## ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION - 2021 COMMITTEE STATEMENT LB332

Tuesday February 02, 2021 **Hearing Date:** Committee On: **Urban Affairs** Introducer: Wayne One Liner: Change provisions relating to the city council of a city of the metropolitan class **Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:** Advanced to General File with amendment(s) **Vote Results:** Aye: 4 Senators Blood, Hansen, M., Hunt, Wayne Nay: 2 Senators Arch, Lowe Absent: Senator Briese **Present Not Voting:** 1 **Oral Testimony: Proponents:** Representing: Senator Justin Wayne Legislative District 13 Opponents: Representing: Jack Cheloha City of Omaha **Neutral:** Representing: Summary of purpose and/or changes: LB 332 would increase the size of the city council of cities of the metropolitan class from seven members to nine members, beginning with the city elections in 2025. **Explanation of amendments:** AM 118 provides that the new city council districts would be drawn by the city council instead of by the county election commissioner. Justin Wayne, Chairperson