

The Moser Minute

Week Ten: March 14 - 18, 2022

Federal & State Affairs hearings and action on:

- **SB405** Authorizing the state historical society to convey certain real property (a burial ground in Shawnee) to the Shawnee Tribe. Passed as amended.
- **SB479** Authorizing a permanent memorial commemorating the Kansas Suffragist movement to be placed in the state capitol and establishing the Kansas Suffragist memorial fund. Passed as amended.
- **HB2717** Prohibiting any municipality from preventing the enforcement of federal immigration laws (not allowing sanctuary cities) and requiring any municipal ID card to state on its face that it is not valid for state identification. Passed as amended.
- **HB2502** Liquor sales and delivery. Passed as amended.
- **HB2644** Adoption of the Sandhill Plum as the State Fruit of Kansas. Passed.
- **SB34** Allowing joint committee on rules and regulations to review of administrative rules and regulations of agencies at five-year intervals. Passed as amended.
- **HB2681** Requiring all forfeited or seized firearms in the possession of law enforcement agency to be disposed of in accordance with the Kansas code of criminal procedure. Passed.
- **HB2715** Requiring training and certification of county election officials to be developed by Secretary of State and the Kansas County Clerks and Election Officials Association. Passed as amended.

Children & Seniors listened to a presentation on Oral Health Impact on Children and Senior Citizens.

Worked the following bills:

- **SB12** Requiring the Kansas Department for Children and Families to implement performance-based contracts. Passed as amended.
- **SB276** Providing considerations in family law, adoption, foster care, guardianship, and child in need of care proceedings for a parent or prospective parent who is blind. Passed.
- **HB2700** Requiring the Kansas Department of Children & Families to review certain needs and attachments of a child before giving consent for an adoption and the court to determine such review occurred. "Kinship Adoption." Passed as amended.

Hearings on:

- **HB2468, HB 2469** Enacting the Kansas Foster Youth and Foster Parents Bill of Rights.

Agriculture heard an informational briefing from Kansas Food & Farm Coalition, Part II.

- **SB346** Allowing for the on-farm retail sale of milk and milk products and establishing certain standards for milk. Bill was amended to add the contents of **HB2723** Authorizing the animal health commissioner to impose a civil penalty for violations related to transporting animals into the state. Passed as amended.
- **SB261** Placed contents of **HB2530** Prohibiting the use of identifiable meat terms on the labels of meat analogs when such labels do not include proper qualifying language to indicate such products do not contain meat into **SB261**. Amended to add "plant-based" to the list of acceptable terminology when describing meat analogs. Passed as amended.
- **SB451** Requiring an individual to maintain enrollment on a tribal membership roll to receive free permanent hunting, fishing, and fur harvest licenses. Passed as amended.

Actions on the House Floor I supported all legislation voted on this week. All passed.

- **S Sub for HB2279** Amending the advanced practice registered nurse authorized scope of practice to permit the prescribing of drugs without a supervising physician. The House non-concurred with this bill as it came from the Senate. A conference committee was appointed.
- **House Resolution 6024** honored seven 2020 and seven 2022 Master Teachers. In 2021, all teachers were recognized for their efforts during Covid. **HCR 5032** honoring Ukrainians in their fight against Russia; **HB2674** requiring a forfeiture of an appearance bond; **HB2541** addressing docket fees going to state general fund (SGF) and that the judicial branch be funded through SGF; **HB 2676** allowing counties to create a code inspection and enforcement fund and adding computer and electronic technologies to become part of the equipment reserve fund; **HB2582** directing the Kansas Department of Children & Families to share certain information with law enforcement; **HB2528** removing inflatables owned by for profit and non-profit entities from the Kansas amusement ride act; **SB335** correcting an oversight regarding health insurance and the annual premium tax; **SB348** exempting “threading” from the practice of cosmetology; **SB392** terminating transfer of unencumbered funds in the securities act fee fund exceeding \$50,000 to the SGF; **HB2712** establishing the Kansas commission for the United States Semiquincentennial (250th celebration); **SB408** increasing criminal penalties for multiple thefts of mail; **Sub SB400** updating certain requirements and conditions for trusts in Kansas; SB366 specifying that the crime of burglary includes, without authority, entering or remaining within any locked or secured portion of any dwelling or other structure, with intent to commit another crime therein.

Positive rural housing conversations continued this week. I visited with representatives of the Central Kansas Library System and was informed that 38 iPads had been purchased with ARPA funds to replace the book mailing program. They can be checked out for 3 months intervals, and come with internet support, safety software and internet filters. Constituent issues abound. District visitors in my office this week were Josiah White, Belleville; Chloe Thornburg and Reid Thornburg, Marysville; Michelle Voelker, Greenleaf. On March 17, I filed for re-election at the Secretary of State’s office.

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