

March 8, 2023

Re: SF2270

Senate Elections Committee Members,

In the summer of 2022 the Murray County Board of Commissioners passed a resolution supporting RCV as a local option and as the method of electing statewide officials. As Chair of the Board, I personally supported the resolution. Ranked choice voting will benefit my community overall and eliminate unnecessary costs, so I also support SF2270. I am confident the members of my community, elections officials, and local governments are equally as capable of adapting to a ranked choice system as those in metro areas.

I urge the legislature to enable local governments across the state the same authority as their urban counterparts by passing SF2270.

Sincerely,

Molly Malone
Murray County Commissioner
2022, 2023 Board Chair