Local Government Mandate Statement Kentucky Legislative Research Commission 2024 Regular Session

Part I: Measure Information

Bill Request #: 2083
Bill #: SB 343
Document ID #:
Bill Title: AN ACT relating to restorative justice.
Sponsor: Senator Brandon Storm
Unit of Government: X City X County X Urban-County Unified Local
X Charter County X Consolidated Local X Government
Office(s) Impacted: Local governments
Requirement: X Mandatory Optional
Effect on Powers & Duties: Modifies ExistingX Adds New Eliminates Existing

Part II: Bill Provisions and the Estimated Fiscal Impact Relating to Local Government

SB 343 requires the Department of Juvenile Justice to establish a local juvenile restorative justice advisory committee in each county to develop and implement local juvenile restorative justice programs. The membership shall consist of the chief district judge; county attorney; an assistant public advocate; a representative from the Department for Community Based Services; a representative from the Department of Juvenile Justice; a representative from a local law enforcement agency; a representative from each local school district; community members reflecting the racial, socioeconomic, and other diversity of the county; and a representative from a victims advocacy group.

SB 343 would have a presently indeterminable but minimal negative fiscal impact on local governments. The membership of committees required under SB 243 will include some local government employees. If the meeting is outside of working hours, a local government may be required to pay additional hours or overtime to their employees that serve as members of a county or joint committee under SB 343.

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