

**Department of Planning and Budget  
2006 Fiscal Impact Statement**

**1. Bill Number** SB462

**House of Origin**     Introduced     Substitute     Engrossed

**Second House**     In Committee     Substitute     Enrolled

**2. Patron**        Devolites Davis

**3. Committee**    Agriculture, Conservation, and Natural Resources

**4. Title**            Preservation of state-owned properties.

**5. Summary/Purpose:** This bill requires state agencies to identify and maintain historic resources that they own or that are under their control. Each agency is to (i) establish a preservation program to identify, evaluate, and nominate its historic properties to be listed as Virginia Historic Landmarks; (ii) ensure the historic landmarks or properties under their jurisdiction that are eligible to be historic landmarks are managed and maintained to preserve their historic, archaeological, architectural, and cultural values; and (iii) consider the potential effects of the agency's actions on their historic properties. The Department of Historic Resources is to provide guidance and technical assistance to assist the agencies in carrying out these responsibilities.

**6. Fiscal Impact:** It is not possible to determine the fiscal impact of this legislation. The actions that agencies will be required to take as a result of this legislation will vary on a case-by-case basis. Some agencies may already be adhering to these principles, while other agencies may need to perform a considerable amount of work to come into compliance. According to the Department of Historic Resources, their role in executing the requirements contained within this legislation also cannot be determined because it will again be on a case-by-case basis depending on the agencies ability to comply.

**7. Budget amendment necessary:** No.

**8. Fiscal implications:** See Item 6.

**9. Specific agency or political subdivisions affected:** Department of Historic Resources; any state agency that owns or controls historic resources.

**10. Technical amendment necessary:** No.

**11. Other comments:** None.

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cc: Secretary of Natural Resources