

Department of Fiscal Services
Maryland General Assembly

FISCAL NOTE

House Bill 113 (Delegate Bozman, *et al.*)
Economic Matters

Worcester County - Alcoholic Beverages (Beer and Wine Festival)

This bill changes the restriction on the date for the Worcester County Beer and Wine Festival. Currently, the festival may not be held within 14 days of either side of the Maryland Wine Festival. Under the bill, the only restriction is that the county's festival may not be held on the same weekend as the Maryland Wine Festival.

Fiscal Summary

State Effect: None.

Local Effect: None. Removing the restriction on the Worcester County Beer and Wine Festival would not directly affect county finances.

Small Business Effect: Minimal effect on small businesses. To the extent that changing the date of the beer and wine festival leads to more exposure of the 20 to 30 alcoholic beverages businesses that participate in the festival, these businesses could benefit.

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