

COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH
OVERSIGHT DIVISION

FISCAL NOTE

LR No.: 3788-01
Bill No.: HB 1079
Subject: Counties: Courts, Fines
Type: Original
Date: January 20, 2004

FISCAL SUMMARY

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007
Total Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON STATE FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> State Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0

Numbers within parentheses: () indicate costs or losses.
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ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007
Local Government	\$0	\$0	\$0

FISCAL ANALYSIS

ASSUMPTION

Officials of the **Office of State Courts Administrator** assume this proposal would have no fiscal impact on the Courts.

Oversight assumes this proposal is permissive, however, should the Cass County Commission, by ordinance, place penalties on violations of county ordinances, the fines allowed would go to the County's General Revenue Fund and would be used to pay the costs of enforcement of such rules, regulations, or ordinances. Oversight assumes no State or local fiscal impact.

<u>FISCAL IMPACT - State Government</u>	FY 2005 (10 Mo.)	FY 2006	FY 2007
	\$0	\$0	\$0

FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government

FY 2005
(10 Mo.)

FY 2006

FY 2007

**CASS COUNTY GENERAL
REVENUE FUND**

Income to County GRFund
from fines

Unknown

Unknown

Unknown

Cost to County GRFund
for Enforcement of violations

(Unknown)

(Unknown)

(Unknown)

**ESTIMATED NET EFFECT TO
COUNTY GENERAL REVENUE
FUND ***

\$0

\$0

\$0

* **Oversight** assume cost of enforcement would not exceed income from fines and would have no fiscal impact.

FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

No direct fiscal impact to small businesses would be expected as a result of this proposal.

DESCRIPTION

Under current law, the Boone County Commission is authorized to impose a civil fine of not more than \$1,000 for misdemeanor county ordinance violations; and the county counselor, rather than the county prosecuting attorney, is required to prosecute these violations. Fines are paid into the County General Revenue Fund and used to pay for the cost of enforcement of the ordinances.

This bill authorizes the Cass County Commission to impose these fines.

This legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.

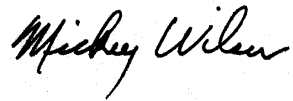
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SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Office of State Courts Administrator

NOT RESPONDING

Cass County Commission

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