

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**  
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**TO:** Honorable Chris Paddie, Chair, House Committee on Energy Resources

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

**IN RE: HB4380** by Herrero (Relating to the creation of the Environmental Task Force Advisory Committee.), **As Introduced**

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

The bill would create the Environmental Task Force Advisory Committee to review and provide recommendations to the Railroad Commission related to the agency's environmental regulatory functions. Based on analysis of the Railroad Commission and the Commission on Environmental Quality, any costs associated with the bill could be absorbed within the agency's existing resources.

The bill would take effect September 1, 2019. The section of law and the Task Force Advisory Committee created by the bill would expire on September 1, 2023.

**Local Government Impact**

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

**Source Agencies:**    455 Railroad Commission, 582 Commission on Environmental Quality

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