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FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

SPONSOR	Car	npos	ORIGINAL DATE LAST UPDATED	3/7/19	НВ		
SHORT TITI	L E	Ute Park Fire Floo	ding & Cleanup		SM	109	
				ANAL	YST	Edwards	

ESTIMATED ADDITIONAL OPERATING BUDGET IMPACT (dollars in thousands)

	FY19	FY20	FY21	3 Year Total Cost	Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
Total	NFI	NFI	NFI	NFI		

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

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SUMMARY

Synopsis of Memorial

Senate Memorial 109 requests the Army Corps of Engineers to study the potential for flooding and help Colfax County identify potential flood mitigation and possible funding in response to the Ute Park fire.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

There is no fiscal impact to state agencies as a result of this memorial. The state Department of Homeland Security and Emergency Management (DHSEM) is responding to the Ute Fire burn scar and is working in coordination with the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). Additionally, DHSEM is working with the State Engineer to install rain gauge sensors at the burn scar.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES

DHSEM explains "the Ute Park Fire Damage Assessment and Burned Area Emergency Rehabilitation Plan was completed August 2018 through funding provided by New Mexico Department of Homeland Security and Emergency Management. The Ute Park Fire Hydrologic Study was completed January 2019 by the United States Army Corp of Engineers."

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