March 12, 2025

SCR 1611

Proponent Written-only Testimony for hearing 3/13/2025

Conferee : Dale Enyart Representing : Self

Chairwoman Humphries and Members of the Committee,

I'm providing written-only Proponent testimony for SCR1611. I ask you to support SCR1611. It gives the power of selecting Supreme Court Justices to We The People, as it should always have been...rather than a group of candidates being selected by a committee comprised mainly of members of the bar for the Governor to choose from. The current form is nonsensical and nonrepresentative, in fact it is the ultimate in citizen disenfranchisement. I would argue that it's current form is a prime example of "the fox guarding the henhouse". To be brutally honest, there is no viable reason to not support SCR1611...IT MERELY PRESENTS THE OPPORTUNITY FOR KANSANS TO DECIDE FOR THEMSELVES AT THE BALLOT BOX. That is the RIGHT OF THE PEOPLE. Opposing SCR1611 will tell voters that you do not trust the judgement and discernment of the very people that elected YOU.

I implore you to be a solutionary and strongly support SCR1611.

Thank you,

Dale Enyart