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Committee:	House Committee On Rules
Measure, Appointment or Topic:	HB3166

I strongly oppose HB 3166 for several reasons:

- First, this unified ballot is the very same thing as Ranked Choice Voting (RCV) which was turned down by voters in November 2024. We are not stupid!
- The state which already have RCV are trying to get rid of it.
- If the winner of the first round does not have a majority of the votes among the many candidates, he or she in the end after several rounds of voting over the course of weeks if not months, may end up losing.
- Multiple elections for the same positions over many weeks or months is very expensive & will exhaust the electorate. Voter participation will drop, and the best candidate may not win.
- RCV is a ploy to increase the chance that Republican candidates will not win.

Please Vote NO on HB 3166

Thank you!