

HJR

43

HOUSE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

NEXT COMMITTEE: JUDICIARY

BILL: HJR 43

CURRENT VERSION:

SCHEDULED: APRIL 29, 1988

SPONSOR: MARTIN

PHONE NO: 3782

CONTACT FILE: _____

BILL SUBJECT: AMENDING ALASKA CONSTITUTION AUTHORIZING USE OF INITIATIVE TO AMEND CONSTITUTION

SPONSOR BACKUP: IN FILES

AFFECTED AGENCIES:

<u>DEPARTMENT</u>	<u>CONTACT/PHONE</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>
ELECTIONS	LINDA EDGEWORTH/4611	

FISCAL NOTES

<u>AGENCY</u>	<u>REQUESTED</u>	<u>DATED</u>	<u>FY 88 AMT</u>	<u>FY 89 AMT</u>
ELECTIONS		2/1/88	-0-	\$2,200

ACTION

<u>DATE</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>
4/29/88	PASSED FROM HOUSE STATE AFFAIRS

STATE OF ALASKA
THE LEGISLATURE

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May, 1988

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Mary Van Nimwegen

House State Affs:

4/29/88

HOUSE COMMITTEE REPORT

(7)

Date referred: 1/15/88

FURTHER REFERRALS:

Judiciary

DATE: 4-29-88

The State Affairs Committee has considered HJR 43

Proposing amendments to the Constitution of the State of Alaska authorizing the use of the initiative to amend the Constitution of the State of Alaska.

RECOMMENDS:

- replace with _____ the same title
- attached amendment(s) a new title
- do pass
- do not pass
- no recommendation
- individual recommendations
- additional referral to the _____ Committee

ADOPTS: _____ letter of intent

ATTACHES NEW FISCAL NOTE(S):

- fiscal impact same as previous fiscal note published _____
- zero fiscal note same as previous zero fiscal note published _____
- zero with analysis

SIGNING DO PASS:

Terry Martin

SIGNING OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

W.A. Bouchard (no rec)
John Palmer (no rec)

John Palmer

 Chairman's signature

SPONSOR STATEMENT
HJR 43 - AMENDING THE STATE CONSTITUTION

This resolution would place amendments to the Constitution of the State of Alaska before the voters. These amendments would allow the Constitution of the State of Alaska to be amended by the "initiative" process.

Currently amendments to the constitution can only be proposed by a two-thirds vote of the legislature or by a constitutional convention. In any case, a majority vote of the states citizens is required to adopt an amendment to the states constitution. Amendment by "initiative" would allow the people to propose amendments to the constitution.

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STATE OF ALASKA
1988 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

BILL VERSION: HJR 43
PUBLISH DATE: 1/15/88

FISCAL NOTE

REQUEST:

Revision Date: 1/25/88
Title: Constitutional amendments authorizing the use of the initiative to amend
Sponsor: MARTIN / the Constitution.
Requestor: House State Affairs

Agency Affected: Office of the Governor
BRU: Division of Elections
Components: II - Primary & General Elections

EXPENDITURES/REVENUES: (Thousands of Dollars)

OPERATING	FY 88	FY 89	FY 90	FY 91	FY 92	FY 93
PERSONAL SERVICES						
TRAVEL						
CONTRACTUAL	0	2.2*	0	0	0	0
SUPPLIES						
EQUIPMENT						
LAND & STRUCTURES						
GRANTS, CLAIMS						
MISCELLANEOUS						
TOTAL OPERATING	0	2.2*	0	0	0	0

CAPITAL						
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REVENUE						
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FUNDING: (Thousands of Dollars)

GENERAL FUND	0	2.2*	0	0	0	0
FEDERAL FUNDS						
OTHER						
TOTAL						

POSITIONS:

FULL-TIME						
PART-TIME						
TEMPORARY						

ANALYSIS : (Attach a separate page if necessary)

* Costs included cover 2 to 3 additional pages in each Official Election Pamphlet, for printing and typesetting, and costs estimated to cover computer programming requirements for vote (cont.)

Prepared by: Linda Edgeworth
Division: Elections

Phone: 465-4611
Date: 1/22/88

Approved by Commissioner: [Signature]
Agency: Office of the Governor, Division of Elections

Date: 2/1/88

Distribution (by preparer): 2/1/88

Legislative Finance
Legislative Sponsor
Requestor
Office of Management and Budget
Impacted Agencies

CONTINUATION of FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

For Bill/Resolution No. HJR 43

counting purposes. However, these costs are based on the assumption that all candidates and issues will fit on three ballot cards, which is the norm. It should be noted, however that should the inclusion of this issue require a 4th ballot to be printed, the cost increase would have to be calculated at 16 cents per ballot x approximately 320,000 voters. The total cost of printing the additional ballot card would be \$51.2.

Under these circumstances the fiscal note would be:

53.4