

One Hundred Fourth Legislature - Second Session - 2016

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB874

Chairperson: Senator John Murante

Committee: Government, Military and Veterans Affairs

Date of Hearing: January 28, 2016

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

LB 874 harmonizes the process for filling vacancies on school boards in Nebraska. Per the current statute, if a vacancy occurs in the membership of a school board, the term of the appointee varies between the next primary election and elected at the following general election or until the unexpired term depending on the class of the school board. The term length is determined by what date the position becomes vacant. The bill will adopt the current Class V process for all school board classes, changing appointments to fill a vacancy on a school board to be for the remainder of the unexpired term.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator John Murante