

ONE HUNDRED FOURTH LEGISLATURE

SECOND SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 398CA

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

Introduced by Bloomfield, 17.

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Committee: Judiciary

1 THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA,
2 SECOND SESSION, RESOLVE THAT:

3 Section 1. At the general election in November 2016 the following
4 proposed amendment to the Constitution of Nebraska shall be submitted to
5 the electors of the State of Nebraska for approval or rejection:

6 To amend Article V, section 20, and repeal Article V, sections 21
7 and 26:

8 V-20 (1) The Legislature shall provide by law for the election of
9 judges provided for in this Article and may provide for appointment of
10 judges for the unexpired terms in the case of vacancies.

11 (2) All officers provided for in this Article shall hold their
12 offices until their successors shall be qualified and they shall
13 respectively reside in the district or county from which they shall be
14 selected. All officers, when not otherwise provided for in this Article,
15 shall perform such duties and receive such compensation as may be
16 prescribed by law.

17 Article V, sections 21 and 26, of the Constitution of Nebraska are
18 repealed.

19 Sec. 2. The proposed amendment shall be submitted to the electors
20 in the manner prescribed by the Constitution of Nebraska, Article XVI,
21 section 1, with the following ballot language:

22 A constitutional amendment to provide for election of judges as
23 prescribed by the Legislature and eliminate provisions relating to

- 1 selection of judges.
- 2 For
- 3 Against.