#### SESSION OF 2020

## SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON HOUSE BILL NO. 2509

### As Recommended by House Committee on Local Government

## **Brief\***

HB 2509 would vacate lots dedicated for a college and a park in the original town plat of the City of Americus from that dedication. The bill would also confer fee simple titles to the lots to the City of Americus, of which the city's governing body could dispose of at its discretion.

# Background

The bill was introduced by the House Committee on Local Government at the request of Representative Schreiber.

In the House Committee hearing, Representative Schreiber and a representative of the League of Kansas Municipalities (LKM) provided proponent testimony on the bill, stating the legislation is necessary to vacate the lots, and allow the City of Americus to utilize them for another purpose. Written-only proponent testimony was provided by the City of Americus. No neutral or opponent testimony was provided.

The House Committee recommended the bill be placed on the Consent Calendar.

According to the fiscal note prepared by the Division of the Budget on the bill, the LKM indicates enactment of the bill would have a fiscal effect only on the City of Americus.

<sup>\*</sup>Supplemental notes are prepared by the Legislative Research Department and do not express legislative intent. The supplemental note and fiscal note for this bill may be accessed on the Internet at http://www.kslegislature.org