

what many school districts do, they carry a reserve. In the fall of the year those reserves are used to cover the expenses, then late in the spring they put those on interest and it earns interest for the district. So I certainly am not concerned about the reserves that they might carry. I think this is a reasonable solution to a problem we have right now. It is not necessarily a quick fix. I would not support it if I thought it was just merely a matter of going home. I did refer to the fact that we are going to be here a long time if we don't to come conclusion on these things. But I think this is a reasonable quick fix, if that is what you want to call it. I do not think it is unfair as has been indicated. I think it is reasonably fair. Thank you.

SENATOR MARSH: Senator DeCamp.

SENATOR DECAMP: Does anybody else want to talk?

SENATOR MARSH: I have Senator Vickers, Senator Conway and Senator Vard Johnson. The question has been called. All those in favor signify by voting aye, opposed nay. We are under call. There are 23 who have voted. The Clerk will record.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays to cease debate, Madam President.

SENATOR MARSH: Debate has ceased. I will call on the introducers to close. Senator DeCamp.

SENATOR DECAMP: Mr. President, members, Madam President, with respect to property tax relief and concern about property tax, I think I have the credentials. More cases taken to the Supreme Court trying to force property tax relief than all other groups in the state. I have had proposals on the ballot such as Proposition I, or whatever it was in California, actually had them voted on. Tried everything in the world to get property tax relief and controls of spending and aid from this body. I have learned one thing and sometimes you have to look to other examples to learn things, that the only way you are going to get property tax relief is to cut spending at the local level where it is out of control. That is where the massive spending of the state is going on. Now, where do you look for an example to see what works? I hate to say it but you look to Reagan and Washington on what they did. If they were funding 20 or 30 percent of a program, or 50 percent,