accomplishes, I think we are losing most of the value.

Basically, formulating a budget is a planning process in

financial terms. It is not only in terms of dollars, but

it is basically planning.

The enactment of a budget is a policy review by the representatives of the people and is supposed to express the will of the people in the determination as to what programs ought to be accomplished and to what extent government resources are to be committed to each one.

The execution of a budget is management in its fullest sense. Private companies have the profit motive to help them determine whether or not they should undertake any special activity. The government doesn't have this. In terms of efficiency, effectiveness or the desirability of programs, how do we desire whether or not to put an extra policeman on the street or to pick up garbage in a different way? Mostly, these are budget decisions, but executive decisions, as reflected through the budget. I don't think the budget can ever be separated very far from the chief executive position. At election time, the Governor must answer to the people at the polls for his