

Department of Planning and Budget 2017 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB1594

House of Origin	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Introduced	<input type="checkbox"/>	Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/>	Engrossed
Second House	<input type="checkbox"/>	In Committee	<input type="checkbox"/>	Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/>	Enrolled

2. Patron: Boysko

3. Committee: Privileges and Elections

4. Title: Local election districts and precincts.

5. Summary: Provides that any property line or subdivision boundary shown on an official local property map will constitute a "clearly observable boundary" for the purpose of constituting a district or precinct boundary. Current law provides that only property lines and subdivision boundaries that appear on VDOT maps, United States Geological Survey topographical maps, or the TIGER/line files of the United States Bureau of the Census may be used.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Preliminary – see Item 8.

8. Fiscal Implications: The proposed legislation should not have a material fiscal impact on the Department of Elections. The additional costs the agency may incur include updating instructions and guidance documents to include translation, and, if needed, changes to the Virginia Election and Registration Information System (VERIS), changes to web materials, printing and distribution of forms, additional support for staff to research Code sections and update forms impacted by the legislation, and training to assure officers of election and voters are aware of any changes.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Virginia Department of Elections, State Board of Elections, and localities.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.