## **Legislature - First Session - 2015**

## **Introducer's Statement of Intent**

## **LB88**

Chairperson: Senator Les Seiler

**Committee: Judiciary** 

Date of Hearing: January 21, 2015

The following constitutes the reasons for this bill and the purposes which are sought to be accomplished thereby:

LB 88 would amend Section 33-110 by increasing fees related to marriage licenses. The bill is intended to allow counties to cover their costs, and, in the case of issuing sertified copies, to align county fees with the state's fees.

Currently, counties receive a fee of \$15.00 to cover the costs of performing the procedures required for a marriage license: administering oaths or affirmations, issuing the license, and recording the license. LB 88 would increase the fee to \$50.00.

Currently, counties receive a fee of \$5.00 for making a certified copy of a marriage record. LB 88 would increase the fee to \$16.00.

Fees received by the county are deposited in the county general fund. LB 88 would not change that.

**Senator Kathy Campbell**