

Department of Legislative Services  
Maryland General Assembly  
1999 Session

FISCAL NOTE  
Bond Bill

House Bill 1083 (Delegate Heller. *et al.*)

Appropriations

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**Creation of a State Debt - Montgomery County - Our House Youth Home, Inc.**

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This bill provides \$750,000 in State bond proceeds as a grant to the Board of Directors of Our House Youth Home, Inc. for the acquisition, renovation, and capital equipping of Mellwood Farm located in Olney and to be used as the permanent home for a residential training facility.

The board of directors must provide \$750,000 in matching funds by June 1, 2001 and grant and convey a perpetual preservation easement to the Maryland Historical Trust.

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**Fiscal Summary**

**State Effect:** This \$750,000 grant would be part of the total \$445 million general obligation debt authorization for FY 2000 as recommended by the Capital Debt Affordability committee. State debt service costs on the \$445 million would be a maximum of \$45.3 million annually based on the 4.26% interest rate realized at the February 24, 1999 bond sale.

**Local Effect:** None.

**Small Business Effect:** Minimal.

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