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TO: Honorable Joan Huffman, Chair, Senate Committee on State Affairs

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IN RE: **HB3965** by Bohac (relating to the countywide polling place program.), **Committee Report 2nd House, Substituted**

No fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

Based on analysis by the Secretary of State and the Office of Court Administration, it is assumed that the provisions of the bill relating to the countywide polling place program could be absorbed using existing resources.

Local Government Impact

According to the Texas Association of Counties, a fiscal impact on counties is anticipated. However, the dollar amount of this impact cannot be determined because it would depend on how often a polling place were directed by court order to remain open and the total number of polling places affected by the court order.

Source Agencies: 212 Office of Court Administration, Texas Judicial Council, 307 Secretary of State

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