

## **Department of Planning and Budget 2023 Fiscal Impact Statement**

**1. Bill Number:** HB1751

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

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

**2. Patron:** Davis

**3. Committee:** Privileges and Elections

**4. Title:** Elections; conduct of election; ranked choice voting; local governing bodies, school boards.

**5. Summary:** Allows ranked choice voting to be used in any state-run primary election at the option of the political party for which the primary is being held and changes from discretionary to mandatory the provision that the State Board of Elections promulgate regulations for the proper and efficient administration of elections determined by ranked choice voting. The bill also allows elections of members of a local governing body or school board to be conducted by ranked choice voting. Current law only allows elections of members of a county board of supervisors or city council to be conducted by ranked choice voting.

**6. Budget Amendment Necessary:** No.

**7. Fiscal Impact Estimates:** Preliminary, no state fiscal impact.

**8. Fiscal Implications:** The proposed legislation is not expected to have a state fiscal impact.

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

**10. Technical Amendment Necessary:** No.

**11. Other Comments:** None.

January 19, 2023