

average cost per client is less than several others and what we're requesting in the amendment is to specifically move approximately \$100,000 over from the Region 6 area into Region 4. Region 6 in literally any and all studies that have been established in terms of the distribution of funds are considerably overfunded relative to the rest of the operations and so it is a very simple request to shift some of the funds from Region 6 over to Region 4 to pick up some of the balance that is needed to better fund the specific activities within the various regions. So with that I'll offer the...any additional time anyone else would like to speak.

PRESIDENT: Senator Hefner, do you wish to speak on this motion?

SENATOR HEFNER: Mr. President and members of the body, I think Senator Conway explained it very well. There is no new funds being asked for this program. If you will follow along in the sheet that was distributed by the Pages, you will find that Region 6 has \$26,032 appropriated for each client whereas Region 4 has only \$13,973, just about twice as much and so what we're asking is to take a little over \$100,000 out of the Region 6 program and put it into the Region 4 program. Like I said before, no new funds and so we're not asking for any more money. I would also say that Region 4 has had to comply with the Fair Labor Trade Act and they have to pay time and a half on those working over 40 hours and so at this time I would just ask for your support on this amendment.

SPEAKER NICHOL PRESIDING

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Goodrich, then Senator Hall.

SENATOR GOODRICH: Will Senator Conway yield to a question, please?

SPEAKER NICHOL: Yes.

SENATOR GOODRICH: Senator Conway, no more than we've heard on it, it's...you're saying...

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Goodrich, excuse me a minute. (Gavel.) Could we have it quiet. It's awfully noisy and we're having trouble hearing. Thank you, Senator Goodrich.