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# **Fiscal Note**

**Drafting Number:** LLS 23-0325 **Date:** March 17, 2023 **Prime Sponsors:** Sen. Marchman: Pelton R. Bill Status: Senate Agriculture Rep. Lukens; Catlin Fiscal Analyst: Josh Abram | 303-866-3561 josh.abram@coleg.gov **Bill Topic:** SUNSET NOXIOUS WEED ADVISORY COMMITTEE Summary of ☐ TABOR Refund ☐ State Revenue **Fiscal Impact:** □ Local Government □ State Transfer ☐ Statutory Public Entity Sunset Bill. This bill continues the State Noxious Weed Advisory Committee in the Department of Agriculture, which is scheduled to repeal on September 1,2023. State fiscal impacts under the bill include only the continuation of the committee's current workload and minimal expenditures. The program is continued through September 1, 2034. **Appropriation** No appropriation is required. Summary: **Fiscal Note** The fiscal note reflects the introduced bill. Status:

### **Summary of Legislation**

The bill continues the State Noxious Weed Advisory Committee in the Department of Agriculture, which is currently scheduled to repeal on September 1, 2023. The advisory committee is continued through September 1, 2034.

### **Continuing Program Impacts**

Based on the Department of Regulatory Agencies' 2022 Sunset Review, the Department of Agriculture is expected to have no revenue and minimal expenditures to reimburse advisory board members for meals at in-person meetings. The advisory committee conducts a hybrid of in-person and online meetings, and only the in-person meetings incur any cost. If this bill is enacted, these expenditures will continue for the committee starting in FY 2023-24. If this bill is not enacted, the committee will end on September 1, 2023, and expenditures will decrease starting in FY 2023-24.

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#### **Effective Date**

The bill takes effect 90 days following adjournment of the General Assembly sine die, assuming no referendum petition is filed.

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

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