Proponent Written Testimony HB2133

I rise in support of HB2133 to stop "No Knock Warrants" in Kansas. At it's core government has one essential job, that is to protect rights. The fundamental rights spelled out in our Bill of Rights are essential to our liberty. The right of the people to be secure in their persons, houses, papers and effects must be protected. While the vast majority of search warrants are carried out with these rights in mind, on occasion they are not and often do not end well. Wrong addresses have been entered, "Swatting" has deceived law enforcement and led to a death in our own state of Kansas. This law will protect both citizens and law enforcement officers. I encourage the committee to pass HB2133.

Rep Michael Murphy 114th District