

Virginia Department of Transportation

2006 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB 1513

House of Origin ☐ Introduced ☐ Substitute ☐ Engrossed

Second House ☐ In Committee ☐ Substitute ☒ Enrolled

2. Patron: Frederick, J.

3. Committee: Passed both Houses

4. Title: Coordination of Transportation Planning between Local Government and VDOT

5. Summary/Purpose:

Provides that prior to adoption of any comprehensive plan or amendment the locality shall submit such plan or amendment to VDOT for review and comment. The bill stipulates that the Department shall promulgate regulations by December 31, 2006 to carry out the provisions of the bill. The regulation shall become effective on July 1, 2007, and include reasonable exemptions. The regulations would not be subject to the Administrative Process Act. The Department shall submit a report to the Governor and General Assembly by December 1, 2006, identifying the costs of conducting the reviews required by this act and recommending a reasonable fee schedule for such reviews.

6. Fiscal Impacts are unavailable

7. Budget amendment necessary: NO

8. Fiscal implications: This bill would affect over 200 local governments and require VDOT to review and comment on comprehensive plans, comprehensive plan amendments, site plans, subdivision plats or rezoning applications from each of the localities within the prescribed timeframes. There will be significant personnel impacts, as 2-5 additional staff per district could be required to compliment the proposed legislation.

The bill would allow the Department to impose reasonable fees not to exceed the actual cost to the Department or \$1000, whichever is less, for the review of applications, plans and plats. The revenue associated with such reviews could be used to offset the costs of additional personnel.

9. Specific agency or political subdivisions affected: All Virginia cities, counties and towns, the Virginia Department of Transportation.

10. Technical amendment necessary: NO

11. Other comments: SB 699 is similar to this bill.

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cc: Secretary of Transportation