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Secretary Evnen thanks state senators, Government, Military and Veterans Affairs Committee for work on voter ID legislation

Today, state senators approved Legislative Bill 514 on a vote of 38 (Yes) – 1 (No) – 9 (Not Voting). Governor Pillen signed the bill into law this afternoon. The law implements voter ID, which was overwhelmingly approved by voters in November 2022.

“I have been a steadfast supporter of voter ID for many years, and I thank the Legislature for its work on this bill,” Secretary Evnen said. “The Legislature’s bill is a serviceable and lawful approach to voter ID that Nebraskans can support.”

Election officials across the state and the Secretary of State’s Office will be responsible for implementing voter ID.

The first election requiring voter ID will be the May 14, 2024, statewide primary election.

Over the next few months, the Secretary of State’s Office will be working on creating an educational campaign that informs voters about voter ID. The educational campaign will ramp up in the spring of 2024 before the May primary and then again in the fall of 2024 before the November general election. The Secretary of State’s Office will be rolling out new training for county election officials and poll worker guidelines to ensure a smooth implementation.