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Private Citizen
HB 2448 Opponent
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Chair Proctor and Members of the Committee, thank you for taking the time to share my thoughts with you all. My name is Eliana Valdez and I am a dedicated voter in Garden City, located in Finney County. I am writing to ask the committee to vote NO on HB 2448.

I believe that Kansas elections operate fairly and securely. This legislation is built on rhetoric and unfounded claims that there is widespread voter fraud in Kansas, when this is simply untrue. Passing this bill would mean that constituents with limited resources would lose their voice in their communities. For some people, it is extremely difficult to procure the necessary documents because of poverty, poor health, safety, and a myriad of other reasons. This is unjust and unconstitutional. I would like to believe that our legislators care that actual citizens get their right to vote. This is what's been happening, and hopefully will continue to happen. Passing this bill would mean otherwise. Voting NO would ensure the safety and wellbeing of citizens, and that every voter is being heard.

Thank you for hearing my thoughts on this bill. Please vote NO on HB 2448.