

Department of Fiscal Services
Maryland General Assembly

FISCAL NOTE
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House Joint Resolution 11 (Baltimore County Delegation)
Commerce & Government Matters Referred to Economic & Environmental Affairs

NASCAR Motor Sports

This amended joint resolution urges the State and Baltimore County to investigate jointly the economic impact of a NASCAR motor sports racing complex to be located in Middle River, Maryland. It also urges the Governor to appoint a 15-member task force to work with the Department of Business and Economic Development, the Department of Transportation, and the Baltimore County Department of Economic Development to conduct the investigation.

Fiscal Summary

State Effect: None, as discussed below.

Local Effect: None, as discussed below.

Fiscal Analysis

State Effect: The economic impact study could be handled with the existing resources of the Department of Business and Economic Development (DBED). It is assumed that if the Governor appoints a task force, task force members would be eligible for expense reimbursements according to the standard State travel regulations. Reimbursements would depend upon the time, location, and frequency of the task force's meetings. It is expected that reimbursements for the governmental members could be handled with the existing resources of the governmental entities represented on the task force. Likewise, reimbursements for the non-governmental members could be handled with the Executive Department's existing resources.

Local Effect: Baltimore County could work on the economic impact study with DBED and pay any required expense reimbursements as discussed above using existing resources.

Information Source(s): Department of Business and Economic Development, Department of Transportation, Department of Fiscal Services

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