Department of Planning and Budget 2012 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number: HB1111
	House of Origin
	Second House
2.	Patron: Greason
3.	Committee: Passed Both Houses
4.	Title: Fees for enforcement and appeals under Statewide Fire Prevention Code and Uniform Statewide Building
5.	Summary: Defines the term "defray the cost" for purposes of fees authorized to be collected by a locality for costs for enforcement and appeals of the application of the Statewide Fire Prevention Code and the Uniform Statewide Building Code. Under the bill, the cost may include the fair and reasonable costs incurred for such enforcement during normal business hours, but shall not include overtime costs, unless conducted outside of the normal working hours established by the locality. The bill provides that it does not prohibit a private entity from conducting the inspections provided the private entity has been approved in accordance with the written policy of the fire official for the locality. Finally, the bill establishes a procedure for the collection of fees when a lien is on the property for which a building permis applied.
6.	Budget Amendment Necessary: See item 8, below.
7.	Fiscal Impact Estimates: Indeterminate. See item 8, below.
8.	Fiscal Implications: The Department of Housing and Community Development may incur some costs in updating the applicable regulations, but it is anticipated that any costs could be absorbed within existing resources, and therefore a budget amendment is not necessary.
9.	Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Housing and Community Development, Department of Fire Programs, localities.
10	D. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.
11	. Other Comments: None.
	Date: 3/14/12