



# Fiscal Note

## H.B. 294

2024 General Session  
Election Code 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.)	\$0	\$(2,000)	\$(2,000)

### 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, One-time	\$0	\$2,000	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0	\$2,000	\$0

Enactment of this legislation could cost the Governor's Office \$2,000 one-time in FY 2025 from the General Fund for modifications to existing elections forms.

	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY 2026
<b>Net All Funds</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$(2,000)</b>	<b>\$0</b>

### Local Government

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

Enactment of this legislation will remove the conditionality of regular primary elections and now require regular primary elections resulting in a potential statewide cost to counties of \$3,500,000 to \$3,900,000 each even year for facilitating statewide regular primary elections.

### 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

JR1-4-601

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.