

February 11, 2019

The Honorable Steven Johnson, Chairperson
House Committee on Taxation
Statehouse, Room 185-N
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Johnson:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2160 by House Committee on Taxation

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2160 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2160 would allow Wabaunsee County the authority to submit to voters the question of extending the additional countywide sales tax of 0.5 percent to finance the costs of bridge and road construction and improvement. The additional countywide sales tax could be extended no longer than 15 years for each extension or reenactment.

The Department of Revenue indicates HB 2160 would affect only local sales tax collections in Wabaunsee County and would have no fiscal effect on state revenues. The Department indicates that the administrative costs associated with implementing the provisions of the bill would be negligible and could be absorbed within existing resources.

Sincerely,



Larry L. Campbell
Director of the Budget

cc: Lynn Robinson, Department of Revenue
Jay Hall, Association of Counties