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the state. And my hope on the sustaining funds, behind getting this program, the pilot, up and the sustaining funds behind it, would be to attract more providers so that we can respond to the very prevalent needs of these women who are oftentimes very much victims of their circumstance. We're talking about severe addictions, we're talking about severe mental health disorders, posttraumatic stress syndromes. We're talking about individuals here who have suffered through child abuse, that suffered domestic violence, whose children are involved with our Child Protective Services. We're talking about a population that consume an enormous amount, and I mean an enormous amount, of corrections budgets within all of our...within a lot of our counties, if not all of our counties, but particularly on the eastern part of the state. I gave Senator Fischer the example of women who practically spend half the year in the county jail in Douglas County. City prosecutor Marty Conboy identified 50...I believe it was 50 to 60 women...about 40, excuse me, 40 to 50 women within Douglas County that he characterizes what he'd call "hard core," in terms of their revolving criminal justice involvement within Douglas County alone. And I know that this problem is skyrocketing in Lancaster County, in some of the information I've received from local residents within Lancaster County, relative to this problem. I can assure you that this \$750,000 appropriation will interdict an enormous amount of costs that we bear relative to the criminal justice response to this problem. And in particular, these funds are additionally needed, I think, because of our justice response, and it's embedded within LB 1086, which very pointedly addresses the johns, or the purchasers of this, of this activity. Once we successfully interdict that with a felony on the second offense, these women will become more dependent, more depressed, and more engulfed in addictions, because if my guess, my hope is correct, and that we do, in fact, are successful through the criminal justice deterrent mechanism involved in LB 1086, that there will be a great need for these women to access treatment services within their home community. I would hope that the Legislature would recognize this problem, how it's impacting our criminal justice system, our criminal justice expenditures, and weigh that against this ongoing expenditure here, for at least the next year's budget, relative to the \$750,000. I'll speak later about the program in Minneapolis and their success there, where