

ONE HUNDRED NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION - 2026

COMMITTEE STATEMENT

LB924

Hearing Date: Tuesday January 20, 2026
Committee On: Education
Introducer: Andersen
One Liner: Change authorized uses of learning community levies

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:

Advanced to General File

Vote Results:

Aye:	8	Senators Murman, Conrad, Hughes, Hunt, Juarez, Lonowski, Meyer, G., Sanders
Nay:		
Absent:		
Present Not Voting:		

Testimony:

Proponents:
Senator Bob Andersen
Gerald Kuhn II

Representing:
Opening Presenter
Learning Community

Opponents:

Representing:

Neutral:

Representing:

* ADA Accommodation Written Testimony

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB 924 amends sections 77-3442, 79-2104, and 79-2111 of the Revised Statutes of Nebraska to expand and clarify authorized uses of learning community levy funds.

Section-by-Section Bill Summary:

Section 1 amends section 77-3442 to expand the authorized use of levied learning community funds to include the purchasing of elementary learning center facilities, replacing prior language limited to facility leases. The bill changes language so that no more than 10% of the levy may be used for learning community center administrative staff.

Section 2 amends section 79-2104 to make harmonizing changes authorizing levied learning community funds for the purchasing as well as the leasing of elementary learning center facilities, and limiting levy funds for administrative staff of the learning community to no more than 10% of such levy. Section 2 also authorizes learning communities to partner with public and private entities to support increasing high school graduation rates.



Section 3 amends section 79-2111 to make harmonizing changes authorizing using levy funds for the purchasing as well as the leasing of elementary learning center facilities.

Section 4 Repealer.

Dave Murman, Chairperson

