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The Honorable Carolyn McGinn, Chairperson Senate Committee on Local Government Statehouse, Room 541C-E Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator McGinn:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 88 by Senate Committee on Local Government

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 88 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 88 would allow any owner of land aggrieved by the decision of the city governing body under the provisions of KSA 12-505, 13-443, 14- 423 and 15-427 which relate to vacation or exclusion of territory or easements, to challenge the reasonableness of the decision in district court within 30 days following the publication of the vacation ordinance. The bill would also amend law related to where notice must be posted by the city; allow planning commissioners to hear petitions by property owners; clarify additional notice requirements; allow cities to initiate the deannexation of land; and require governing bodies to enact ordinances related to the petitions. SB 88 would take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the statute book.

The Office of Judicial Administration indicates the enactment SB 88 could increase the number of cases filed in district courts and increase revenues from the collection of additional docket fees; however, an accurate estimate of the fiscal effect on expenditures by and revenues to the Judicial Branch cannot be given. The League of Kansas Municipalities indicates the bill would have no fiscal effect on cities. Any fiscal effect associated with SB 88 is not reflected in *The FY 2022 Governor's Budget Report*.

Sincerely,

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