

**One Hundred Seventh Legislature - Second Session - 2022**

**Introducer's Statement of Intent**

**LB1079**

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**Chairperson: Senator John Stinner**

**Committee: Appropriations**

**Date of Hearing: March 01, 2022**

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

LB 1079 appropriates 50% of Federal Funds awarded through the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 to every resident of Nebraska.

Each resident will receive an equal amount in the form of a preloaded debit card that can only be used at businesses in Nebraska.

The cards can be used for any type of purchase except for gambling, lottery and cash back transactions.

**Principal Introducer:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Senator Ben Hansen**