# ONE HUNDRED FOURTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION - 2016 COMMITTEE STATEMENT LB1042

Hearing Date:	Tuesday February 09, 2016
Committee On:	Urban Affairs
Introducer:	Friesen
One Liner:	Change provisions relating to tax-increment financing

# **Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:**

Indefinitely postponed

#### Vote Results:

Aye:	4	Senators Crawford, Hansen, Howard, McCollister
Nay:	1	Senator Hughes
Absent:	1	Senator Coash
Present Not Voting:	1	Senator Ebke

## **Verbal Testimony:**

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Proponents:	Representing:
Curt Friesen	District 34
JD Schluntz	Self
Opponents:	Representing:
David Landis	City of Lincoln
Larry Burks	City of Bellevue
John Lindsay	Omaha Public Schools
Mike Jacobson	North Platte CRA
Tom Huston	Greater Omaha Chamber of Commerce/Lincoln
	Chamber of Commerce/Nebraska Chamber of
	Commerce/Nebraska Bankers Association
Ervin Portis	City of Plattsmouth
Jennifer Taylor	City of Omaha
David Levy	Nebraska Association of Commercial Property
	Owners/Turner Park North/Omaha By Design/Eastern
	Nebraska Development Council
Lynn Rex	League of Nebraska Municipalities
Neutral:	Representing:
Renee Fry	Open Sky Policy Institute

### Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB 1042 would require that prior to municipal approval of a redevelopment plan which includes the use of tax-increment financing (TIF), the county board of equalization of the county that would be directly affected by the TIF would have to approve the plan. The county board of equalization may approve the plan if it meets all statutory requirements for TIF imposed under the Community Development Law.

LB 1042 would also change the valuation of real property used in calculations under the Tax Equity and Educational Opportunities Support Act (TEEOSA). Under the bill, when certifying the total taxable valuation of a school district within

the county to the Property Tax Administrator, the county assessor shall certify the total assessed valuation of any property whose valuation is divided due to TIF rather than the base valuation of the property under TIF.

Sue Crawford, Chairperson