

**Local Government Mandate Statement  
Kentucky Legislative Research Commission  
2026 Regular Session**

**Part I: Measure Information**

<b>Bill Request #:</b>	271	<b>Bill #:</b>	HB 234
<b>Document ID #:</b>	1695	<b>Sponsor:</b>	Rep. Jared Bauman
<b>Bill Title:</b>	AN ACT relating to the posting of veterans' benefits and services.		

Unit of Government:     City                             County                             Urban-County  
                                   Charter County             Consolidated Local         Unified Local

Office(s) Impacted:              All local government          

Requirement:             Mandatory             Optional

Effect on Powers & Duties:     Modifies Existing     Adds New     Eliminates Existing

Other Fiscal Statement(s) that may exist:     Actuarial Analysis             Corrections Impact  
     Health Benefit Mandate     State Employee Health Plan

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

HB 234 requires any local government subject to any provision of KRS 337.275 to 337.325, 337.345, or 337.385 to 337.405 or of any administrative regulations or orders issued under KRS 337.295, to download, print, and keep copies of the most recent version of the veterans' benefits and services document. The document shall be placed in a conspicuous and accessible place.

**The fiscal impact to local governments is indeterminable, but expected to be very minimal.** The cost to print and the time it takes to post the document should both be minuscule.

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