January 26, 2017

The Honorable Keith Esau, Chairperson
House Committee on Elections
Statehouse, Room 151-S
Topeka, Kansas  66612

Dear Representative Esau:

SUBJECT:    Fiscal Note for HB 2117 by Representative Carmichael

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2117 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

Current law prohibits any city or county from regulating or prohibiting the placement or number of political signs on private property or the unpaved right-of-way for city streets or county roads on private property during the 45-day period prior to an election and the two-day period following the election.  HB 2117 would repeal this law.

According to the Kansas Association of Counties and the League of Kansas Municipalities, passage of HB 2117 would have no fiscal effect on the cities or counties of Kansas.

Sincerely,

Shawn Sullivan,
Director of the Budget

cc:  Brock Ingmire, League of Municipalities
     Melissa Wangemann, Association of Counties