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override the Governor's veto of this healthcare center in the amount of \$218,750 for all of the reasons that have been said and for the many more that could have been said. Thank you.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Roll call vote.

SENATOR CUDABACK: There's been a request for a roll call vote. The question before the body is, shall that portion of the bill pass, notwithstanding the line-item objections of the Governor? Mr. Clerk, there's been a request for a roll call vote on the question. Please call the roll.

CLERK: (Roll call vote taken, Legislative Journal, page 1458.) 41 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the motion to override the Governor's line-item veto.

SENATOR CUDABACK: The motion does carry. Mr. Clerk, next motion?

CLERK: Mr. President, Senators Connealy and Dwite Pedersen and Chambers would move to override the Governor's line-item veto for FY '06-07 contained in Section 45 of LB 1060. They would move that that particular provision become law, notwithstanding the objections of the Governor.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Connealy, to open on your motion.

SENATOR CONNEALY: Thank you, Mr. President, members. This motion to override is for four positions in the Department of Education. It's for \$325,773. It covers two positions that the Appropriations Committee initially added to the budget, one for an art consultant and one for a Hispanic...and also one that we added in the budget debate for two positions for Native American education. One of those in particular works with drug and alcohol treatment. And in particular, I want to talk about the Native American positions and the success that they've had. We've seen this, it was actually a federal funded but not a federal program. It was a program that we as a state, the Department of Education, believed was important for us with No Child Left Behind and the real challenges we had with Native American education. We've seen dramatic increases the last few