Department of Fiscal Services

Maryland General Assembly

FISCAL NOTE Bond Bill

Senate Bill 281 (Senator Collins)(Baltimore County Administration) Budget and Taxation

Creation of a State Debt - Baltimore County - Ballard-Cover/Owings-Durkee Recreational Project (\$2,000,000)

This bill provides \$2,000,000 in State bond proceeds as a grant to the County Executive and County Council of Baltimore County for the development of the Ballard-Cover site as a public outdoor recreational center and for the preservation of Owings-Durkee as a passive recreational site.

Baltimore County must provide matching funds by June 1, 1998.

Fiscal Summary

State Effect: This \$2,000,000 bond authorization would be part of the total \$400 million general obligation debt authorization for fiscal 1997 as recommended by the Capital Debt Affordability Committee. State debt service costs on the \$400 million would be a maximum of \$41.3 million annually based on an interest rate of 4.51%.

Local Effect: Baltimore County revenues would increase by \$2,000,000 and expenditures would increase by at least \$4,000,000.

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