

SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE FISCAL NOTE

BILL NO. Senate Bill 1132

PRINTER NO. 1470

AMOUNT

No Fiscal Impact

FUND

Municipal Funds

DATE INTRODUCED

March 28, 2024

PRIME SPONSOR

Senator Brown

DESCRIPTION

Senate Bill 1132 amends the First Class Township Code to authorize a township board of commissioners to waive, by resolution, a limitation on a tax that supports ambulance, rescue and other emergency services so that more than half of the revenue may be used for compensation of personnel in any calendar year.

The First Class Township Code currently authorizes townships to use up to half of the revenue generated by this tax for salaries, benefits and other compensation of ambulance, rescue and other emergency services personnel.

This legislation is scheduled to take effect in 60 days.

FISCAL IMPACT:

This legislation may result in townships reallocating existing tax revenue between expenditure items relating to ambulance, rescue and other emergency services, but it does not provide townships with authority to increase the tax rate above current limits.