

# Week 11 Legislative Session

On Tuesday, March 22, 2022 the Iowa Senate passed and Governor Reynolds signed into law effective upon enactment, [HF 2466](#) a bill that addresses signature requirements for those seeking to be a county supervisor and countywide office. Here are the new requirements as provided by the Secretary of State's Office:

## **NEW COUNTY SUPERVISORS SIGNATURE REQUIREMENTS**

### *Plan 1 and 2 Counties:*

- Counties with population less than 15,001, at least 50
- Counties with population more than 15,000 and less than 50,000, at least 75
- Counties with population more than 49,999, at least 100

### *Plan 3 Counties:*

- Supervisor District with population less than 15,001, at least 21
- Supervisor District with population more than 15,000 and less than 50,000, at least 50
- Supervisor District with population more than 49,999, at least 100

## **NEW COUNTYWIDE OFFICE HOLDER SIGNATURE REQUIREMENTS**

- Counties with population less than 15,001, at least 50
- Counties with population more than 15,000 and less than 50,000, at least 75
- Counties with population more than 49,999, at least 100

It should be noted that it is the population of the district in Plan 3 counties and not the overall county that should be considered in this calculation. The other changes reflect the elimination of the previous 2% or 100 signature requirements. Finally, these changes in the law **do not** impact the validity of any candidate filings county auditors have already received, reviewed, and marked as filed as well any previous county supervisor filings under the previous law during and prior to this week.