

maintenance. That is correct. I will point out to you that there is no state funded program for housing and maintenance for women anywhere in the country except in Nebraska and possibly, we don't know for sure, but possibly Massachusetts. That is as far as we could find out so far. We may be the only state in the country that has a state funded program for housing and maintenance during the second trimester. We may be one of two. We have the county programs. We have the food stamp programs. We have the medical services program. We have the WIC funds. We have the food stamps. We have those funds. The fed program kicks in in the third trimester, regardless of the state program, seventy bucks less than what we have got right now, \$210 a month for housing and maintenance. When a child is born we have got a whole new operation. The state unborn program takes...goes away and that is the situation we have got. There is no question that this program is a worthy program. We have got...

SENATOR LAMB: One minute.

SENATOR HANNIBAL: ...\$330 million worth of funds in this program, 130 some million dollars in social services state general funds, \$130 million. They are worthy programs. We were looking for some place that if we could sacrifice at the lowest priority all essential programs, which one could we get along without if we had to. If we didn't want to raise taxes, a three month period for a single person, months four, five and six in a pregnancy; months seven, eight and nine, or six, seven and eight, whichever...however you describe the trimester that fed program kicks in at \$210 and you have got all these other services that are still available. It may be not the highest priority, certainly not an unworthy program. Those are the choices we had. That is what we are...we are suggesting this as a possible alternative for you.

SENATOR LAMB: The Chair recognizes Senator Marsh.

SENATOR MARSH: Thank you, Mr. Speaker, and thank you very much, colleagues in the Nebraska Legislature. I rise to support this amendment. I feel that each of you in turn will have to make the decision whether you are a proponent as someone who believes in choice or whether you are someone who is against abortion under any circumstances. What will your vote have to do? It will make a difference in some