

FISCAL NOTE
Requested by Legislative Council
03/09/2009

Amendment to: HCR3046

1A. State fiscal effect: *Identify the state fiscal effect and the fiscal effect on agency appropriations compared to funding levels and appropriations anticipated under current law.*

	2007-2009 Biennium		2009-2011 Biennium		2011-2013 Biennium	
	General Fund	Other Funds	General Fund	Other Funds	General Fund	Other Funds
Revenues						
Expenditures						
Appropriations						

1B. County, city, and school district fiscal effect: *Identify the fiscal effect on the appropriate political subdivision.*

2007-2009 Biennium			2009-2011 Biennium			2011-2013 Biennium		
Counties	Cities	School Districts	Counties	Cities	School Districts	Counties	Cities	School Districts

2A. Bill and fiscal impact summary: *Provide a brief summary of the measure, including description of the provisions having fiscal impact (limited to 300 characters).*

Engrossed HCR 3046 eliminates all property taxes in the state, if determined to be feasible based on a Legislative Council study to be conducted during the 2009-2010 interim.

B. Fiscal impact sections: *Identify and provide a brief description of the sections of the measure which have fiscal impact. Include any assumptions and comments relevant to the analysis.*

Engrossed HCR 3046 authorizes a Legislative Council study to determine the feasibility of elimination of the property taxes in the state. If the results of the study indicate it is feasible and desirable to eliminate property taxes, and if it is subsequently approved by the voters, Engrossed HCR 3046 would eliminate property taxation and replace the revenue with state sources of revenue, such as income and oil taxes, etc.

If enacted and approved by voters, property taxes would be eliminated beginning in 2014. There is no forecast of state general fund taxes, or property taxes, for calendar year 2014. The revenue shift from local to state sources of revenue cannot be computed.

3. State fiscal effect detail: *For information shown under state fiscal effect in 1A, please:*

A. Revenues: *Explain the revenue amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, for each revenue type and fund affected and any amounts included in the executive budget.*

B. Expenditures: *Explain the expenditure amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, for each agency, line item, and fund affected and the number of FTE positions affected.*

C. Appropriations: *Explain the appropriation amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, for each agency and fund affected. Explain the relationship between the amounts shown for expenditures and appropriations. Indicate whether the appropriation is also included in the executive budget or relates to a continuing appropriation.*

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