

Fiscal Estimate Narratives
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LRB Number 03-2408/1	Introduction Number AB-261	Estimate Type Original
Subject Independent charter schools; eligibility to attend and transportation		

Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

Under current law, the Milwaukee Area Technical College may establish and operate a charter school. Milwaukee Area Technical College is the only technical college authorized to operate a charter school. Milwaukee Area Technical College has not established a charter school nor does it operate a charter school.

AB 261 would allow pupils who reside outside the Milwaukee school district to attend independent charter schools located in the Milwaukee school district. The bill also explicitly authorizes a school board to transport pupils to and from a charter school.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications

Since Milwaukee Area Technical College does not operate a charter school, the provisions of AB 261 will have no short or long term fiscal effects on the Milwaukee Area Technical College District. Since no other technical college operates a charter school in the Milwaukee School District (or any other school district), AB 261 will have no short or long term fiscal effect on the Wisconsin Technical College System.