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FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

BILL NUMBER: Senate Bill 218

SHORT TITLE: Los Alamos Emergency Operations Center

SPONSOR: Gonzales

LAST UPDATE: _____ **ORIGINAL DATE:** 2/2/2026 **ANALYST:** Hernandez

APPROPRIATION* (dollars in thousands)

FY26	FY27	Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
\$5,000.0		Nonrecurring	General Fund

*Amounts reflect most recent analysis of this legislation.

Sources of Information

LFC Files

Agency or Agencies That Were Asked for Analysis but did not Respond
Department of Finance and Administration

SUMMARY

Synopsis of Senate Bill 218

Senate Bill 218 (SB218) appropriates \$5 million from the general fund to the Department of Finance and Administration for the purpose of constructing, equipping, and furnishing a regional emergency operations center in Los Alamos county.

This bill does not contain an effective date and, as a result, would go into effect 90 days after the Legislature adjourns, which is May 20, 2026.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

The appropriation of \$5 million contained in this bill is a nonrecurring expense to the general fund. Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining at the end of FY27 shall revert to the general fund.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES

SB218 aims to create a facility where emergency operations can be managed. Additionally, the building would serve as a training facility for fire fighters and police officers.

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