

February 22, 2023

The Honorable Carolyn McGinn, Chairperson  
Senate Committee on Local Government  
300 SW 10th Avenue, Room 142-S  
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator McGinn:

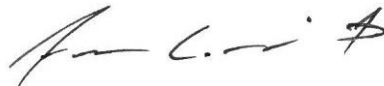
**SUBJECT:** Fiscal Note for SB 273 by Senate Committee on Assessment and Taxation

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 273 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 273 would repeal the zoning and planning authority for cities in the three-mile area extending from the city boundaries, giving county planning commissions the authority to regulate such areas instead.

The League of Kansas Municipalities indicates that enactment of SB 273 would increase expenditures for cities, but the fiscal effect is unknown. According to the Kansas Association of Counties, enactment of SB 273 could increase labor costs for county planning commissions, as there would be an expansion of unincorporated areas to regulate.

Sincerely,



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Director of the Budget

cc: Jay Hall, Kansas Association of Counties  
Wendi Stark, League of Kansas Municipalities