

## Department of Planning and Budget 2007 Fiscal Impact Statement

**1. Bill Number** HB2305

**House of Origin**    ☒ Introduced    ☐ Substitute    ☐ Engrossed

**Second House**    ☐ In Committee    ☐ Substitute    ☐ Enrolled

**2. Patron**        McQuigg

**3. Committee**    Counties, Cities, and Towns

**4. Title**            Preservation of historic areas and sites.

**5. Summary/Purpose:** This bill adds historic areas and sites to the existing provisions related to preservation of historic buildings and structures.

**6. No Fiscal Impact**

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

**8. Fiscal implications:** This bill broadens the local government historic district zoning authority beyond buildings and structures to include historic areas and sites. This bill allows for the broadening of zoning authority but does not require it. The Department of Historic Resources (DHR) anticipates that this bill will have no impact on them, or the state, as their role is to advise and assist local governments, but historic district zoning is mostly a local initiative.

**9. Specific agency or political subdivisions affected:** The Department of Historic Resources.

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

**11. Other comments:** None.

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cc: Secretary of Natural Resources