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TO: Honorable Briscoe Cain, Chair, House Committee on Elections

FROM: Jerry McGinty, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB478 by González, Jessica (Relating to accommodating a voter unable to enter a polling place.), **As Introduced**

No fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend the Election Code to require an election officer to designate a parking space at each polling place for voting for use by a voter who is unable to enter the polling place.

Local Government Impact

Bastrop, Hays, and Williamson counties do not anticipate a significant fiscal impact to counties from HB 22, as introduced. However, Fort Bend expects that the bill would cost the county \$30,000 to \$40,000 to create designated parking spaces and Bexar County anticipates a cost of \$40,000.

Source Agencies: 307 Secretary of State

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