

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**  
**Austin, Texas**

**FISCAL NOTE, 80TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION**

**April 17, 2007**

**TO:** Honorable Wayne Smith, Chair, House Committee on County Affairs

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

**IN RE: HB3439** by Parker (Relating to county fiscal matters.), **As Introduced**

<p><b>No fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.</b></p>
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The bill would amend the Local Government Code to remove the requirement that each deposit made in the county treasury must be made on a deposit warrant issued in triplicate. Instead, the county treasurer would be required to provide to the county clerk or county auditor duplicate deposit warrants or a written report of all deposit warrants received that contains detailed information about each warrant.

The bill would also authorize the comptroller to electronically transmit a warrant for a payment to a county treasurer, whereas under current statute, the comptroller is only authorized to mail a warrant.

The bill would take effect September 1, 2007.

The Comptroller of Public Accounts reports that the agency already transmits warrants electronically; therefore, there would be no fiscal impact to the state.

**Local Government Impact**

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

**Source Agencies:** 304 Comptroller of Public Accounts

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