

NINETY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 194

Introduced by Urban Affairs Committee: Friend, 10, Chairperson;
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Committee:

PURPOSE: To study the various statutes governing the qualifications and processes for annexation of territory by the different classes of Nebraska's cities and villages. The study would also review the implications and consequences of annexation as it impacts other political subdivisions and the services received by residents of areas subject to an annexation proposal. Particular attention should be paid to "skip" annexation or "remote" annexation as currently authorized for cities of the second class and villages exercising tax-increment financing authority, the experience of its use, and whether such authority should be extended or repealed.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE NINETY-NINTH LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, FIRST SESSION:

1. That the Urban Affairs Committee of the Legislature shall be designated to conduct an interim study to carry out the purposes of this resolution.

2. That the committee shall upon the conclusion of its study make a report of its findings, together with its recommendations, to the Legislative Council or Legislature.