

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**  
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**FISCAL NOTE, 79TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION**

**May 27, 2005**

**TO:** Honorable David Dewhurst , Lieutenant Governor, Senate  
Honorable Tom Craddick, Speaker of the House, House of Representatives

**FROM:** John S. O'Brien, Deputy Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE: HB167** by Smith, Wayne (Relating to the creation and authority of municipal development districts. ), **Conference Committee Report**

<b>No fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.</b>
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The bill would amend the Local Government Code to authorize a municipal development district in a county with a population of 3.3 million or more to pay the costs of planning, acquiring, establishing, developing, constructing, or renovating one or more development projects beneficial to the district if the projects are in the district boundaries or the extraterritorial jurisdiction of the municipality where the district is located. According to the 2000 federal census, Harris County is the only county that meets the population stipulation; therefore, only a district located in Harris County would be affected.

**Local Government Impact**

Because the bill would not have statewide impact on units of local government of the same type or class, no comment from this office is required by the rules of the House/Senate as to its probable fiscal implication on units of local government.

**Source Agencies:**

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