

to me also. And not only do they talk to me, but I guess that in many respects I am one of them. And it bothers me just a little bit, it bothers me a whole lot that we are merrily going down this path and we don't care about them. And we don't want to come right out and say so, nobody wants to listen to it. But I read through this appropriations bill and I think it is rather strange that I got so much, particularly from some of the Lincoln, Omaha folks, I got so many no votes trying to put in some intent language for a campus of the University of Nebraska that happens to be outside of the Lincoln and Omaha area, when you read through the A bill there is intent language for every little thing, including a director, as I mentioned, one salaried person. How the devil can you justify putting intent language for one salaried individual and you can't put in intent language to protect a whole campus? If you can justify that then stand up and tell me why you do it. I guess it is because the buzz word this year is economic development, and tied right with that is food processing. Like it is something new, like we haven't been processing food for centuries, like a \$50,000 expenditure for a director is somehow going to get us out of this whole problem, but we can ignore whole campuses, or we can ignore transition problems. There are a lot of people in this state that would like to have that job for a lot less money than that that have been in the business of processing food all their life. I'm going to have to vote against this bill, not because I don't think we're going to have to appropriate funds to run the state,...

SENATOR CARSTEN: One minute.

SENATOR VICKERS: ...but because of the fact that I think we are ignoring, we are totally ignoring what the results of our actions are. We are saying we don't care whether we add more to the asset side or not, we only consider them as liabilities. I guess, as one individual who lives out there, I object to being considered a liability. Thank you, Mr. President.

SENATOR CARSTEN: Senator Chambers, please.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. Chairman and members of the Legislature, Senator Vickers was right in what he said, and there are people on this floor who understand, not only what Senator Vickers has said, but what I have said. Now there