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SB366

Proponent

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Chairman Thompson and Members of the senate Federal & State Affairs Committee,

I am submitting my testimony in being a proponent of SB366. I highly oppose absentee voting for the masses. However, it is legal at the moment and certain restrictions need to be adhered to. At no time should any election office be allowed to send any absentee ballot requests without the written request from the actual voter. At this point in time for the state and country, all steps should be taken to keep our sacred voting procedures secure. Johnson County Kansas sent out 400,000 absentee ballot requests for the fall 2023 elections. These requests were sent to both people who did and who did not ask for them. If they did not request them, they were not looking for them in the mail. This creates a massive area that could be fraudulent. Controls should be in place to not allow this to happen again. If a voter wants to vote absentee, it is the responsibility of the voter to request the absentee ballot. It is not the responsibility of the election office to send these forms to everyone. Keep Kansas elections secure. Again, I am voicing my support of bill SB366.

Respectfully,

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