Fiscal Note
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Election Audit Requirements
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General, Income Tax, and Uniform School Funds

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	Ongoing	One-time	Total
Net GF/ITF/USF (rev.-exp.)	$(236,000)	$0	$(236,000)

State Government

UCA 36-12-13(2)(c)

Revenues	*FY 2023*	*FY 2024*	*FY 2025*
Total Revenues	$0	$0	$0

Enactment of this legislation likely will not materially impact state revenue.

Expenditures	*FY 2023*	*FY 2024*	*FY 2025*
General Fund	$0	$236,000	$236,000
Total Expenditures	$0	$236,000	$236,000

Enactment of this legislation could cost the Office of the Legislative Auditor General $186,000 ongoing from the General Fund beginning in FY 2024 for 1.5 FTE to conduct a biennial audit of elections. Enactment could also cost the Lt. Governor''s Office $50,000 ongoing from the General Fund beginning in FY 2024 for 0.5 FTE to coordinate with the auditors, provide data, interpret code, provide follow-up reports, and otherwise facilitate the audit.

	FY 2023	*FY 2024*	*FY 2025*
Net All Funds	$0	$(236,000)	$(236,000)

Local Government

UCA 36-12-13(2)(c)

Enactment of this legislation likely will not result in direct, measurable costs for local governments.

Individuals & Businesses

UCA 36-12-13(2)(c)

Enactment of this legislation likely will not result in direct expenditures from tax or fee changes for Utah residents and businesses.

Regulatory Impact

UCA 36-12-13(2)(d)

Enactment of this legislation likely will not change the regulatory burden for Utah residents or businesses.

Performance Evaluation

This bill creates a new program or significantly expands an existing program. For a list of questions lawmakers might ask to improve accountability for the proposed program, please see: https://budget.utah.gov/newprogram

Notes on Notes

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