. They're...as you've noted, they're not specifically identified, but they are...nobody would doubt but that they're a political or governmental subdivision, so they're included in that.

SENATOR STUTHMAN: So the fact that it is identified as a governmental agency or governmental subdivision would include the county portion of that. Is that correct?

SENATOR BEUTLER: Absolutely.

SENATOR STUTHMAN: Okay, that is the concern that I have. I just wanted to make sure that we wasn't leaving something out that was in the original part and adding it into the bottom part. So with that, I would give the balance of my time back to