



GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF
BUDGET AND PROGRAM PLANNING

Fiscal Note 2013 Biennium

Bill # HB0508

Title: Require payment of partial salary to injured rural firefighter

Primary Sponsor: McNally, Mary

Status: As Introduced

- Significant Local Gov Impact
 Needs to be included in HB 2
 Technical Concerns
 Included in the Executive Budget
 Significant Long-Term Impacts
 Dedicated Revenue Form Attached

FISCAL SUMMARY

	<u>FY 2012 Difference</u>	<u>FY 2013 Difference</u>	<u>FY 2014 Difference</u>	<u>FY 2015 Difference</u>
Expenditures:				
General Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Revenue:				
General Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Impact-General Fund Balance:	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

Description of fiscal impact: This bill has no fiscal impact to the state of Montana.

FISCAL ANALYSIS

Effect on County or Other Local Revenues or Expenditures:

1. HB 508 would require rural fire districts to pay the partial salary of rural firefighters injured in performance of duty. This would have a fiscal impact on rural fire districts. The Department of Administration Local Government Bureau could not determine the amount or significance of the impact. The bill would require rural fire districts to pay the difference between the firefighter's net salary and the amount received from workers' compensation until the disability ceased or for a period not to exceed one year. The amount the rural fire district could pay would vary depending on the amount of the net salary, the amount received from workers compensation, and the duration of the payments.

Sponsor's Initials

Date

Budget Director's Initials

Date