

## STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

### RS25887

A detailed early voting security ballot plan indicating that a county clerk plans to use early voting must be submitted 30 days prior to an election. Once established, early voting plans usually do not change. This legislation would allow counties to submit an early voting plan once a year rather than submitting the same plan for every election. This will simplify the process for both the county and the Secretary of State's Office. The county clerk will continue to be required to notify the Secretary of State's Office of the intent to implement early voting; however, the statute would not require them to submit a new plan for every election unless the original plan is modified.

### FISCAL NOTE

There is no fiscal impact to the General Fund or to any other entity.

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