

House Taxation Committee February 6, 2023 HB 2201

Kansas Association of Counties Neutral Testimony – Written Only

Chairman Smith and members of the Committee:

Thank you for allowing the Kansas Association of Counties to offer neutral testimony on HB 2201, which would require that four tax years and the current tax year be included on the appraisal notice provided by counties.

The Kansas Association of Counties does not oppose adding the additional information to provide taxpayers with more context for their property valuation. KAC has been made aware, however, that the additional tax year information could cause the notice, which currently prints on one sheet of paper (front and back) to print on two sheets of paper. If that were to occur, these notices would require twice as much paper. Being mindful of how taxpayer money is spent, KAC feels it necessary to draw attention to this potential cost, though again, KAC is not opposed to providing the additional information as required under HB 2201.

Thank you for the opportunity to present this perspective on this legislation.

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