Department of Planning and Budget 2022 Fiscal Impact Statement

Bill Number:	HB48					
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- **2. Patron:** Fariss
- 3. Committee: Committee Referral Pending
- **4. Title:** Elections; referenda; local advisory referenda.
- **5. Summary:** Provides for an exception to the rule that prohibits a referendum from being placed on the ballot unless specifically authorized by statute or by charter, allowing each locality to provide by ordinance process for holding an advisory referendum provided such advisory referendum is placed on the ballot not more than once per calendar year.
- 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 localities (General Registrars and Electoral Boards).
- 10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.
- 11. Other Comments: This bill is a companion to SB 190.

Date: 1/17/2022