

Fiscal Estimate Narratives

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Description Authorizing cities and towns, and expanding the authority of villages, to create combined protective services departments		

Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

Assembly Bill (AB) 312 would authorize cities and towns to create combined protective services (fire and police) departments; or to deploy existing fire and police staff to do either fire protection or police work. AB 312 would also expand the current authority of villages to create protective services departments or cross deploy police and fire staff.

The local fiscal effect is uncertain because it is not known how many cities, towns, or villages would choose to establish a combined protective services department or expand the assignments of their existing staffs as an alternative to their current structure. If a local government did choose to establish a combined protective services department, the cost would depend on the level of services provided.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications

Unknown.