

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

HB 633 – SB 908

February 8, 2019

SUMMARY OF BILL: Increases, from 15 to 17, the maximum number of members that may serve on a multi-county or county solid waste authority (SWA) board of directors if the board is separate from the board for a municipal solid waste region.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase Local Expenditures – \$19,200/Permissive

Assumptions:

- There are multiple SWAs in Tennessee, and, based on information provided by the County Technical Assistance Service (CTAS), many of their boards consist of the current maximum number of members or they are near the current maximum number.
- It is assumed that four boards will permissively elect to increase their board membership to the new maximum of 17 as a result of this legislation, creating an additional 8 new members across the state (4 SWAs x 2 new positions each).
- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-211-904(c), boards have the authority to compensate members. Based on information provided by CTAS, the average annual per diem per member is estimated to be \$2,400.
- The permissive recurring increase in local expenditures is estimated to be \$19,200 (8 new members x \$2,400 annual per diem).

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Krista Lee Carsner".

Krista Lee Carsner, Executive Director

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