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Sam Brownback, Governor

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The Honorable Scott Schwab, Chairperson House Committee on Elections Statehouse, Room 561-W Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Schwab:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2080 by House Committee on Elections

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2080 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

Under current law, the general election for members of the governing bodies of extension council districts is on the first Tuesday in April. The filing deadline for these candidates is on the following Wednesday and occurs five weeks prior to the general election. HB 2080 would move the deadline to ten weeks before the April general election to coincide with filing deadlines for candidates for other offices elected on the same date.

The Secretary of State indicates that HB 2080 would have no fiscal effect on state revenues or expenditures.

Sincerely,

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cc: Christy Myers, Secretary of State's Office Carol Williams, Governmental Ethics