Department of Legislative Services

Maryland General Assembly

FISCAL NOTE Bond Bill

Senate Bill 410 (Senator Jimeno. et al.)

Budget and Taxation

Creation of a State Debt - Anne Arundel County - Hancock's Resolution

This bill provides \$150,000 in State bond proceeds as a grant to the County Executive and County Council of Anne Arundel County for the repair, renovation, restoration, reconstruction, capital equipping, and preservation of Hancock's Resolution, located on Bodkin Creek at Bayside Beach. The grant may also be used for the planning, design, construction, and capital equipping of a visitor's center-museum facility on the same property.

Anne Arundel County must provide matching funds by June 1, 2000. The county must grant and convey a perpetual easement to the extent of its interest in the property to the Maryland Historical Trust.

Fiscal Summary

State Effect: This \$150,000 grant would be part of the total \$430 million general obligation debt authorization for FY 1999 as recommended by the Capital Debt Affordability Committee. State debt service costs on the \$430 million would be a maximum of \$44.2 million annually based on the 4.34% interest rate realized at the February 18, 1998 bond sale.

Local Effect: Anne Arundel County grant revenue would increase by \$150,000 and expenditures would increase by \$300,000.

Small Business Effect: Minimal.

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