



**Fiscal Note**  
**H.B. 159 1st Sub. (Buff)**

2024 General Session  
 Bears Ears Visitor Center Advisory  
 Committee Repeal Amendments  
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**General, Income Tax, and Uniform School Funds**

JR4-4-101

	Ongoing	One-time	Total
Net GF/ITF/USF (rev.-exp.)	\$ (14,000)	\$ 7,100	\$ (6,900)

**State Government**

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

Revenues	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY 2026
Total Revenues	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0

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

Expenditures	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY 2026
General Fund	\$ 0	\$ 14,000	\$ 14,000
General Fund, One-time	\$ 0	\$ (7,100)	\$ 0
Total Expenditures	\$ 0	\$ 6,900	\$ 14,000

Enactment of this legislation could cost the Senate \$1,900, the House of Representatives \$3,700, and the Division of Indian Affairs \$8,400, all ongoing from the General Fund, beginning in FY 2025, for per diem, travel, and staff time to continue the Bears Ears Visitor Center Advisory Committee until its sunset date of December 31, 2034. Approximately half of the ongoing costs may be backed out in FY 2025 due to the committee previously being funded one-time until December 31, 2024. The Division of Indian Affairs reports they can absorb their costs.

	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY 2026
<b>Net All Funds</b>	<b>\$ 0</b>	<b>\$ (6,900)</b>	<b>\$ (14,000)</b>

**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.

This bill does not create a new program or significantly expand an existing program.

**Notes on Notes**

Fiscal notes estimate the direct costs or revenues of enacting a bill. The Legislature uses them to balance the budget. They do not measure a bill's benefits or non-fiscal impacts like opportunity costs, wait times, or inconvenience. A fiscal note is not an appropriation. The Legislature decides appropriations separately.