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Senator Lincoln FillmoreRepresentative Jordan D. Teuscher proposes the following substitute bill:

COUNTY COUNSEL AMENDMENTS

2022 GENERAL SESSION STATE OF UTAH

Chief Sponsor: Lincoln Fillmore

House Sponsor: \[\] \] \[\] \] \[\] \] \[\] \] \[\] \] \[\] \] \[\] \[\] \] \[\] \[\] \[\] \] \[\] \[\] \[\] \[\] \] \[\]

LONG TITLE

General Description:

This bill modifies provisions related to the duties of {a district or} county {attorney} officers.

Highlighted Provisions:

This bill:

- ► modifies the duties of a district or county attorney related to reviewing county legal documents
- requires the county executive to rescind an existing executive order when a county legislative body establishes a program or policy that conflicts with the existing executive order;
- requires the county executive to ensure compliance with a program or policy

established by a county legislative body; and

<u>▶ makes technical changes.</u>

Money Appropriated in this Bill:

None

Other Special Clauses:

None

Utah Code Sections Affected:

AMENDS:

17-18a-504, as enacted by Laws of Utah 2013, Chapter 237

17-53-302, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2011, Chapter 209

17-53-316, as enacted by Laws of Utah 2001, Chapter 241

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:

Section 1. Section 17-18a-504 is amended to read:

17-18a-504. Review and advise as to form.

The civil counsel shall review and [approve] advise as to form and legality each county contract, ordinance, regulation, real estate document, conveyance, and legal document.

Section 2. Section 17-53-302 is amended to read:

17-53-302. County executive duties.

Each county executive shall:

- (1) exercise supervisory control over all functions of the executive branch of county government;
- (2) direct and organize the management of the county in a manner consistent with state law, county ordinance, and the county's optional plan of county government;
 - (3) (a) carry out programs and policies established by the county legislative body; and
- (b) ensure that all departments of county government comply with programs and policies established by the county legislative body;
 - (4) faithfully ensure compliance with all applicable laws and county ordinances;
- (5) exercise supervisory and coordinating control over all departments of county government;
 - (6) except as otherwise vested in the county legislative body by state law or by the

optional plan of county government, and subject to Section 17-53-317, appoint, suspend, and remove the directors of all county departments and all appointive officers of boards and commissions;

- (7) except as otherwise delegated by statute to another county officer, exercise administrative and auditing control over all funds and assets, tangible and intangible, of the county;
- (8) except as otherwise delegated by statute to another county officer, supervise and direct centralized budgeting, accounting, personnel management, purchasing, and other service functions of the county;
- (9) conduct planning studies and make recommendations to the county legislative body relating to financial, administrative, procedural, and operational plans, programs, and improvements in county government;
- (10) maintain a continuing review of expenditures and of the effectiveness of departmental budgetary controls;
- (11) develop systems and procedures, not inconsistent with statute, for planning, programming, budgeting, and accounting for all activities of the county:
- (12) if the county executive is an elected county executive, exercise a power of veto over ordinances enacted by the county legislative body, including an item veto upon budget appropriations, in the manner provided by the optional plan of county government;
- (13) review, negotiate, approve, and execute contracts for the county, unless otherwise provided by statute;
- (14) perform all other functions and duties required of the executive by state law, county ordinance, and the optional plan of county government; and
 - (15) sign on behalf of the county all deeds that convey county property.

Section 3. Section 17-53-316 is amended to read:

17-53-316. Executive orders.

- (1) The county executive may issue an executive order to:
- (a) establish an executive policy;
- (b) implement an executive practice; or
- (c) execute a legislative policy or ordinance, as provided by statute.
- [(2) An executive order may not:]

- (2) (a) The county executive may not issue an executive order that:
- [(a) be] (i) is inconsistent with county ordinances [addressing] that address the same subject as the executive order or with policies established by the county legislative body [addressing] that address the same subject as the executive order; or
- [(b) expand or narrow] (ii) expands or narrows legislative action taken or legislative policy issued by the county legislative body.
- (b) If a county legislative body adopts an ordinance or establishes a policy that conflicts with an existing executive order, the ordinance or policy adopted or established by the county legislative body supersedes the executive order.
- (3) Each executive order exercising supervisory power over other elected county officers shall be consistent with the authority given the county executive under Section 17-53-106.