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FISCAL NOTE

FISCAL IMPACT: State Local Statutory Public Entity Conditional No Fiscal Impact

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Prime Sponsor(s): Sen. Baumgardner
Rep. Becker J.

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BILL TOPIC: LIMITS ON UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK REGULATION

Summary of Legislation

This bill, *requested by the Transportation Legislation Review Committee*, prohibits a local government from imposing inspection requirements or charging inspection fees for underground petroleum storage tanks.

Background

The Division of Oil and Public Safety in the Department of Labor and Employment regulates petroleum storage tank facilities. As of January 1, 2017, Colorado has approximately 7,200 active underground petroleum storage tanks.

Local Government Impact

This bill will reduce the workload and revenue of any local government that currently conducts and charges for inspections of underground petroleum storage tanks, and will prevent other local governments from conducting and charging for such inspections going forward. As of this writing, only the Denver Fire Department has been identified as conducting and charging for such inspections. The reduction in workload and revenue for any local government has not been estimated in this fiscal note.

Effective Date

The bill takes effect August 9, 2017, if the General Assembly adjourns on May 10, 2017, as scheduled, and no referendum petition is filed.

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