

February 19, 2021

The Honorable Blake Carpenter, Chairperson
House Committee on Elections
Statehouse, Room 149C-S
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Carpenter:

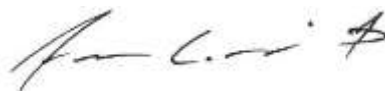
SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2344 by House Committee on Elections

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2344 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2344 would amend existing law to make the County Sheriff in Riley County an elective office with a four-year term beginning in the 2022 election cycle. The bill would abolish the Riley County Law Enforcement Agency on the second Monday of January, 2023, and transfer all powers, duties and responsibilities of the Agency to the County Sheriff and County Sheriff's department on that date.

The Kansas Association of Counties indicates that enactment of HB 2344 would have a fiscal effect on Riley County, but is unable to estimate what that effect might amount to.

Sincerely,



Adam Proffitt
Director of the Budget

cc: Jay Hall, Association of Counties