

because at least in my view as I see it now, it should be an all or nothing thing. There should be a project approved by the Governor and then we do all these things, and we should know which things we're doing and the public should know which things we're doing and the cost-benefit laid out for people so that everybody feels comfortable that there is control on this. And maybe I would ask you and Senator Withem, if you're inclined to comment on that, to respond to the general question to begin with.

SENATOR WARNER: Senator Beutler, maybe Senator Withem will want to respond as well. But it would be accurate to portray that the bills, or at least 829 and 830 I'll speak to directly, can operate separately. And one of the reasons that would be logical that 829 could very well be utilized, we talked about Micron, I have an amendment, as you well know, that sets up another category, but that could very well be established without the use of 830 and still be using the same kind of a financing procedure, but within the city limits of a city. So,...

SENATOR BEUTLER: Yes.

SENATOR WARNER: ...in that case 829 fits with the existing law, but would not...and there's a different process there somewhat. But the process for qualifying for 829 would use the board. The process under 830, where that board is in effect, obviously does not have any impact on the use of tax incremental financing within the city limits where the approval is done, as I recall, by the city council.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Okay, if that's the case, would there be any objection in your mind, Senator, to making the operative criteria of 29...

SENATOR CROSBY: One minute.

SENATOR BEUTLER: ...also apply to 30? That is, as I understand 29, on page 10, the board shall not approve any project, unless there is net benefit to the state, and it sets out some other language here which I think is better language than is in LB 830. And could we not inject that language into 830 so that there was similar criteria in both instances? So that they were parallel criteria, in other words, there is approval of the project and approval of the benefits before there is the