



HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

FISCAL NOTE

HOUSE BILL NO. 1351

PRINTERS NO. 1466

PRIME SPONSOR: Knowles

COST / (SAVINGS)

FUND	FY 2021/22	FY 2022/23
Second Class Township Funds	\$0	\$0

SUMMARY: Amends the Second Class Township Code in a manner consistent with recent revisions to the First Class Township Code as comprehensively updated by Act 96 of 2020. This legislation would take effect in 60 days.

ANALYSIS: This legislation amends the Second Class Township Code, Act 69 of 1933, by making changes to the following sections:

- Section 907 (Surcharge by auditors) – Adds language providing that an elected or appointed official of a township may not be surcharged if the official acted in good faith on a written or publicly-disclosed opinion of the township solicitor.
- Section 1301 (Township Manager; Appointment, Removal, Powers and Duties; Compensation; Bond) – Authorizing a township to appoint a partnership, limited partnership, association or professional corporation as the township manager.

FISCAL IMPACT: This legislation would have no adverse fiscal impact on Commonwealth or municipal funds.

PREPARED BY: Tim Rodrigo
House Appropriations Committee (R)

DATE: January 20, 2022

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