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Testimony of the Kansas Association of Counties to the  
Senate Committee on Ethics, Elections and Local Government  
Proponent Testimony on SB 338 • February 11, 2020

Madam Chair and Members of the Committee:

Thank you for the opportunity to offer testimony regarding SB 338, which would offer an alternative procedure for budgeting for municipalities.

Local control is a fundamental principle of the KAC and its member counties. SB 338 would give counties the option of implementing the new process, or keeping with the existing process.

Budgeting is a critical process for all local governments and each locality should make the decision of how to budget in a way that is most effective for that community.

KAC supports this additional option for budgeting. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Respectfully,

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