

February 16, 2015

The Honorable Steve Huebert, Chairperson
House Committee on Local Government
Statehouse, Room 149-S
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Huebert:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2235 by House Committee on Local Government

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2235 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2235 would allow the board of county commissioners of any county with a population of 50,000 or more to submit to an election the question of abolishing the elected office of county treasurer and making the position appointed by the board of county commissioners. The board would call for the election by passage of a resolution, and if the proposition was passed, the office of county treasurer would become appointive at the end of the term of the current elected official.

Because the Kansas Association of Counties expects that the question would be posed during a regular election, and the salary of the treasurer is not affected by the bill, the Association does not expect that passage of HB 2235 would have a fiscal effect on the counties.

Sincerely,



Shawn Sullivan,
Director of the Budget

cc: Melissa Wangemann, Association of Counties