

March 25, 2019

The Honorable Bud Estes, Chairperson  
Senate Committee on Federal and State Affairs  
Statehouse, Room 136-E  
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Estes:

**SUBJECT:** Fiscal Note for SB 229 by Senate Committee on Federal and State Affairs

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 229 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 229 would abolish the Capitol Area Plaza Authority and transfer all functions of the Authority to the Department of Administration. Any reference to the Capital Area Plaza Authority in statute, contracts or other documents would apply to the Department of Administration. Under current law, the Capitol Area Plaza Authority includes the following members:

1. One member of the House of Representatives appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives;
2. One member of the Senate appointed by the President of the Senate;
3. One member of the House of Representatives appointed by the Minority Leader of the House of Representatives;
4. One member of the Senate appointed by the Minority Leader of the Senate;
5. The Secretary of Administration;
6. A representative of the city government of Topeka appointed by the Topeka mayor;
7. A person experienced in land use planning appointed by the Governor;
8. The Judicial Administrator of the courts; and
9. Five members appointed by the Governor who have qualifications the Governor considers appropriate.

The Department of Administration indicates it would be able to carry out all functions of the Capital Area Plaza Authority within existing resources.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "L. L. Campbell". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized initial "L".

Larry L. Campbell  
Director of the Budget

cc: Colleen Becker, Department of Administration  
Janie Harris, Judiciary  
Karen Clowers, Legislative Services