

ONE HUNDRED NINTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION - 2025
COMMITTEE STATEMENT
LB105

Hearing Date: Wednesday February 12, 2025
Committee On: Natural Resources
Introducer: Hughes
One Liner: Change procedures for voting or election precincts for public power districts

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:
Advanced to General File

Vote Results:

Aye:	7	Senators Brandt, Clouse, Conrad, DeKay, Hughes, Moser, Raybould
Nay:		
Absent:	1	Senator Juarez
Present Not Voting:		

Testimony:

Proponents:

Senator Jana Hughes
Ellen Kreifels

Representing:

Opening Presenter
Nebraska Rural Electric Association

Opponents:

Representing:

Neutral:

Representing:

* ADA Accommodation Written Testimony

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB105 amends sections 70-604.03 and 70-612 to enable a public power district or public power and irrigation district organized under Chapter 70, article 6, to divide voting precincts to draw boundary lines for operating area and to form subdivisions of territory for the nomination and election of directors in order to more closely align voters in the district with the district's retail customers. The bill also provides that the description of such divided precincts, whether for purposes of establishing operating area, chartered territory, or district elections, is no longer subject to approval by the Secretary of State as currently required by section 70-604.03.

Section by section:

Sec. 1 Amends section 70-604.03.
Sec. 2 Amends section 70-612.
Sec. 3 Repealer.
Sec. 4 Emergency Clause.



Tom Brandt, Chairperson

