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# FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

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## **<u>APPROPRIATION</u>** (dollars in thousands)

Appropr	iation	Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
FY14	FY15		
	Undetermined		

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### SUMMARY

### Synopsis of Bill

House Memorial 96 requests the mid-region council of governments explore various options to develop additional water supplies to meet the future needs of the region, including consideration of hydrology, potential environmental impacts and the technology needed to deliver the water and ensure regional water delivery. The memorial also requests the state engineer, the Interstate Stream Commission and the Department of Environment assist in this investigation to meet water needs of the middle Rio Grande region and other communities along the Rio Grande corridor. The memorial requests the mid-region council of governments be requested to report its findings to the appropriate committees of the Legislature and to interested stakeholders by December 2014.

### FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

The fiscal impact for to study the options to develop additional water supplies to meet the future needs of the region is undetermined.

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