

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

**FISCAL NOTE, 83RD LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION**

**April 24, 2013**

**TO:** Honorable Garnet Coleman, Chair, House Committee on County Affairs

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

**IN RE:** **HB2438** by Farias (relating to the authority of a county to assess costs and fees relating to the abatement of a nuisance on real property against certain persons.), **Committee Report 1st House, Substituted**

<b>No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.</b>
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The bill would amend the Health and Safety Code as it relates to the recovery of assessed costs and fees in a nuisance abatement suit. It is not anticipated that the bill will result in any significant fiscal impact on the court system. The changes in law would apply only to costs or assessments for which notice was given on or after the bill's effective date. The bill would take effect September 1, 2013.

**Local Government Impact**

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

**Source Agencies:** 212 Office of Court Administration, Texas Judicial Council, 308 State Auditor's Office

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