

January 24, 2025

The Honorable Pat Proctor, Chairperson  
House Committee on Elections  
300 SW 10th Avenue, Room 218-N  
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Proctor:

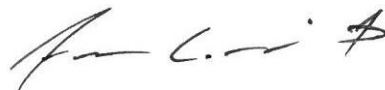
**SUBJECT:** Fiscal Note for HB 2018 by House Committee on Elections

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2018 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2018 would prohibit the Secretary of State and county election officers from disqualifying certain individuals as poll workers on the basis of residency or registered voter status if the person is a United States citizen and an active military member, or the spouse or other dependent of an active military member. The bill would also prohibit the disqualification of a poll worker based on a person's age except for current age requirements for individuals appointed as judges and clerks of an election board.

The Secretary of State indicates HB 2018 would not have a fiscal effect on the agency's operations. The Kansas Association of Counties indicates HB 2018 would not have a fiscal effect on the counties.

Sincerely,



Adam C. Proffitt  
Director of the Budget

cc: Sandy Tompkins, Office of the Secretary of State  
Jay Hall, Kansas Association of Counties