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Representative Steven Johnson, Chairman
Kansas House Committee on Taxation

Dear Chairman Johnson and members of the committee:

It's my privilege to offer support for HB 2441. Kansas is rich with history, as are the communities within its borders, and our historical museums are treasure troves of that rich history. It's an important task for us to help them preserve, protect and present this history for educational purposes.

Kansas statutes already contain a mechanism that allows historical museums to cooperate with cities and/or USDs to establish up to one mil for the operations of said museums. However, the language definition is very restrictive. HB 2441's definition changes would avail the opportunity for cooperation to more entities.

I urge and will greatly appreciate your support of this bill.

Respectfully,

Les Mason