

Department of Legislative Services  
Maryland General Assembly

FISCAL NOTE  
Bond Bill

House Bill 1326 (Delegate Montague. *et al.*)

Appropriations

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**Creation of a State Debt - Baltimore City - Morgan Christian Center**

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This bill provides \$1,005,000 in State bond proceeds as a grant to the Board of Trustees of Morgan Christian Center of Baltimore for the planning, design, repair, renovation, and capital equipping and furnishing of the center which is to be used as a community outreach center for students at Morgan State University.

The Board of Directors of the Parks Foundation, Inc. must provide matching funds by June 1, 2000. No portion of the grant may be used to further sectarian religious purposes.

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**Fiscal Summary**

**State Effect:** This \$1,005,000 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:** None.

**Small Business Effect:** Minimal.

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