



HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

FISCAL NOTE

SENATE BILL NO. 606

PRINTERS NO. 770

PRIME SPONSOR: Robbins

COST / (SAVINGS)

FUND	FY 2010/11	FY 2011/12
Motor License Fund	\$0	\$0

SUMMARY: Designates a 37-mile portion of roadway in Crawford County, passing through Pymatuning State Park, the Pymatuning Reservoir and paralleling Conneaut Lake, as a scenic byway as the Crawford Lakelands Byway. This legislation would take effect in 60 days.

ANALYSIS: This legislation amends Title 74 to designate a 37-mile portion of roadway in Crawford County as a scenic byway to be known as the Crawford Lakelands Byway. The designated route forms a loop through the scenic areas of Pymatuning State Park, the Pymatuning Reservoir and Conneaut Lake and includes sections of U.S. Route 6 starting at the Pennsylvania-Ohio border, State Route 18, State Route 618 and State Route 285.

The legislation prohibits the placement of advertising devices either within 660 feet of the byway's right-of-way or within view from the byway and provides the following exceptions:

- official signs and notices required by law;
- outdoor advertising devices which advertise the sale or lease of real property upon which they are located;
- outdoor advertising devices which advertise activities conducted on the property on which they are located, including display devices that may be changed at reasonable intervals by electronic process or remote control; and
- directional signs, including signs pertaining to natural wonders, scenic and historical attractions and other points of interest, which conform to standards promulgated by the U.S. Secretary of Transportation pursuant to 23 U.S.C. § 131.

FISCAL IMPACT: This legislation will have no adverse impact on Commonwealth funds

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DATE: June 22, 2011

Estimates are calculated using the best information available. Actual costs and revenue impact incurred may vary from estimates.