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H.B. 5022: COMMITTEE SUMMARY

House Bill 5022 (as passed by the House)

Sponsor: Representative Neal Nitz

House Committee: Local Government and Urban Policy Senate Committee: Local, Urban and State Affairs

Date Completed: 12-11-03

CONTENT

The bill would amend Public Act 33 of 1951, which provides for police and fire protection in townships and villages, and in cities with a population under 15,000, to allow township police and fire administrative board members to receive per diem compensation as determined by the township board, as well as actual and necessary expenses.

The Act authorizes a township board to create a police administrative board, a fire administrative board, or a police and fire administrative board. Members currently serve without compensation but are entitled to necessary and actual expenses.

MCL 41.812 Legislative Analyst: George Towne

FISCAL IMPACT

The bill would increase local unit expenses by an unknown amount, depending upon how many local units chose to offer per diem compensation and the amount of compensation offered. The bill would have no fiscal impact on State revenues.

Fiscal Analyst: David Zin

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