

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**  
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**April 21, 2013**

**TO:** Honorable Dan Branch, Chair, House Committee on Higher Education

**FROM:** Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE:** **HB1486** by Lavender (Relating to an intercollegiate athletics fee at Texas A&M University--Texarkana.), **As Introduced**

<p><b>No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.</b></p>
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The bill amends the Education Code relating to an intercollegiate athletics fee at Texas A&M University - Texarkana. Under provisions of the bill, the board of regents of the Texas A&M University System would be authorized to charge students at Texas A&M University - Texarkana an intercollegiate athletics fee up to \$9.00 per semester credit hour. If certain conditions are met, the fee may exceed \$9.00. Texas A&M University System estimates that if the fee was collected at \$9.00 per semester credit hour, the fee would generate additional revenue in the amount of approximately \$350,000 per fiscal year.

**Local Government Impact**

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

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