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Honorable Kansas State Sneator Elaine Bowers
Chair, Senate Ethics, Elections and Local Government Committee and Distinguised Members fo the Committee

Re: Senate Bill 131

Chairman Bowers and Distinguised Committee Members,

Thank you for the opportunity to speak with you in support of Senate Bill 131. The Sedgwick County Election Office fully supports the changes that would be made with the passage of Senate Bill 131.

Aligning the filing deadlines to be more consistent would reduce confusion and having the additional time to prepare ballots would be a significant improvement for all of us.

Thank you for your time and I am happy to answer any questions.

Sincerely,

Tabitha Lehman
Sedgwick County Election Commissioner