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Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB775

Chairperson: Senator John Stinner

Committee: Appropriations

Date of Hearing: January 31, 2018

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

LB775 authorizes the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission to utilize alternative methods of contracting for public projects for buildings in the state park system, specifically authorizing the use of the Design-Build and Construction Manager/General Contractor contracting methods.

Through previous legislation, public schools, cities, villages, community colleges and state colleges have been provided the ability to use alternative delivery methods in addition to the traditional Design-Bid-Build method.

LB775 would provide the Commission the option and ability to use these alternative methods of contracting, which they currently do not have. It would allow them to use their internal professional advice from their Engineering, Parks, and Administrative staff to evaluate the best delivery method for a particular project.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator John Stinner