

**132nd MAINE LEGISLATURE****LD 1569****LR 2189(01)**

Resolve, to Direct the Department of Economic and Community Development to Form a Stakeholder Group to Analyze and Improve Home Repair Funding Programs in the State

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement for Original Bill

Sponsor: Rep. Kessler of South Portland

Committee: Housing and Economic Development

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement

	FY 2025-26	FY 2026-27	Projections FY 2027-28	Projections FY 2028-29
Net Cost (Savings)				
General Fund	\$100,000	\$0	\$0	\$0
Appropriations/Allocations				
General Fund	\$100,000	\$0	\$0	\$0

Fiscal Detail and Notes

The Department of Economic and Community Development has indicated that it will require a one-time General Fund appropriation of \$100,000 in fiscal year 2025-26 to contract with a subject matter expert to oversee the work of the stakeholder group established to analyze efforts within the State to fund home repair programs and provide general funds for homeowners in need of home repairs.

Additional costs to the Maine State Housing Authority and the Department of Health and Human Services associated with serving on the stakeholder group can be absorbed within existing budgeted resources.