



**Hundredth Legislature - First Session - 2007
Committee Statement
LB 212**

Hearing Date: January 26, 2007

Committee On: Government, Military and Veterans Affairs

Introducer(s): (Rogert)

Title: Authorize counties to enact ordinances as prescribed

Roll Call Vote – Final Committee Action:

Advanced to General File

Advanced to General File with Amendments

X Indefinitely Postponed

Vote Results:

6	Yes	Senators Adams, Aguilar, Avery, Friend, Mines, Pahls
2	No	Senators Karpisek, Rogert
0	Present, not voting	
0	Absent	

Proponents:

Senator Kent Rogert
Darrold Lidgett
Becky Schmitz
Jeff Kuhr

William Goodpasture
Fred Uhe
Elaine Menzel

Representing:

Introducer
SID #1 of Stanton County
Woodland Park SID #1
Public Health Association of Nebraska
State Association of Local Health Directors
Woodland Park SID #1
Sarpy County
Nebraska Association of County Officials

Opponents:

David Nielsen

Representing:

Nebraska Farm Bureau

Neutral:

Gary Krumland

Representing:

League of Nebraska Municipalities

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB 212 allows counties to enact ordinances to address control of dogs and cats, to address sidewalk obstructions, and to address towing. A county may impose fines, forfeitures, and penalties and provide for their recovery and collection.

Ordinances adopted by counties may not be imposed within the boundaries of incorporated municipalities.

The bill also outlines how the ordinances will be adopted, including notice provisions.

Explanation of amendments, if any:

Senator Ray Aguilar, Chairperson