HB 1822 -- Voter Registration

Sponsor: Bowman

This bill establishes one-stop voting sites which allow a person to register and vote at the same time. The applicant must fill out a voter registration application form and provide proof of residency. An applicant will vote by absentee ballot or vote the ballot provided at the polling place if registering to vote on the day of the election. If a person chooses not to vote immediately, the registration will be processed and the person can vote at a one-stop voting site or at the person's correct polling place in the same election.

Within two business days of receiving the voter registration, the election authority in conjunction with the Secretary of State will verify all information necessary to determine the applicant's eligibility to vote and his or her absentee ballot will be counted if the applicant is approved.