

**JBC Staff Fiscal Analysis**  
**House Appropriations Committee**

Concerning free access to state parks for Colorado Ute tribes.

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**Prime Sponsors:**

Representatives Stewart K.; Taggart  
Senators Roberts; Simpson

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**Fiscal Impacts**

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Appropriation Not Required, Amendment in Packet

**Fiscal Note Status**

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The most recent Legislative Council Staff Fiscal Note (attached) reflects the fiscal impact of the bill as of 02/13/25.

**No Change:** Attached LCS Fiscal Note accurately reflects the fiscal impact of the bill.

**Amendments in This Packet**

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L.002            Bill Sponsor amendment - does not change fiscal impact.

**Description of Amendments in This Packet**

**L.002**

Bill Sponsor amendment **L.002** (attached) directs the Division of Parks and Wildlife to engage with the Southern Ute Tribe, Ute Mountain Ute Tribe, and other tribal governments, American Indian communities, and Indigenous communities on opportunities related to state parks. The amendment also requests information on this outreach and engagement during the Department's annual SMART Act hearing.

Legislative Council Staff and Joint Budget Committee Staff agree that this amendment has no fiscal impact.

**Points to Consider**

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None.