

February 13, 2023

The Honorable Robert Olson, Chairperson  
Senate Committee on Utilities  
300 SW 10th Avenue, Room 548-S  
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Olson:

**SUBJECT:** Fiscal Note for SB 166 by Senate Committee on Utilities

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 166 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 166 would require the Kansas Corporation Commission to publicly disclose applications for electric transmission line siting permits, including those filed prior to July 1, 2023. The bill would also clarify that hearings on such applications must be public.

The Kansas Corporation Commission and the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board indicate that SB 166 would not have a fiscal effect. According to the League of Kansas Municipalities and the Kansas Association of Counties, enactment of SB 166 would not have a fiscal effect on cities or counties.

Sincerely,



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Director of the Budget

cc: Peter Barstad, Kansas Corporation Commission  
Shonda Rabb, Citizens Utility Ratepayer Board  
Wendi Stark, League of Kansas Municipalities  
Jay Hall, Kansas Association of Counties