

BDR 24-58 SB 211

LOCAL GOVERNMENT FISCAL NOTE

AGENCY'S ESTIMATES

Date Prepared: February 28, 2017

Agency Submitting: Elko County

Items of Revenue or Expense, or Both	Fiscal Year 2016-17	Fiscal Year 2017-18	Fiscal Year 2018-19	Effect on Future Biennia
(Expense)			\$24,000	\$24,000
Total	0	0	\$24,000	\$24,000

Explanation

(Use Additional Sheets of Attachments, if required)

Has Impact

Name Cash A. Minor

Title Assistant County Manager/CFO

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Presidential Preference Primary Election
Elko County Clerk Cost Estimate

The following is an estimate for potential costs related to a Presidential Preference Primary Election, which would be considered a full-blown election. It is the assumption that voter registrations will increase, as will those casting votes if legislation is passed for this bill. Costs from the 2016 Primary Election were used to make an educated guess as follows:

Costs currently paid for by the Secretary of State's office for programming by the vendor would still be paid for by them. It is assumed that the previous voting locations would be available at no cost as in previous elections.

It is also my understanding that Elko County would be reimbursed for all costs of such an election from the Reserve for Statutory Contingency Account.

Election supplies to include ballots, envelopes, in-house postage and miscellaneous costs:	\$ 6,500.00
Publication of Various Notices:	\$ 900.00
Sample Ballots:	\$ 2,200.00
Mailing Service:	\$ 5,000.00
Overtime Wages:	\$ 1,500.00
Election Workers:	\$ 6,400.00
Election Worker food/drink:	<u>\$ 625.00</u>
 TOTAL	 \$23,125.00

Note: I would oppose this legislation. It is a third election to be held during a regular election year that is already packed with activity for the two elections currently held. Finding an Early Voting and Election Day location, if the current ones used are not available, would be a hardship and potential additional expense. New Election board and poll workers would be difficult to locate and train if the regular workers were not available.