

Department of Fiscal Services
Maryland General Assembly

FISCAL NOTE

House Bill 583 (Charles County Delegation)
Commerce and Government Matters

Charles County - Competitive Bidding - Professional Services

This bill provides that professional services contracts in Charles County are not subject to competitive bidding requirements. Currently, only contracts for services provided by architectural and engineering firms are exempt from competitive bidding requirements.

Fiscal Summary

State Effect: None.

Local Effect: Indeterminate impact on local expenditures. Minimal cost savings could be realized due to fewer advertising requirements. To the extent that noncompetitive bids lead to higher contract costs, any administrative cost savings would be offset.

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