Approved: <u>April 2, 2007</u>

MINUTES OF THE HOUSE ELECTIONS AND GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Mike Burgess at 3:30 P.M. on January 24, 2007 in Room 231-N of the Capitol.

All members were present except:

Representative Steve Huebert- excused Representative Ronnie Metsker- excused Representative Mike Peterson- excused

Committee staff present:

Martha Dorsey, Legislative Research Department Matt Spurgin, Legislative Research Department Mike Heim, Revisor of Statutes Office Maureen Stinson, Committee Assistant

Conferees appearing before the committee:

Rep. Don Schroeder Judy Moler John Waltner David Van Parys Randy Waldorf

Others attending:

See attached list.

Bill Requests

Harriet Lange requested a committee bill concerning open records.

Rep. Vickrey requested a committee bill concerning counties.

The Committee approved the requests.

HB 2058 Counties - Courts for enforcement of county codes and resolutions, removal of restriction

Chairman Burgess opened the hearing on HB 2058.

Rep. Schroeder testified in support of the bill (<u>Attachment 1</u>).

Judy Moler, Kansas Association of Counties, testified in support of the bill (Attachment 2).

John Waltner, Harvey County Special Projects, testified in support of the bill (Attachment 3).

David Van Parys, Leavenworth County Counselor, testified in support of the bill (Attachment 4).

Randy Waldorf, Butler County Commission, testified in support of the bill (Attachment 5).

Written testimony in support of the bill was submitted by Vicki Koepsel, Saline County Planning and Zoning (Attachment 6).

Written testimony in support of the bill was submitted by John Todd (Attachment 7).

Chairman Burgess closed the hearing on HB 2058.

Rep. Pottorff made a motion for the favorable approval of the minutes for the January 11, 2007 meeting. Rep. Brunk seconded the motion. The motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned.

CONTINUATION SHEET
MINUTES OF THE House Elections and Governmental Organization Committee at 3:30 P.M. on January 24, 2007 in Room 231-N of the Capitol.
The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, January 25, 2007.