

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**  
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**TO:** Honorable Charlie Geren, Chair, House Committee on House Administration

**FROM:** John McGeady, Assistant Director    Sarah Keyton, Assistant Director  
Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE: HB2238** by Hefner (Relating to a study of the feasibility of converting quarries and surface mine pits for use as water storage reservoirs to enhance this state's available water supply.), **As Introduced**

**No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.**

The bill would require the legislature to establish a joint interim committee to study the feasibility and desirability of converting quarries and surface mine pits for use as water storage reservoirs to enhance the state's available water supply. The committee would be required to report to the Governor and legislature its findings and any recommendations no later than December 1, 2020. The committee would be abolished and the statute governing the Committee would expire on December 1, 2020.

This analysis assumes that the duties and responsibilities of the bill could be accomplished utilizing existing resources.

**Local Government Impact**

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

**Source Agencies:**

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