

COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH  
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**FISCAL NOTE**

L.R. No.: 3737-02  
Bill No.: Perfected HCS for HB 1787  
Subject: County Government; County Officials; Elections  
Type: Original  
Date: February 19, 2020

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Bill Summary: This proposal changes provisions relating to certain public offices.

**FISCAL SUMMARY**

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
<b>Total Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON OTHER STATE FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
<b>Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>Other</u> State Funds</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

Numbers within parentheses: ( ) indicate costs or losses.

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<b>ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS</b>			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
<b>Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

<b>ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FULL TIME EQUIVALENT (FTE)</b>			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
<b>Total Estimated Net Effect on FTE</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

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

<b>ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS</b>			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
<b>Local Government</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

## **FISCAL ANALYSIS**

### **ASSUMPTION**

§§51.050, 55.060, 58.030, 60.010, 105.035, 115.306, 115.357, 162.291, 190.050, 204.610, 247.060, 249.140, 321.130, 483.010

Officials at the **Department of Revenue**, the **Office of the State Courts Administrator**, the **Office of the Secretary of State** and the **State Tax Commission** each assume no fiscal impact to their respective agencies from this proposal.

Officials at the **City of Brentwood** assume there would be more administrative work than a fiscal impact resulting from this proposal.

**Oversight** will assume no fiscal impact for the City of Brentwood.

Officials at the **City of Kansas City**, the **City of Springfield**, the **City of O'Fallon**, the **Kansas City Election Board**, the **St. Louis County Board of Elections**, the **Jackson County Election Board** and the **Platte County Board of Elections** each assume no fiscal impact to their respective entities from this proposal.

**Oversight** notes that the Office of the Secretary of State, the Department of Revenue, the Office of the State Courts Administrator, the State Tax Commission, the City of Kansas City, the City of O'Fallon, the City of Springfield, the Kansas City Election Board, the St. Louis County Board of Elections, the Jackson County Election Board and the Platte County Board of Elections have each stated the proposal would not have a direct fiscal impact on their respective organizations. Oversight does not have any information to the contrary. Therefore, Oversight will reflect a zero impact on the fiscal note for these agencies.

Officials at the **City of Columbia** assume no fiscal impact unless a candidate for office was determined to be in arrears for and then repaid any delinquent property tax.

**Oversight** only reflects the responses that we have received from state agencies and political subdivisions; however, other cities, counties, board of election commissions, local election authorities, ambulance districts and county collectors were requested to respond to this proposed legislation, but did not. A general listing of political subdivisions included in our database is available upon request.

ASSUMPTION (continued)

House Amendment #1

**Oversight** notes HA1 changes the title of the bill and assumes no fiscal impact for this amendment.

House Amendment #2

Officials at the **Department of Revenue**, the **Office of the State Courts Administrator**, the **Office of the Secretary of State** and the **State Tax Commission** each assume no fiscal impact to their respective agencies from this amendment.

Officials at the **City of Kansas City**, the **City of Springfield**, the **Kansas City Election Board**, the **St. Louis County Board of Elections** and the **Platte County Board of Elections** each assume no fiscal impact to their respective entities from this amendment.

**Oversight** does not have any information to the contrary. Therefore, Oversight will reflect a zero impact on the fiscal note for this amendment.

**Oversight** notes §105.035 requires a signed affidavit stating that all state income taxes and property taxes, both personal and real were paid or no taxes are owed for the two fiscal years immediately prior to the filing deadline for the elected office. Oversight assumes any cost would be taken care of by the candidate for office and no fiscal impact would occur from this proposal.

**Oversight** also notes in the amendment that no person appointed to an elected public office will be delinquent on their municipal taxes. However, a signed and notarized affidavit is not being required to justify. Oversight assumes any cost would be taken care of by the candidate for office and no fiscal impact would occur from this amendment.

House Amendment #3 - §27.010 - Residence of Attorney General

In response to a similar proposal (HB 769) from 2019, officials from the **Office of the Attorney General** assumed no fiscal impact.

**Oversight** does not have any information to the contrary. Therefore, Oversight will reflect a zero impact on the fiscal note for this amendment.

ASSUMPTION (continued)

House Amendment #4 - §§77.230 & 79.080 - Requirements for mayor

Officials at the **City of Kansas City**, the **City of Springfield**, the **Kansas City Election Board**, the **St. Louis County Board of Elections** and the **Platte County Board of Elections** each assume no fiscal impact to their respective entities from this amendment.

**Oversight** does not have any information to the contrary. Therefore, Oversight will reflect a zero impact on the fiscal note for this amendment.

<u>FISCAL IMPACT - State Government</u>	FY 2021 (10 Mo.)	FY 2022	FY 2023
	<u><b>\$0</b></u>	<u><b>\$0</b></u>	<u><b>\$0</b></u>

<u>FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government</u>	FY 2021 (10 Mo.)	FY 2022	FY 2023
	<u><b>\$0</b></u>	<u><b>\$0</b></u>	<u><b>\$0</b></u>

FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

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

FISCAL DESCRIPTION

The proposed legislation appears to have no direct fiscal impact.


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

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Office of the Secretary of State  
Department of Revenue  
Office of the Attorney General  
Office of the State Courts Administrator  
State Tax Commission  
City of Brentwood  
City of Kansas City  
City of O'Fallon  
City of Springfield  
Kansas City Election Board  
St. Louis County Board of Elections  
Jackson County Election Board  
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