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TO: Honorable Leo Berman, Chair, House Committee on Elections

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

IN RE: HB1648 by Leibowitz (Relating to allowing a county to hold a nonbinding referendum on a county fiscal matter.), Committee Report 1st House, Substituted

No fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would authorize a county commissioners court to hold a nonbinding referendum on any question affecting a county fiscal matter other than a matter involving a labor agreement or compensation of any county employee. The county would be required to hold the referendum in the same manner as an election on a county measure on a uniform election date.

Local Government Impact

No significant fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

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