

One Hundred Fourth Legislature - Second Session - 2016

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB806

Chairperson: Senator Sue Crawford

Committee: Urban Affairs

Date of Hearing: February 16, 2016

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

LB 806 would adopt the Riverfront Development District Act.

The purpose of the legislation is to create a new organizational tool for strategic and intentional municipal economic development and tourism efforts focused on riverfront areas across Nebraska.

Under the Act, cities would be authorized to create a riverfront development district by the adoption of an ordinance. A riverfront development authority would be appointed by the mayor of the municipality with the approval of the city council.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Heath Mello