

## City of Enterprise Fire Department

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The Honorable Senator J.R. Claeys 300 W. 10th Room 224-E Topeka, KS 6612

Dear Senator Claeys:

My name is John Vahsholtz, Fire Chief for the City of Enterprise, Dickinson County, Kansas.

I am writing you to ask for your support with SB 127. The passing of this bill is an absolute need for updating our radio communications system. Currently, Dickinson County utilizes an outdated, unsafe communication system that is in need of repair and replacement. If we update this system, not only will we be able to improve our counties communications, but it will regionalize our communications allowing ALL emergency services to talk with a turn of a knob.

I appreciate your help and support of this issue.

Thank for your time and for considering my request.

Sincerely,

John Vahsholtz

Fire Chief