



# 129th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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LR 459(01)

## An Act To Allow Voters To Choose Ongoing Absentee Voter Status

### Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement for Original Bill

Sponsor: Rep. Fecteau of Biddeford

Committee: Veterans and Legal Affairs

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

### Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement

|                                   | FY 2019-20 | FY 2020-21 | Projections<br>FY 2021-22 | Projections<br>FY 2022-23 |
|-----------------------------------|------------|------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| <b>Net Cost (Savings)</b>         |            |            |                           |                           |
| General Fund                      | \$57,688   | \$58,192   | \$58,192                  | \$58,192                  |
| <b>Appropriations/Allocations</b> |            |            |                           |                           |
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#### Fiscal Detail and Notes

This bill provides for ongoing absentee voter status in a municipality that has approved this status. The Department of Secretary of State would require General Fund appropriations of \$57,688 in fiscal year 2019-20 and \$58,192 in fiscal year 2020-21 for one part-time Elections Coordinator position and related costs to administer the ongoing absentee voter status program.