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Elections Committee Members

This testimony in support of SB 171

Just last week we had City Council races in Wichita and in my home district barely a 1000 people voted in a city council district that has 63,000 citizens.

That is less than 2% which is the most compelling reson to switch to fall elections. The other is the fact that it is impossible to mount an effective campaign (in the snow) to educate the voters in just 4 weeks.

Spring elections are biased toward incumbents. It is time that 2% of the voters in a district decide the representation for the other 98%, and the fate of 60% 0f the tax dollars spent in this state.

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