



# 128th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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## RESOLUTION, Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Maine To Increase the Lengths of Terms and Decrease the Number of Terms of Members of the Legislature

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment " "

Committee: State and Local Government

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

### Fiscal Note

Current biennium cost increase - General Fund  
Potential future biennium savings - General Fund  
Potential future biennium savings - Other Special Revenue Funds

#### Referendum Costs

Month/Year	Election Type	Question	Length
Nov-17	General	Referendum	Standard

The Secretary of State's budget includes sufficient funds to accommodate one ballot of average length for the general election in November. If the number or size of the referendum questions requires production and delivery of a second ballot, an additional appropriation of \$107,250 may be required.

#### Fiscal Detail and Notes

The Legislature, the Department of Secretary of State and the Maine Commission on Governmental Ethics and Election Practices would likely realize future biennium savings if the frequency of Legislative elections is reduced. The amount and timing of these savings cannot be determined at this time.