

COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH
OVERSIGHT DIVISION

FISCAL NOTE

L.R. No.: 2405-01
Bill No.: HB 1211
Subject: Licenses - Motor Vehicle; Department of Revenue
Type: Original
Date: March 27, 2019

Bill Summary: This proposal modifies the fees for Boy Scouts of America license plates.

FISCAL SUMMARY

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022
Total Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON OTHER STATE FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>Other</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 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FULL TIME EQUIVALENT (FTE)			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022
Total Estimated Net Effect on FTE	0	0	0

☐ Estimated Net Effect (expenditures or reduced revenues) expected to exceed \$100,000 in any of the three fiscal years after implementation of the act.

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022
Local Government	\$0	\$0	\$0

FISCAL ANALYSIS

ASSUMPTION

According to a report provided by the Department of Revenue, **Oversight** notes there are currently 196 different types of specialty license plate designs available in Missouri. From these 196 specialty license plates, there were 57,790 registrations as of January 31, 2019:

0 Registrations	Less than 100 Registrations	Less than 1,000 Registrations	More than 1,000 Registrations
42	87	52	15

Source: Department of Revenue

For most designs, there is a \$15 initial fee to apply for each specialty license plate and a \$15 annual renewal fee. However, the following designs do not have the \$15 fee; Congressional Medal of Honor (RSMo 301.145), Disabled Veteran (RSMo 301.071), Former Prisoner of War (RSMo 301.443), Purple Heart (RSMo 301.451), Retired Military Air Force (RSMo 301.441), Retired Military Army (RSMo 301.441), Retired Military Coast Guard (RSMo 301.441), Retired Military Marine (RSMo 301.441), Retired Military Marine Corps League (RSMo 301.441), Retired Military Merchant Marine (RSMo 301.441), Retired Military National Guard (RSMo 301.441), Retired Military Navy (RSMo 301.441), and We Shall Not Forget (RSMo 301.3142).

Officials from the **Department of Revenue (DOR)** assume this proposal currently has no impact to the Department. The Department is not currently accepting applications or producing the Boy Scouts of America license plate. §301.3139 for the Boy Scouts of America license plate was authorized in 2004. The Boy Scouts of America have not provided a design or any communication with the Department since 2004 to implement and begin producing the license plates.

If the Boy Scouts of America license plates were to begin being produced, these license plates would be the only organizational (non-military) specialty license plates issued without the \$15 specialty license plates paid to the Department. All other organizational (non-military) specialty license plates are required to pay the \$15 specialty license plate fee. The \$15 specialty plate fees are distributed 75% to the Highway Fund, 15% to Cities, and 10% to Counties.

Officials from the **Department of Transportation** defer to DOR for the fiscal impact of this proposal.

ASSUMPTION (continued)

Oversight notes that the agencies mentioned above have stated the proposal would not have a direct fiscal impact on their organization. Oversight does not have any information to the contrary. Therefore, Oversight will reflect a zero impact on the fiscal note for these agencies.

<u>FISCAL IMPACT - State Government</u>	FY 2020 (10 Mo.)	FY 2021	FY 2022
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

<u>FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government</u>	FY 2020 (10 Mo.)	FY 2021	FY 2022
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

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

FISCAL DESCRIPTION

Currently, there is a \$15 registration fee for a "Boy Scouts of America" license plate. This bill removes the registration fee.

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

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