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respect all of my colleagues immensely. Senator Raikes, Senator Brashear, everybody in here I have an immense amount of respect for. And I think everybody in here is trying to do the right thing. We're just arguing about what that right thing is. Look, Senator Brashear, I'm going to piggyback on something he said the other day. He said, look, we can come back and do a special session. That is the last thing that I want to do, quite frankly. I've got a little baby coming. My wife, if she's watching now, is probably starting to (laugh) think about where I'm going to be sleeping. But there's a couch in the basement, I suppose. But I will tell you I think Senator Connealy said it right when he says the last thing that we, the 20 people that are leaving, want to do is to do something wrong, and I am terrified that we are doing something wrong. So here's what I'm going to propose. I went around and I asked some of my colleagues, would you support a special session if we can work out the details, come together, and come up with a consensus? And in my mind, this consensus would include some sort of a minority subdistrict. It would include funding for the rural schools because, Senator Heidemann, I apologize to you. I did not understand how significant an issue that was. And had I known, I would have taken your bills a lot more serious in committee, so I owe you an apology for that. Sometimes when a problem isn't on your doorstep, you don't appreciate how significant it is, so my apologies to you for not taking those bills serious. They're important to you. They should be important to me. They should be important in all of this. Here's my commitment to you--we walk away today. We walk away from the bill today. A group of us, whoever is crazy enough to volunteer, work together inside the glass, come up with a compromise, come up with a way to solve the problems. I don't know what it is, but I think part of the problem we're struggling here tonight is because we're relying too much, frankly, on outside influence. We're relying, when we should be relying on each other, we're relying on people behind the glass. And you folks behind the glass don't take that wrong, but I think there's a time when we just have to make this our own. We have to come up with a solution. I've talked to 12 of my colleagues, excuse me, 10 of my colleagues: Senator Howard, myself, Senator Synowiecki, Combs, Cornett, Friend, Connealy, Mines, Senator Fischer, and Senator Thompson, all have agreed to