

ONE HUNDRED SIXTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION - 2019
COMMITTEE STATEMENT
LB66

Hearing Date: Tuesday January 29, 2019
Committee On: Urban Affairs
Introducer: Hansen, M.
One Liner: Provide for an early childhood element in a comprehensive plan developed by a city

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:
Advanced to General File with amendment(s)

Vote Results:
Aye: 4 Senators Crawford, Hansen, M., Hunt, Wayne
Nay:
Absent:
Present Not Voting: 3 Senators Arch, Briese, Lowe

Oral Testimony:

Proponents:

Senator Matt Hansen
Colby Coash
Joey Adler
Elizabeth Everett

Representing:

Legislative District 26
Nebraska Association of School Boards
Holland Children's Movement
First Five Nebraska

Opponents:

Jack Cheloha

Representing:

City of Omaha

Neutral:

Lynn Rex

Representing:

League Of Nebraska Municipalities

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB 66 would require that cities include an early childhood element in their comprehensive plans no later than January 1, 2022, either when adopting a new comprehensive plan or updating an existing comprehensive plan.

Explanation of amendments:

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AM 56 clarifies that the January 1, 2022 date is a deadline and not a sunset clause.

Justin Wayne, Chairperson