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this still gives this body the responsibility of what it wants to do. It doesn't have to spread these payments over if it doesn't want to, but as long as this law remains on the books, you're not going to do it until the law is changed and I think we ought to anticipate some of these things so we'll find we're not up against a road block if and when you want to do what I anticipate maybe some Senators want to do.

SENATOR MARVEL: Now could I be a little more specific in a project or two. I can see some advantages to what you're trying to do and I also can see some disadvantages and I'd like to use an example to see if I understand what this might do. Let's take specifically the library at UNO. The library at UNO is 5, let's say \$5 million. It's a little more than that but let's say \$5 million. Now if we recommended in the capital construction budget \$5 million according to the present law, before they could do anything we'd have to appropriate all that \$5 million.

SENATOR CARPENTER: You'd have to have, yes, you'd have to have the money which makes the appropriation.

SENATOR MARVEL: Yes, okay, that'd be in the pot first.

SENATOR CARPENTER: That's right.

SENATOR MARVEL: Now, what you're saying in effect is that we could, we could appropriate--well, let's assume it took 2½ years to build. This \$5 million instead of being put up at once could be put up over a 3 year period.

SENATOR CARPENTER: Any period of time, let's take the \$5 million and by theory just say it took 5 years to build it which it may or may not do and it's really not important. Then you appropriate \$1 million each year for 5 years, this coming fiscal year. You obligate the State for five years to appropriate \$1 million a year in order to complete the building.

SENATOR MARVEL: All right, now I can see, I can see that there is the advantage. The disadvantage could be that we would appropriate \$1 million for several projects and it would seem like a small amount in 1973 but the fact of the matter is we're obligating ourselves for 10, 15 or 20 million down the line. That to me is the disadvantage. Do you agree with that?

SENATOR CARPENTER: Absolutely.

SENATOR MARVEL: Okay, so that if this bill passes, then we have to be more alert about the capital construction budget and the commitments we're making into the future than we are now?

SENATOR CARPENTER: That's certainty.

SENATOR MARVEL: All right, now then what--and maybe others want to respond to this--it would appear to me that we're going to meet again tomorrow noon as, as an Appropriations Committee, I assume we will finish the capital construction budget before this bill is finally passed, 547, if it advances we can apply its principal directly to capital construction 256, do you agree with this?

SENATOR CARPENTER: That's correct.

SENATOR MARVEL: Okay, that's all I have to comment on at the moment. I can see an advantage in spreading your expenses so you don't have to commit that much money all at one time. On the other hand, I think it's going to throw a greater obligation on the Legislature because it will be