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Opponent -webex testimony

Dear Chairman and Members of the Committee,

Today, I stand in opposition of HB 2518 for a few specific reasons. Prior to covid, we did not "need" ballot drop boxes, and we certainly do not "need" them today.

I would likely have supported a bill that the legislature made the rules for. However, I do not support open-ended rules granted to the Secretary of States office on this matter. Rules are subject to change, and I would much prefer those be solidified into Kansas law, especially in terms of unmanned drop boxes.

I have huge concerns over advanced ballots in light of what I believe to be mass voter fraud across the nation using them. I would emplore the legislature to tighten rules on advanced ballots before we ever confer over "remote" ballot boxes.

I pray that this committee will continue to seek resolution to the concerns over election fraud and increasing voter confidence in elections by ending any passage of this bill further into our legislature.

Additionally, I would ask that you consider the possible harm this may bring to future confidence in our elections by solidifying remote boxes into law...as where they have not been before, which begs the question as to whether our laws have been violated already in previous elections due to their use and implementation.

Thank you for your time and attention,

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