

February 15, 2019

The Honorable Ron Highland, Chairperson  
House Committee on Agriculture  
Statehouse, Room 458-W  
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Highland:

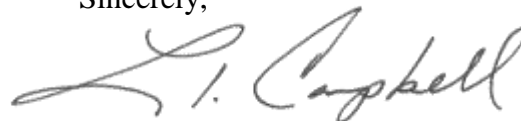
**SUBJECT:** Fiscal Note for HB 2215 by House Committee on Agriculture

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2215 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2215 would amend existing law concerning the Kansas State Fair Board to authorize the Board to create a nonprofit corporation organized under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986. The purpose of the nonprofit corporation would be to receive gifts, donations and grants and engage in fundraising projects for the benefit of the Kansas State Fair. The board of directors of the nonprofit corporation would consist of the members of the State Fair Board Executive Committee, the General Manager, and other directors designated by the Fair Board.

According to the Kansas State Fair, enactment of HB 2215 would not have an immediate fiscal effect, but over time it is expected to reduce reliance on the State Fair Capital Improvement Fund. Any fiscal effect associated with HB 2215 is not reflected in *The FY 2020 Governor's Budget Report*.

Sincerely,



Larry L. Campbell  
Director of the Budget

cc: Robin Jennison, State Fair