

Department of Planning and Budget

2022 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: SB60

House of Origin ☒ Introduced ☐ Substitute ☐ Engrossed
Second House ☐ In Committee ☐ Substitute ☐ Enrolled

2. Patron: Hackworth

3. Committee: General Laws and Technology

4. Title: Powers and duties of political subdivisions; emergency management assessment.

5. Summary: Current law requires all political subdivisions to report (i) an annually updated emergency management assessment and (ii) data related to emergency sheltering capabilities, including emergency shelter locations, evacuation zones, capacity by person, medical needs capacity, current wind rating, standards compliance, backup power, and lead agency for staffing, to the State Coordinator of Emergency Management by May 1 of each year. This bill changes the date of the required reports to August 1 of each year.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Preliminary. See Item 8 below.

8. Fiscal Implications: According to the Virginia Department of Emergency Management (VDEM), this bill is not expected to have a fiscal impact on agency operations. Any impact this bill may have on localities is not known at this time.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Virginia Department of Emergency Management, localities

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No

11. Other Comments: This bill is the same as HB810.