

road funds, Senator Warner, at least to control the erosion a little bit better along those roadside ditches. I'm not being critical. I just want to suggest that. With that, Mr. President, I withdraw the amendment.

PRESIDENT: Senator Schmit has withdrawn his amendment. What is next on the desk, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: Mr. President, the next amendment I have is by Senator Lynch. Senator Lynch's amendment is on page 1941 of the Journal.

PRESIDENT: Senator Lynch, are you on board here this morning? Can you find Senator Lynch? Is anyone here to handle Senator Lynch's amendment?

CLERK: Mr. President, I understand that Senator Lynch is going to withdraw.

PRESIDENT: All right, we will consider it withdrawn.

CLERK: Mr. President, the next amendment I have is by Senator Goodrich.

PRESIDENT: Senator Goodrich, are you here this morning?

CLERK: Senator Goodrich is excused until he arrives, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: All right.

CLERK: Mr. President, the next amendment I have is by Senator Vard Johnson.

PRESIDENT: Senator Vard Johnson, are you in the Chamber to handle your amendment? Senator Vard Johnson. Okay.

CLERK: This amendment is on page 1995.

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator Vard Johnson.

SENATOR V. JOHNSON: Mr. Speaker, members of the body, this is a real small amendment. My recollection is this removes some \$36,000 from the mainline appropriation bill. When I went over the budget book that the Appropriations Committee had put out I flagged a number of items that I thought I