March 17, 2015

The Honorable Ralph Ostmeyer, Chairperson
Senate Committee on Federal and State Affairs
Statehouse, Room 136-E
Topeka, Kansas  66612

Dear Senator Ostmeyer:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 231 by Senate Committee on Federal and State Affairs

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 231 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 231 would require the City of Wichita and Wichita State University to enter into an agreement for cooperation in policing university property. The agreement would have to be approved by the governing body of the City of Wichita and the Chief Executive Officer of Wichita State University.

The League of Kansas Municipalities states that SB 231 could have a fiscal effect on Wichita and other cities with a state educational institution located in it; however, the amount of the fiscal effect cannot be determined. Wichita State University did not respond to requests for a fiscal effect statement. Any fiscal effect associated with SB 231 is not reflected in The FY 2016 Governor’s Budget Report.

Sincerely,

Shawn Sullivan,
Director of the Budget

cc: Mary Herrin, Wichita State University
    Larry Baer, League of Municipalities