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Remainder of Vball.

Text Message

Governor can you
think of anyone or
any other way of get-
ting funding for the
remainder of Vball?

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Maybe we can talk
Monday and I can get



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Monday and I can get more info. and look for some funding. The Auditor continues his investigation into spending at the Department Of Human Services. May need to go visit LT-GOV Hoseman and Gov. Reeves.

I Just paid 350k which leaves the total around 1.6 and I am



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around 1.6 and I am giving another 200k next week. How can Tate and Delbert help you think?

They Just have to find a budget and put money into it. I have probably gotten USM \$40 million in funding the last 8 yrs. Sen. Briggs Hopson is Senate Appropriation Chair. That's



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tion Chan. That's
Coach Hops brother..

Wow. I just sent Tate
a message. Should I
do the same with
Briggs and Delbert

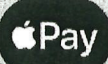
I would. I will call
them also...

Ok

Brett, you aren't
bothering me at all



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bothering me at all
and please always
feel free to reach out
to me anytime. I will
help any way I can. I
will be glad to set
something up with
Tate. Tell me kind of
what the plan in
place for funding
is\was. Did Gov
Bryant mention
maybe trying to get it
as part of a bond bill
for University? Ad-



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for University? Admittedly, I'm not the expert on some of this stuff but I will certainly do everything I can to get all the right minds together and formulate a plan to sort it out.



I told him I would ask





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It's complicated to do Bonds unless it brick and mortar and the University puts it in its list of priorities for Bonds.

They could put \$1.5 in a Bond Bill without a problem

Bond Bill is what you recommend?



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Recommend:

Is it brick and mortar?

Good question I'll find out.

Do we want it not to be? I think it's more the finishing cosmetic type work. 5.5 has already been paid

We want it to be one time construction



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time construction
cost not ongoing ex-
penses.

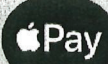
We can certainly do
that



So do I need to have
the university do
something first?



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that



So do I need to have
the university do
something first?

Let me talk to
Rodney..

Ok

Thanks Governor



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**Brett** >**Jan 26, 2020, 1:04 PM**

I know you already know this but I need you big time on this. And it sounds like if you can't then it will not get done. So thanks again

On it..



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Gov. I will be out of town Thursday through Sunday so if we need to meet with the powers that be before then please let me know

Will know more to-morrow

OK thank you



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