ONE HUNDRED NINTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION - 2025 COMMITTEE STATEMENT LB166

Hearing Date: Thursday January 23, 2025

Committee On: Government, Military and Veterans Affairs

Introducer: Hughes

One Liner: Require the county treasurer to maintain confidentiality of certain persons' residential addresses

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:

Advanced to General File with amendment(s)

Vote Results:

Aye: 8 Senators Sanders, Andersen, Cavanaugh, J., Guereca, Hunt,

Lonowski, McKeon, Wordekemper

Nay:

Absent:

Present Not Voting:

Testimony:

Proponents: Representing:

Senator Jana Hughes Opening Presenter
Taylor Samek York County Sheriff's Office

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Corey Steel Administrative Office of Courts and Probation

Tim Hruza Nebraska State Bar Association, Nebraska District

Court Judges Association, State Troopers

Association of Nebraska

Opponents: Representing:

Neutral: Representing:

Candace Meredith Nebraska Association of County Officials

Meg Weber Self

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

This bill would add county treasurers to the list of local officials who are instructed to withhold from the public the residential address information of certain public officials and civil servants who are deemed to be at greater risk should their personal information be disclosed.

Explanation of amendments:

The committee amendment retains the provisions from LB 166 as introduced and incorporates a version of the provisions from LB 334. That bill as introduced proposed preventing public release of the residential addresses, mailing addresses, and telephone numbers from the forms judges file when they seek voter approval of their retention



^{*} ADA Accommodation Written Testimony

in office.

The revised version of LB 334 contained in AM 612 removes the original sections and places a nondisclosure provision in section 24-814, the statute mandating the filing of judicial retention forms with the Secretary of State. The amended language also clarifies what information derived from the retention filings shall be disclosed.

Testifiers on LB334:

Proponents:

Senator Jana Hughes , Opening Presenter Corey Steel, Administrative Office of the Courts and Probation Tim Hruza, Nebraska State Bar Association

Opponents:

Korby Gilbertson, Media of Nebraska, Incorporated

Neutral: None

Committee vote to attach LB334: Yes - 8; No - 0; Absent - 0; Present Not Voting - 0;

Rita Sanders, Chairperson