

ONE HUNDRED NINTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION - 2025
COMMITTEE STATEMENT
LB294

Hearing Date: Wednesday January 29, 2025
Committee On: Government, Military and Veterans Affairs
Introducer: Storer
One Liner: Change provisions relating to grants from the County Visitors Improvement Fund

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:
Advanced to General File with amendment(s)

Vote Results:
Aye: 8 Senators Andersen, Cavanaugh, J., Guereca, Hunt, Lonowski,
McKeon, Sanders, Wordekemper
Nay:
Absent:
Present Not Voting:

Testimony:

Proponents: Senator Tanya Storer Steve Maly Richard Brown	Representing: Opening Presenter Nebraska Travel Association Self
Opponents:	Representing:
Neutral:	Representing:

* ADA Accommodation Written Testimony

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

This bill would modify the maximum amount allowable for grants from County Visitors Improvement Funds. Current law limits the amount to the actual proceeds of a one percent sales tax imposed by a county for this purpose. This bill would change the maximum limit to the greater of either the amount of such proceeds or two thousand five hundred dollars. The bill includes the emergency clause.

Explanation of amendments:

AM 54 changes the maximum amount from twenty-five hundred dollars to five thousand dollars.

Rita Sanders, Chairperson

