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House Taxation Committee  
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HB 2005

Kansas Association of Counties  
Proponent Testimony – Written Only

Chairman Smith and members of the Committee:

Thank you for allowing the Kansas Association of Counties to offer proponent testimony on HB 2005, the Veterans Valor property tax relief act, which would provide an income tax credit or refund for eligible military veterans.

KAC supports giving an income tax credit to disabled veterans to help offset their property taxes. HB 2005 balances the desire to offer property tax relief to these individuals while also allowing local government entities to efficiently plan their budgets.

KAC would encourage the committee to move HB 2005 forward without amendments to allow it to pass cleanly and quickly during this legislative session.

Thank you for the opportunity to present this perspective on this legislation.

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