

**JBC STAFF FISCAL ANALYSIS
SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE**

CONCERNING VERSIONS OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION.

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Appropriation Items of Note

Appropriation Not Required, No Amendment in Packet

Fiscal Impact of Bill as Amended to Date

The most recent Legislative Council Staff Revised Fiscal Note (attached) reflects the fiscal impact of the bill as of 02/28/22.

	No Change: Attached LCS Fiscal Note accurately reflects the fiscal impact of the bill
XXX	Update: Fiscal impact has changed due to <i>new information or technical issues</i>
	Update: Fiscal impact has changed due to <i>amendment adopted</i> after LCS Fiscal Note was prepared
	Non-Concurrence: JBC Staff and Legislative Council Staff disagree about the fiscal impact of the bill

The Revised Fiscal Note identifies General Fund as necessary for the implementation of the bill. However, provisions in Section 2 of the bill, as amended by the State, Veterans, and Military Affairs Committee Report (02/15/22), explicitly restricts the appropriation of General Fund or cash funds for the implementation of this bill. The bill allows for the State Archivist to solicit, accept, and expend gifts, grants, or donations for its implementation. Statutory requirements for the expenditure by state agencies of gifts, grants, or donations are described in Section 24-75-1301 et seq., C.R.S. Legislative Council Staff and JBC Staff agree that existing statute provides sufficient authority for the expenditure of gifts, grants, or donations.

Amendments in This Packet for Consideration by Appropriations Committee

Amendment	Description
None.	

Current Appropriations Clause in Bill

The bill neither requires nor contains an appropriation clause for FY 2022-23.

Points to Consider

Timing Issues

The bill requires that the State Archivist submit a proposal for the implementation of this bill to the State Capitol Building Advisory Committee and the Capital Development Committee by February 28, 2023. The bill contains a Petition Clause that allows for the possibility that the bill will not become effective until after the certification of the November 2022 election. In this scenario, the State Archivist would have only three months to seek gifts, grants, or donations to cover the costs to implement the bill.