



## Fiscal Summary

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**Measure:** Initiative 367 – MAIL BALLOT VOTER IDENTIFICATION

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### Fiscal Summary of Initiative 367

This fiscal summary, prepared by the nonpartisan Director of Research of the Legislative Council, contains a preliminary assessment of the measure's fiscal impact. A full fiscal impact statement for this initiative is or will be available at [leg.colorado.gov/bluebook](http://leg.colorado.gov/bluebook). This fiscal summary identifies the following impact.

#### State Expenditures

The measure will increase costs in the Department of State (DOS) to administer elections. Ballots must be redesigned to accommodate the changes in the voter self-affirmation. DOS will also need to educate voters on the changes to mail in voting, and to reimburse counties for a portion of election costs.

#### Local Government

County Clerks will see an increase in the amount of mail ballots that need to be remediated, and what information election judges examine on a ballot. This will require additional staffing hours from election judges. Costs will also increase for outreach and additional mailings to voters who have a ballot that needs to be cured. Requiring photo identification verification for in-person voting will likely increase staffing needs and costs for certain locations during peak voting hours. A portion of local costs are reimbursed by the state.

#### Economic Impacts

The measure has no impact on the state's economy.