

2020 South Dakota Legislature

House Bill 1144 ENROLLED

An Act

ENTITLED An Act to remove the requirement for a ballot election in township elections if candidates are unopposed.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

Section 1. That § 8-3-15 be AMENDED:

8-3-15. Method of electing officers.

The supervisors, treasurer, clerk, and constable in each township shall be elected by ballot except if there is no opposing candidate. All other officers, if not otherwise provided by law, shall be chosen either by yeas and nays or by a division, as the voters determine.

An Act to remove the requirement for a ballot election in township elections if candidates are unopposed.

I certify that the attached Act originated in the: House as Bill No. 1144	Received at this Executive Office this, 2020 atM.
Chief Clerk	Byfor the Governor
Speaker of the House Attest:	The attached Act is hereby approved this day of, A.D., 2020
Chief Clerk	Governor STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA,
	SS. Office of the Secretary of State
President of the Senate Attest:	Filed, 2020 at o'clockM.
Secretary of the Senate	Secretary of State
House Bill No. <u>1144</u> File No Chapter No	By Asst. Secretary of State