

**SENATE BILL No. 104**

By Committee on Local Government, Transparency and Ethics

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1 AN ACT concerning counties; relating to citizens commissions on local  
2 government; granting certain boards of county commissioners  
3 discretion to create such commission; amending K.S.A. 19-2670 and  
4 repealing the existing section.

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6 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

7 Section 1. K.S.A. 19-2670 is hereby amended to read as follows: 19-  
8 2670. There ~~shall~~ *may* be created and established a citizens commission on  
9 local government in every county in this state having a population of more  
10 than ~~one hundred seventy thousand (170,000)~~ and not more than ~~two~~  
11 ~~hundred thousand (200,000)~~. Such commission shall consist of:

- 12 ~~(1)~~(a) The board of county commissioners of the county;  
13 ~~(2)~~(b) the governing body of all cities of the first class located in such  
14 county;  
15 ~~(3)~~(c) the trustee of each township in such county;  
16 ~~(4)~~(d) the chairmen of the boards of education of all school districts  
17 located in such county;  
18 ~~(5)~~(e) the chairmen of boards of public utilities of all cities located in  
19 such county;  
20 ~~(6)~~(f) the chairmen of boards of all drainage districts located within  
21 such county;  
22 ~~(7)~~(g) the mayors of all cities of the second and third class located in  
23 such county; and  
24 ~~(8)~~(h) ~~eighteen (18)~~ persons who shall be selected and appointed by  
25 the members ~~hereinbefore provided~~ *described in paragraphs (a) through*  
26 *(g)*. Such persons shall be residents of the county and shall not be officers  
27 or employees of the county or any city, school district, township, board of  
28 public utilities or drainage district.

29 Sec. 2. K.S.A. 19-2670 is hereby repealed.

30 Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its  
31 publication in the statute book.