

LEGISLATIVE FISCAL OFFICE
Fiscal Note



Fiscal Note On: **SB 41** SLS 20RS 137

Bill Text Version: **ORIGINAL**

Opp. Chamb. Action:

Proposed Amd.:

Sub. Bill For.:

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| Dept./Agy.: Natural Resources | | Analyst: Rebecca Robinson |
| Subject: Exemptions for coastal use permits | | |

COASTAL RESOURCES OR NO IMPACT See Note Page 1 of 1

Exempts certain activities performed by a levee district, a levee and drainage district, or a drainage district from the requirements for a coastal use permit. (8/1/20)

Proposes to exempt activities performed by or at the direction of a levee district from requiring a coastal use permit. Exempt activities include construction or maintenance of levees and water control structures including, laterals associated with levees or water control structures, spraying, dredging, and placement of spoil material for the normal maintenance of drainage channels and outfall canals for the purpose of maintaining drainage.

Effective August 1, 2020.

| EXPENDITURES | 2020-21 | 2021-22 | 2022-23 | 2023-24 | 2024-25 | 5 -YEAR TOTAL |
|---------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------------|
| State Gen. Fd. | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Agy. Self-Gen. | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Ded./Other | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Federal Funds | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Local Funds | <u>\$0</u> | <u>\$0</u> | <u>\$0</u> | <u>\$0</u> | <u>\$0</u> | \$0 |
| Annual Total | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |

| REVENUES | 2020-21 | 2021-22 | 2022-23 | 2023-24 | 2024-25 | 5 -YEAR TOTAL |
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| Annual Total | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |

EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental expenditures as a result of this measure. Proposed law simply removes the requirement of a permit and requires no implementation by DNR.

REVENUE EXPLANATION

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental revenues as a result of this measure.

Proposed law repeals the requirement that a levee district, levee and drainage district, or a drainage district apply for a coastal use permit. The Office of Coastal Management (OCM) would no longer be receiving or processing these permit applications, which would allow for a reallocation of agency resources. Although OCM received and processed the permit, they waived the fee for levee/drainage districts. The proposed law codifies an existing practice and therefore would have no impact on revenue.

Senate Dual Referral Rules
 13.5.1 >= \$100,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S & H}
 13.5.2 >= \$500,000 Annual Tax or Fee Change {S & H}

House
 6.8(F)(1) >= \$100,000 SGF Fiscal Cost {H & S}
 6.8(G) >= \$500,000 Tax or Fee Increase or a Net Fee Decrease {S}

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