

N.C. GENERAL ASSEMBLY LEGISLATIVE FISCAL NOTE

Fiscal Research  
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Approved By: Tom Covington			Sponsor: Rep. Church
Short Title: Federal Aid Highway Billboards			

TYPE OF FISCAL IMPACT	COUNTY		FUNDS AFFECTED:			
	State Gov't	Local Gov't	( ) General	(x) Highway	( ) Local	
			State Fiscal Impact	FY 90	FY 91	FY 92
No Fiscal Impact	( )	( )	State Total Req'ments	None	\$28.4 m	\$29.1 m
			Receipts/Revenues	-	28.4 m	29.1 m
Increase Expenditure	( )	( )	Net State Expend./Rev.	None	None	None
Decrease Expenditure	(x)	( )	No. of Positions			
			Local Fiscal Impact	FY	FY	FY
Increase Revenue	( )	( )	Local Total Req'ments			
Decrease Revenue	(x)	( )	Receipts/Revenues			
No Estimate Avail.	( )	( )	Net Local Expend./Rev.			
			No. of Positions			

Description of Legislation

1. Summary of Legislation

Extends the expiration date for the payment of just compensation by local authorities requiring the removal of billboards.

2. Effective Date

Upon ratification.

3. Fund or Tax Affected

Highway and possibly Federal-Aid funds

4. Principal Department/Program Affected

Department of Transportation - Transportation Improvement Program

Cost or Revenue Impact on State

	FY 90-91	FY 91-92	FY
1. Non-Recurring Costs/Revenues			
2. Recurring Revenues Reductions	\$28.4 m	\$29.1 m	
3. Fiscal/Revenue Assumptions			

If the expiration date is not extended beyond 6/30/90, DOT could be liable for payment of just compensation should a local government require that a billboard be removed from a federal-aid primary highway after that date. If DOT refused to make that payment then the Feds could possibly invoke a 10% penalty on NC. A 10% penalty in 1990-91 would amount to \$28.4 million and \$29.1 million in 1991-92.

Cost/Revenue Impact on County or Local Government

	FY 88-89	FY 89-90	FY
1. Non-Recurring Costs/Revenues			
2. Recurring Costs/Revenues			
3. Fiscal/Revenue Assumptions			

Sources of Data for Fiscal Note

Department of Transportation

Technical Considerations/Comments



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