



HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

FISCAL NOTE

SENATE BILL NO. 753

PRINTER'S NO. 800

PRIME SPONSOR: Kearney

COST / (SAVINGS)

FUND	FY 2023/24	FY 2024/25
General Fund	\$0	\$0

SUMMARY:

Senate Bill 753 makes technical changes and clarifications to Title 8 (Boroughs and Incorporated Towns).

ANALYSIS:

This bill was requested by the Pennsylvania State Association of Boroughs to resolve inconsistencies in the Borough Code. It makes multiple technical changes, including:

- Amending Section 704 to clarify that council shall pay reasonable dues not to exceed \$100 for a mayor to join any mayors' association if requested by the mayor and clarifies that a mayor shall receive reimbursement for specified expenses in attending an annual meeting if requested by the mayor.
- Amending Section 801 to clarify inclusion of the provisions of Act 54 of 2017 relating to holding elected office during military service.
- Amends Sections 806 and 818 to remove the minimum population requirement for decreasing the number of council members, as well as provide for a similar increase in council members, and require the court of common pleas to establish a schedule for the subsequent election of council members.
- Amends Sections 1104, 1122, 1316 and 3301.2 for technical and clarifying changes.
- Repeals Section 1202(8) due to the addition of Chapter 25B.
- Creates Chapter 25B, called Solid Waste Collection and Disposition, which delineates regulation of the accumulation, collection and disposal of municipal waste and recyclables and contracts, rates and charges related thereto.
- Amends Section 3301.1 to remove ambiguity as to the process of borough budget enactment.

This act shall take effect in 60 days.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Senate Bill 753 will have no fiscal impact on Commonwealth funds.

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House Appropriations Committee (D)

DATE: March 18, 2024

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