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and then the funding isn't extended beyond this next year, what would happen then?

SENATOR FOLEY: Well, you know, that's the dilemma we've always been in with this program, because this program does not exist in statute. It only exists in budget language. So in any given biennium, the whole program is on the table.

SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.

SENATOR FOLEY: And that's just the nature of this particular program, how it was established in 1991 and how it's existed all these years. It got started as a budget toss-in and it's been continued each biennium thereafter.

SENATOR BOURNE: Okay. Thank you, Senator Foley. I just want to reiterate again to my colleagues, who perhaps, when we did the budget last year, don't recall how this works, the Governor, again, can veto out this additional money, whereas the Governor cannot veto out Senator Foley's language. I just wanted to bring that to everybody's attention. I disagree with Senator Kruse when he says, consider them separately. Well, I don't see how you can. And I know that everybody is tired of talking about the issue. We've been on this for a long time. But if this is in the spirit of compromise, I don't see it as being so. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Bourne. Senator Foley.

SENATOR FOLEY: Thank you again, Mr. President. And again, Senator Janssen, thank you very much for working with us on this. I think we're now of one mind in how to proceed. I'm going to vote green on Senator Janssen's amendment. I ask you to do the same. For those of you who may be still confused as to what we're doing here, we're putting in the money that Senator Janssen wanted. We're preserving the language we adopted yesterday. We're opening the door for the potential for more providers. How many will show up? No one knows. No one knows, but at least the opportunity is there and there's money to fund it if they show up. Yes, Senator Stuthman, this is a one-year program at this point, because we're at midpoint in the