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2025 STATE LEGISLATIVE

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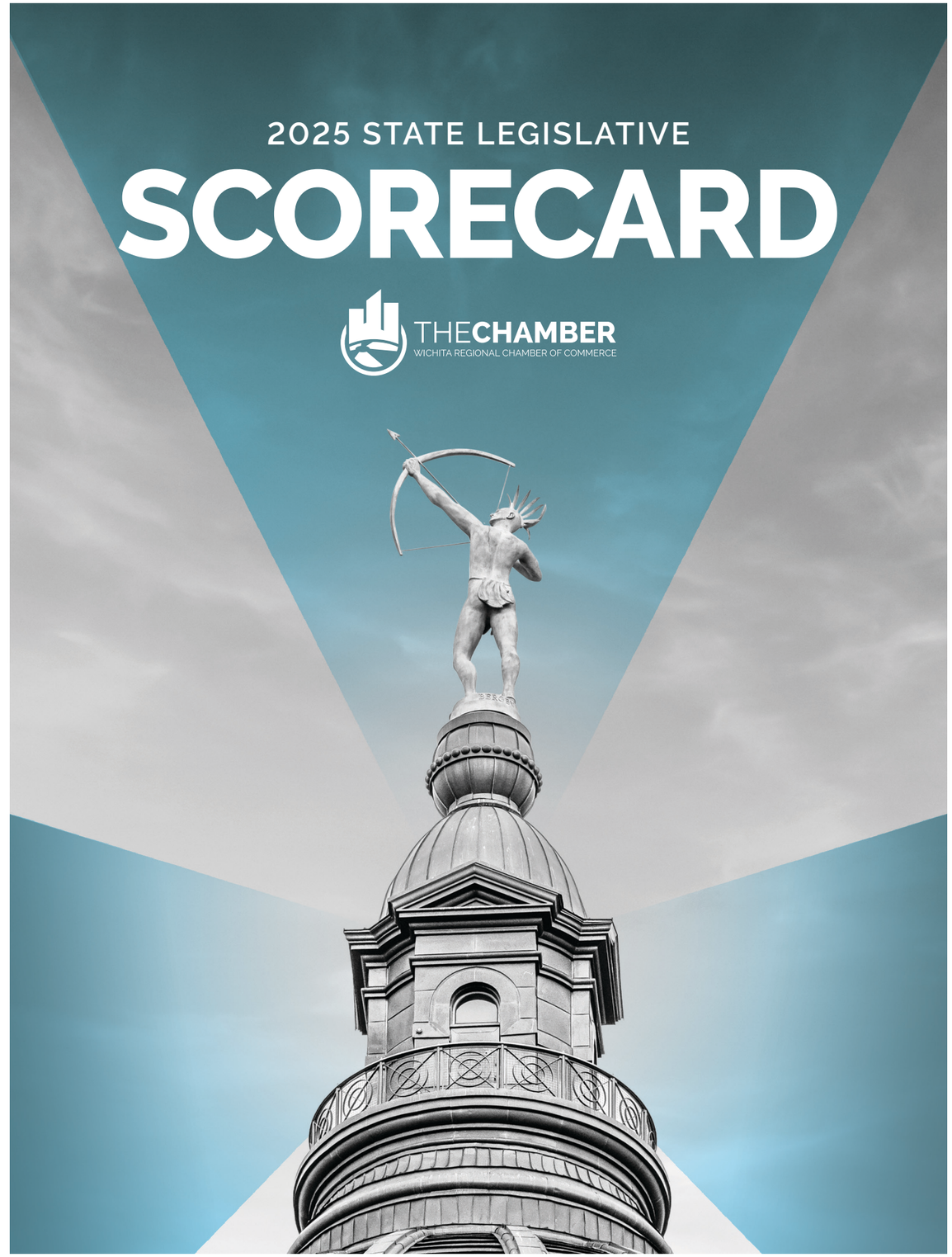

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				SB125 Budget	SCR1611 Direct election of supreme court justices	SB52 Film and Digital Media Industry Production Development Act	HCR5008 Legislative oversight of rules and regulations	SB44 Eligibility requirements for Kansas Promise Scholarship Program	Number of Chamber Supported Votes	Number of Eligible Votes
HOUSE										
Rep. 72	Anderson	Avery	R	Y	Y		Y	Y	17	17
Rep. 93	Bergkamp	Brian	R	N	Y		Y	N	13	17
Rep. 91	Bergquist	Emil	R	Y	Y		Y	Y	17	17
Rep. 12	Blex	Doug	R	Y	Y		Y	A	16	16
Rep. 92	Carmichael	John	D	Y	N		N	N	7	17
Rep. 75	Carpenter	Will	R	Y	Y		Y	Y	16	16
Rep. 81	Carpenter	Blake	R	Y	Y		Y	Y	17	17
Rep. 84	Carr	Ford	D	N	N		N	N	2	14
Rep. 94	Delperdang	Leo	R	Y	Y		Y	Y	17	17
Rep. 87	Estes	Susan	R	Y	Y		Y	Y	17	17
Rep. 100	Hawkins	Daniel	R	Y	Y		Y	Y	17	17
Rep. 83	Helgerson	Henry	D	N	N		N	N	7	15
Rep. 116	Hoffman	Kyle	R	Y	Y		Y	Y	17	17
Rep. 97	Hoheisel	Nick	R	Y	Y		Y	Y	17	17
Rep. 82	Howell	Leah	R	Y	Y		Y	Y	16	16
Rep. 98	Howerton	Cyndi	R	Y	Y		Y	Y	17	17
Rep. 90	Huebert	Steve	R	Y	Y		Y	Y	16	16
Rep. 99	Humphries	Susan	R	Y	Y		Y	Y	17	17
Rep. 96	Kessler	Tom	R	Y	Y		Y	Y	17	17
Rep. 74	King	Mike	R	Y	Y		Y	Y	17	17
Rep. 103	Martinez	Angela	D	N	N		N	N	4	17
Rep. 86	Miller	Silas	D	N	N		N	N	4	17
Rep. 89	Ohaebosim	KC	D	N	N		N	N	6	17
Rep. 85	Penn	Patrick	R	Y	Y		Y	Y	17	17
Rep. 88	Pickert	Sandy	R	Y	Y		Y	Y	17	17
Rep. 80	Rhiley	Bill	R	Y	Y		Y	Y	11	17
Rep. 79	Roth	Webster	R	Y	Y		Y	A	16	16
Rep. 95	Sawyer	Tom	D	N	N		N	Y	10	17
Rep. 114	Schwertfeger	Kevin	R	Y	Y		Y	Y	15	17
Rep. 101	Seiwert	Joe	R	Y	Y		Y	Y	16	17
Rep. 102	Sweely	Kyler	R	Y	Y		Y	Y	17	17
Rep. 104	Waggoner	Paul	R	N	Y		Y	Y	16	17
Rep. 105	Ward	Jill	R	Y	Y		Y	Y	17	17
Rep. 73	Wilborn	Richard	R	Y	Y		Y	Y	16	16
Rep. 77	Williams	Kristey	R	Y	Y		Y	Y	17	17
SENATE										
Sen. 32	Alley	Larry	R	Y	Y	Y		Y	17	17
Sen. 26	Blasi	Chase	R	Y	Y	Y		Y	16	16
Sen. 33	Blew	Tory	R	N	Y	Y		Y	16	17
Sen. 27	Claeys	Joe	R	Y	Y	Y		Y	17	17
Sen. 30	Erickson	Renee	R	N	Y	N		Y	14	17
Sen. 14	Fagg	Michael	R	Y	Y	Y		Y	17	17
Sen. 29	Faust-Goudeau	Oletha	D	N	N	Y		Y	11	17
Sen. 16	Masterson	Ty	R	Y	Y	Y		Y	17	17
Sen. 34	Murphy	Michael	R	Y	Y	Y		Y	16	17
Sen. 31	Owens	Stephen	R	N	Y	Y		Y	16	17
Sen. 28	Petersen	Mike	R	Y	Y	Y		Y	17	17
Sen. 25	Ware	Mary	D	N	N	Y		Y	9	17

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2025 BILL GLOSSARY

HB 2033
Including programs and services provided by nonprofit organizations accredited by the International Multisensory Structured Language Education Council as approved at-risk educational programs.

HB2033 Veto Override
Including programs and services provided by nonprofit organizations accredited by the International Multisensory Structured Language Education Council as approved at-risk educational programs.

HB2185
Updating the Kansas National Guard Educational Assistance Act to include dependents of National Guard members and the Kansas National Guard Educational Master's for Enhanced Readiness and Global Excellence (EMERGE) program to include other advanced degrees.

HB2125
Prohibits filing fees at the State Board of Tax Appeals when prior appeals remain pending.

SB269
Provides for reduction in state income and privilege tax rates contingent upon the balance of the Budget Stabilization Fund and growth in the State General Fund (SGF) receipts from income and privilege taxes in excess of the FY 2024 amount, adjusted for inflation.

SB269 Veto Override
Provides for reduction in state income and privilege tax rates contingent upon the balance of the Budget Stabilization Fund and growth in the State General Fund (SGF) receipts from income and privilege taxes in excess of the FY 2024 amount, adjusted for inflation.

HB2231
Providing an additional personal exemption for head of household tax filers and increasing the personal exemption for certain disabled veterans for purposes of income tax, modifying the definition of household income related to increased property tax homestead refund claims, providing for the apportionment of business income by the single sales factor and the apportionment of financial institution income by the receipts factor, providing for the apportionment pursuant to the three-factor test of a manufacturer who sells alcoholic liquor, requiring the use of single sales factor pursuant to the multistate tax compact, establishing deductions from income when using the single sales factor and receipts factor, providing for the decrease in corporate income tax rates, determining when sales other than tangible personal property are made in the state, excluding sales of a unitary business group of electric and natural gas public utilities, providing property tax exemptions for certain personal property including watercraft, marine equipment, off-road vehicles, motorized bicycles and certain trailers.

SB35
Discontinuing the state property tax levies for the Kansas Educational Building Fund and the State Institutions Building Fund and providing for financing from the state general fund.

HB2291
Creating the Regulatory Relief Division within the Office of the Attorney General and establishing the General Regulatory Sandbox Program to waive or suspend rules and regulations for program participants.

HB2291 Veto Override
Creating the Regulatory Relief Division within the Office of the Attorney General and establishing the General Regulatory Sandbox Program to waive or suspend rules and regulations for program participants.

HB2107
Providing for claims to recover economic damages from fire events caused by electric public utilities, establishing a statute of limitations for such claims and requiring the state corporation commission to convene a workshop on utility wildfire risk and mitigation.

HB2045
Reducing certain license fees and training requirements for child care staff, creating a process for day care facility licensees to apply for temporary waiver of certain statutory requirements, authorizing the secretary of health and environment to develop and operate pilot programs to increase child care availability or capacity, transferring certain child care programs to the Kansas office of early childhood and creating day care licensing duties of the director of early childhood.

HB2172
Establishing the water program task force to evaluate the state's water program and funding for such program and requiring the task force to establish a water planning work group and submit a report the legislature and the governor.

SB 125
Making and concerning supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 2025 and appropriations for fiscal years 2026 and 2027 for various state agencies, authorizing certain capital improvement projects and fees, authorizing certain transfers authorizing the payment of certain claims against the state.

SCR1611
Proposing a constitutional amendment to provide for direct election of Supreme Court justices and abolish the Supreme Court Nominating Commission.

SB52
Enacting the Kansas Film and Digital Media Industry Production Development Act, providing a tax credit and sales tax exemption to incentivize film, video and digital media production in Kansas, establishing a program to be administered by the secretary of commerce for the purpose of developing such production in Kansas and requiring the secretary of commerce to issue reports to the legislature regarding the program.

HCR5008
Proposing a constitutional amendment to provide for legislative oversight of rules and regulations adopted by executive branch agencies and officials.

SB44
Expand the eligibility requirements for postsecondary education institutions to participate in the Kansas Promise Scholarship Program and increase the maximum amount that could be appropriated to the program.

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				Percentage of Chamber Agenda Supported	HB2033 Nonprofit, at-risk educational programs	HB2033 Veto Override Nonprofit, at-risk educational programs	HB2185 Updating the Kansas National Guard Educational Assistance Act	HB2125 Tax appeals filing fees	SB269 Reduction in state income and privilege tax rates	SB269 Veto Override Reduction in state income and privilege tax rates
HOUSE										
Rep. 72	Anderson	Avery	R	100%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 93	Bergkamp	Brian	R	76%	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 91	Bergquist	Emil	R	100%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 12	Blex	Doug	R	100%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 92	Carmichael	John	D	41%	N	N	Y	Y	N	N
Rep. 75	Carpenter	Will	R	100%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 81	Carpenter	Blake	R	100%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 84	Carr	Ford	D	14%	N	N	Y	A	N	N
Rep. 94	Delperdang	Leo	R	100%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 87	Estes	Susan	R	100%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 100	Hawkins	Daniel	R	100%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 83	Helgerson	Henry	D	47%	Y	N	A	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 116	Hoffman	Kyle	R	100%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 97	Hoheisel	Nick	R	100%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 82	Howell	Leah	R	100%	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 98	Howerton	Cyndi	R	100%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 90	Huebert	Steve	R	100%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 99	Humphries	Susan	R	100%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 96	Kessler	Tom	R	100%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 74	King	Mike	R	100%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 103	Martinez	Angela	D	24%	N	N	Y	Y	N	N
Rep. 86	Miller	Silas	D	24%	N	N	Y	Y	N	N
Rep. 89	Ohaebosim	KC	D	35%	N	N	Y	Y	N	N
Rep. 85	Penn	Patrick	R	100%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 88	Pickert	Sandy	R	100%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 80	Rhiley	Bill	R	65%	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y
Rep. 79	Roth	Webster	R	100%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 95	Sawyer	Tom	D	59%	Y	N	Y	Y	N	N
Rep. 114	Schwertfeger	Kevin	R	88%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 101	Seiwert	Joe	R	94%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 102	Sweely	Kyler	R	100%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 104	Waggoner	Paul	R	94%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 105	Ward	Jill	R	100%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 73	Wilborn	Richard	R	100%	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 77	Williams	Kristey	R	100%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
SENATE										
Sen. 32	Alley	Larry	R	100%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sen. 26	Blasi	Chase	R	100%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sen. 33	Blew	Tory	R	94%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sen. 27	Claeys	Joe	R	100%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sen. 30	Erickson	Renee	R	82%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sen. 14	Fagg	Michael	R	100%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sen. 29	Faust-Goudeau	Oletha	D	65%	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N
Sen. 16	Masterson	Ty	R	100%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sen. 34	Murphy	Michael	R	94%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sen. 31	Owens	Stephen	R	94%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sen. 28	Petersen	Mike	R	100%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sen. 25	Ware	Mary	D	53%	N	N	Y	Y	N	N

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Rep. 93	Bergkamp	Brian	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N
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Rep. 12	Blex	Doug	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 92	Carmichael	John	D	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 75	Carpenter	Will	R	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 81	Carpenter	Blake	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 84	Carr	Ford	D	A	N	N	N	N	A	Y
Rep. 94	Delperdang	Leo	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 87	Estes	Susan	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 100	Hawkins	Daniel	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 83	Helgerson	Henry	D	Y	Y	A	N	Y	N	N
Rep. 116	Hoffman	Kyle	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 97	Hoheisel	Nick	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 82	Howell	Leah	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 98	Howerton	Cyndi	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 90	Huebert	Steve	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A
Rep. 99	Humphries	Susan	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 96	Kessler	Tom	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 74	King	Mike	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 103	Martinez	Angela	D	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y
Rep. 86	Miller	Silas	D	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y
Rep. 89	Ohaebosim	KC	D	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 85	Penn	Patrick	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 88	Pickert	Sandy	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 80	Rhiley	Bill	R	Y	N	Y	Y	N	N	N
Rep. 79	Roth	Webster	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 95	Sawyer	Tom	D	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 114	Schwertfeger	Kevin	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y
Rep. 101	Seiwert	Joe	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N
Rep. 102	Sweely	Kyler	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 104	Waggoner	Paul	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 105	Ward	Jill	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 73	Wilborn	Richard	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rep. 77	Williams	Kristey	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
SENATE										
Sen. 32	Alley	Larry	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sen. 26	Blasi	Chase	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	P	Y	Y
Sen. 33	Blew	Tory	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sen. 27	Claeys	Joe	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sen. 30	Erickson	Renee	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y
Sen. 14	Fagg	Michael	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sen. 29	Faust-Goudeau	Oletha	D	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y
Sen. 16	Masterson	Ty	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sen. 34	Murphy	Michael	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y
Sen. 31	Owens	Stephen	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sen. 28	Petersen	Mike	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sen. 25	Ware	Mary	D	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y

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EACH YEAR, the Wichita Regional Chamber of Commerce tracks the votes of the South Central Kansas Legislative Delegation members on key issues from our legislative agenda. These critical issues include workforce, taxation, economic development, healthcare, transportation and regulatory environment.

We appreciate the legislators who support our pro-business agenda and help us create a better business enivronment that promotes investment, innovation, and job creation. The Wichita Regional Chamber PAC uses this scorecard each year to inform deliberations regarding endorsements for candidates running for Kansas Legislature.

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