

Department of Legislative Services
Maryland General Assembly

FISCAL NOTE

House Bill 702 (Washington County Delegation)

Ways and Means

Washington County - Board of Education - Terms of Members

This bill alters the terms for members of the Washington County Board of Education who are elected at the November 1998 general election. The three members receiving the highest number of votes among the members shall serve a term of four years and the two members who receive the next highest number of votes shall serve a term of two years. After the initial term, each term is four years.

Currently, five of the seven board positions are up for election in 1998, with the remaining positions up for election in 2000. This bill would more evenly divide the election of board members in future years by having four board positions up for election in 2000 and three positions up for election in 2002.

Fiscal Summary

State Effect: None.

Local Effect: None. Altering the terms of certain members of the Washington County Board of Education would not affect local finances.

Small Business Effect: None.

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