February 27, 2018

The Honorable Steven Johnson, Chairperson
House Committee on Taxation
Statehouse, Room 185-N
Topeka, Kansas  66612

Dear Representative Johnson:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2749 by House Committee on Taxation

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2749 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2749 would allow Jackson County the authority to submit to voters the question of imposing an additional countywide sales tax of 0.4 percent to finance the costs of public infrastructure projects that are specified at the election. The additional countywide sales tax would expire after seven years. The bill would also remove outdated sales tax authority language for Jackson County.

The Department of Revenue indicates HB 2749 would affect only local sales tax collections in Jackson County and would have no fiscal effect on state revenues. The Department indicates that the administrative costs associated with implementing the provisions of the bill would be negligible and could be absorbed within existing resources.

Sincerely,

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cc: Lynn Robinson, Department of Revenue
    Ben Cleeves, Transportation
    Chardae Caine, League of Municipalities
    Melissa Wangemann, Association of Counties