



**FINAL  
FISCAL NOTE**

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

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**Drafting Number:** LLS 17-0182  
**Prime Sponsor(s):** Sen. Baumgardner; Coram  
Rep. Becker J.

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**Bill Status:** Postponed Indefinitely  
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**BILL TOPIC:** LIMITS ON UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK REGULATION

### **Summary of Legislation**

This bill 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 was postponed indefinitely by the House Transportation and Energy Committee on May 3, 2017.

### **State and Local Government Contacts**

Counties  
Local Affairs

Fire Chiefs  
Municipalities

Labor