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HB **590** HLS 21RS Fiscal Note On: 922

Bill Text Version: ORIGINAL

Opp. Chamb. Action: Proposed Amd.:

Date: April 6, 2021 3:27 PM Sub. Bill For.: **Author: DAVIS** 

Dept./Agy.: Capital Area Groundwater Conservation District

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Subject: Fees

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**CONSERVATION** Authorizes the board of the Capital Area Groundwater Conservation District to assess fees for capital expenditures and nonpayment

Purpose of Bill: This bill authorizes the Capital Area Groundwater Conservation District (District) to assess fees to individual users for certain costs based on annual flows or specific costs for wells. In addition, this bill authorizes the District to assess late fees for non-payment of monthly or quarterly invoices.

EXPENDITURES	2021-22	<u> 2022-23</u>	2023-24	2024-25	<u> 2025-26</u>	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>	<u>\$0</u>
Annual Total	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	\$0	\$0
REVENUES	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	<u> 2024-25</u>	2025-26	5 -YEAR TOTAL
State Gen. Fd.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
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Local Funds	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
Annual Total	\$0	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	\$0

## **EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION**

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

An official with the Capital Area Groundwater Conservation District indicated that this bill would not impact District expenditures.

## **REVENUE EXPLANATION**

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

An official with the Capital Area Groundwater Conservation District indicated that this bill would not impact District revenues, as the bill allows the District to assess fees for site-specific needs to only the affected parties, rather than passing on charges/costs to all entities on a usage This official also indicated that the District currently assesses the late fees authorized by the bill.

Dual Referral Rules  13.5.1 >= \$100,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S & H}	House 6.8(F)(1) >= \$100,000 SGF Fiscal Cost {H & S}	M. G. Battle
13.5.2 >= \$500,000 Annual Tax or Fee Change {S & H}	6.8(G) >= \$500,000 Tax or Fee Increase or a Net Fee Decrease {S}	Michael G. Battle Manager, Advisory Services