



GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF  
BUDGET AND PROGRAM PLANNING

## Fiscal Note 2027 Biennium

Bill # SB0557.01

Title: Generally revise laws relating to campaign mailings

Primary Sponsor: Ellie Boldman

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

	<u>FY 2026 Difference</u>	<u>FY 2027 Difference</u>	<u>FY 2028 Difference</u>	<u>FY 2029 Difference</u>
<b>Expenditures:</b>				
General Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
State Special Revenue	Unable to Determine	Unable to Determine	Unable to Determine	Unable to Determine
<b>Revenue:</b>				
General Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
State Special Revenue	Unable to Determine	Unable to Determine	Unable to Determine	Unable to Determine
<b>Net Impact-General Fund Balance:</b>				

**Description of fiscal impact:** SB 557 requires the Commissioner of Political Practices (COPP) to provide and maintain a public website for individuals to opt out of receiving mail from political campaigns and establish a fee commensurate with costs for maintaining the website. The agency is unable to determine the costs to develop the website and the fees that will be collected to create and maintain that site.

## FISCAL ANALYSIS

### Assumptions:

#### **Commissioner of Political Practices (COPP)**

- SB 557 requires COPP to provide and maintain a public website for individuals to opt out of receiving mail from political campaigns. COPP anticipates a fiscal impact will be associated with initial development of production of such a website, including possible changes made to the existing agency website, the agency does not have enough information to estimate any such costs at this time.
- SB 557 also allows COPP to "establish a fee that is commensurate with costs for maintaining the website" and collect this fee from all political committees, with the revenue deposited in a special revenue fund used to pay costs for website maintenance. COPP will need to establish and formalize any such fee and its time and method of collection via the Administrative Rulemaking process. Without an estimate of cost, the office is unable to estimate an approximate fee, but the fee would be set commensurate with costs.

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**Expenditures:**

Personal Services	Unable to Determine	Unable to Determine	Unable to Determine	Unable to Determine
Operating Expenses	Unable to Determine	Unable to Determine	Unable to Determine	Unable to Determine
<b>TOTAL Expenditures</b>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

**Funding of Expenditures:**


General Fund (01)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
State Special Revenue (02)	Unable to Determine	Unable to Determine	Unable to Determine	Unable to Determine
<b>TOTAL Funding of Exp.</b>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

**Revenues:**

General Fund (01)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
State Special Revenue (02)	Unable to Determine	Unable to Determine	Unable to Determine	Unable to Determine
<b>TOTAL Revenues</b>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

**Net Impact to Fund Balance (Revenue minus Funding of Expenditures):**

General Fund (01)

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