

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

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Chair of Committee

February 23, 2026  
Date

Committee on State, Civic, Military, & Veterans Affairs.

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:

HB26-1080 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation:

- 1 Amend printed bill, page 2, lines 15 and 16, strike "TEAM OF BIPARTISAN"  
2 and substitute "BIPARTISAN TEAM OF".
  
- 3 Page 2, line 20, strike "ONE OTHER ELECTION JUDGE OF ANY POLITICAL  
4 PARTY AFFILIATION" and substitute "A SECOND BIPARTISAN TEAM OF  
5 ELECTION JUDGES".
  
- 6 Page 2, strike lines 22 and 23 and substitute:  
  
7 "(II) If, ~~both other election judges agree~~ AFTER COMPLETING THE  
8 REVIEW OF SIGNATURES PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (2)(a)(I) OF THIS  
9 SECTION, THE BIPARTISAN TEAM OF ELECTION JUDGES AGREES".
  
- 10 Page 3, line 1, strike "~~judges agree~~ JUDGE AGREES".
  
- 11 Strike "TEAM OF BIPARTISAN" and substitute "BIPARTISAN TEAM OF " on:  
12 **Page 2**, line 7; **Page 3**, line 27; **Page 4**, lines 3, 6, 9, 15, and 25; **Page 5**,  
13 lines 4 and 8.
  
- 14 Page 1, line 102, strike "TEAM OF BIPARTISAN" and substitute  
15 "BIPARTISAN TEAM OF".