

pickup and go down and it really won't cost you any more than it did before. So there are some ways, if you really want to look at this, as to how you can help compensate for that increase. Also, you will find some individuals that will have a sticker on three or four vehicles, that's their choice. We are, I think, fortunate in the State of Nebraska to have one of the finer park systems, I'm going to say, in the country, not been in all states. But there's been some fine articles done on just how good our state park system is and the opportunities for recreation and to be able to provide a place for people to go. And just two other little things that I would just again repeat. It's been a long time, 10 or 12 years since these fees have been increased. And secondly is that you can go all year long. You get a lot of money by usage. You want your money's worth you just use it more or you put more money in that vehicle because at this point in time you're charged by vehicle and not by person.

SENATOR HALL: Thank you, Senator Hillman. Senator Cudaback on the amendment by Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Am I on here? Yeah. Mr. Speaker and members, I do appreciate Senator Chambers bringing this to us. I too look after the poor and we have to realize that everybody can't afford some of the nicer things as, such as Disneyland, you know, such as Seven Worlds or whatever you call those down south. Many, many wonderlands to go to. They cost hundreds of dollars to get in these places. So I guess this is where we differ. You have to keep in mind some of the people in the area here, our state parks is the only area that they get to go to. So I mean we have to maintain these parks up to a level where they want to go to these parks. We have to keep them nice. If we keep reducing this fee, lower and lower, and let's keep in mind, ten years ago, it was \$10. Right now that same dollar figure should be \$20 if we keep in, just to keep in line with inflation. So we have to be real careful here we're going to maintain these parks and keep in mind our poorer people, the people that can't afford to go to Disneyland and wherever. We have to maintain these parks so people want to go. If they get run down, these parks would not be utilized, they would become areas of, of nothing. So although I do appreciate him keeping in mind our people that can't afford such nicer things, that I think Senator Chambers is probably wrong in this issue. Let's maintain these parks so our poor people can attend them. Now I do realize that we cannot subsidize everything. It'd be nice to