



GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF
BUDGET AND PROGRAM PLANNING

Fiscal Note 2023 Biennium

Bill # SB0353

Title: Require probation /parole officers to inform re: restoration of rights

Primary Sponsor: Gross, Jen

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 2022</u> <u>Difference</u>	<u>FY 2023</u> <u>Difference</u>	<u>FY 2024</u> <u>Difference</u>	<u>FY 2025</u> <u>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 impact on the Department of Corrections (DOC) as the Probation and Parole division already informs probationers and parolees about the restoration of their rights under the Montana Constitution at certain stages of serving a criminal sentence.

FISCAL ANALYSIS

Assumptions:

- The Probation and Parole Division already notifies persons on supervision of the following:
 - The right to vote is restored after release from a penal institution.
 - Advise they may not run for elected office until final discharge from state supervision.
 - Inform the full rights of citizenship are restored upon termination of state supervision.
 - Informs the probationer or parolee of restoration of rights upon successful completion of the sentence.
- The bill further requires the DOC to document that the notification has occurred.

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