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Dear Madam Chairwoman Tyson and Members of the Senate Assessment and Taxation Committee;

I completely and fully support SCR 1610 and ask you to do the same.

For too long now We the People in Kansas have been being taxed on a "guesstimate" or "undue expectation" based on the high prices of the KC city area and their rising property taxes.

We feel property has no "set" value until it sells - this is simple common sense and a fact, yet we particularly in Miami County are having our property taxes raised by astronomical amounts - mine went up over \$100,000 in supposed value this last year alone and had been raised almost that much the year before.

This is killing your rural citizens and it is not an accurate valuation on our homes and properties.

We are not a city area - we are a small community of like-minded people who believe in helping each other and paying our bills but if you continue to let us be strangled by increasing property taxes you will run us out of the area.

This bill would at least stop the huge raises and give us time to fight back against taxation without representation and give us time to elect representatives that understand our needs and how to be fair to our community.

For those reasons I am urging your support for SCR 1610.

Thank you  
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