

Rhode Island Town and City Clerks' Association



**ELECTIONS COMMITTEE**

February 20, 2026

The Honorable Members of the Senate Committee on Judiciary  
82 Smith St.  
Providence, RI 02903

**RE: Rhode Island Town and City Clerks' Association Support for Election Bills**

Dear Chairman LaMountain and Hon. Members of the Senate Committee on Judiciary:

As Chairperson of the Elections Committee of the Rhode Island Town and City Clerks' Association, I am writing to inform you that both the membership of the RITCCA Elections Committee and the full state Association has voted to **support** all of the following legislation that is now before the Senate Committee on Judiciary:

- S-2147 – Moves the 2026 Statewide Primary to Wednesday due to Labor Day concerns.**
- S-2130 – Reforms and improves the process for write-in tabulation reporting.**
- S-2136 – Closes loopholes in Canvassers appointments and improves election security.**
- S-2282 – Modernizes and expands online voter notice requirements for elections.**
- S-2132 – (SOS) Allows future modification of the voter registration deadline, if enacted.**
- S-2133 – (SOS) Moves up September primaries for essential operational reasons.**
- S-2341 – (SOS) Ensures military voters and those with disabilities can vote securely.**

The RITCCA is the state's association of municipal clerks and election officials. We respectfully request the Honorable General Assembly consider passage of this important elections legislation that holds the widespread support of local election officials throughout Rhode Island. Many of these bills are also supported by the RI Board of Elections, RI Secretary of State, and RI League of Cities and Towns, among other entities, groups, and individuals.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Nicholas J. Lima". The signature is written in a cursive style.

Nicholas J. Lima  
Chairperson  
RITCCA Elections Committee  
Registrar/Director of Elections, City of Cranston Canvassing Authority

Cc: Jennifer M. West CMC, RITCCA President; Portsmouth Town Clerk  
Michael Narducci, Elections Committee Vice-Chair; Administrator, Providence BOC