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**AGENCY BILL ANALYSIS
2024 REGULAR SESSION**

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SECTION I: GENERAL INFORMATION

{Indicate if analysis is on an original bill, amendment, substitute or a correction of a previous bill}

Check all that apply:

Original Amendment _____
Correction _____ Substitute _____

Date 1/12/2024

Bill No: HB 52

Sponsor: A. Martinez
Short SANDOVAL COUNTY
Title: DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

Agency Name
and Code LGD/DFA—341
Number: _____
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SECTION II: FISCAL IMPACT

APPROPRIATION (dollars in thousands)

Appropriation		Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
FY24	FY25		
	100.0	N	General Fund

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

REVENUE (dollars in thousands)

Estimated Revenue			Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
FY24	FY25	FY26		

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

ESTIMATED ADDITIONAL OPERATING BUDGET IMPACT (dollars in thousands)

	FY24	FY25	FY26	3 Year Total Cost	Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
Total						

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

Duplicates/Conflicts with/Companion to/Relates to:
Duplicates/Relates to Appropriation in the General Appropriation Act

SECTION III: NARRATIVE

BILL SUMMARY

Synopsis: House Bill 52 (HB52) appropriates \$100,000 from the general fund to the local government division (LGD) of the department of finance and administration (DFA) for Sandoval County to provide domestic violence training to local law enforcement entities, probation and parole officers, court personnel and victim advocates.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

The appropriation contained in this bill is a non-recurring expense to the general fund. Any unexpended or unencumbered balance will revert to the general fund at the end of FY25.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES

HB52 has been introduced due to a recent tragedy involving a domestic violence situation that may have been averted if officers could receive advanced training for the handling of domestic violence and stalking cases. (<https://www.kob.com/new-mexico/lawmaker-to-introduce-bill-on-domestic-violence-training-for-law-enforcement/>)

In the 2023 session, Senate Bill 331 appropriated funds to CYFD to fund a domestic violence coordinated community response (CCR) project. The goal of CCR is to improve the response to and the prevention of domestic violence within New Mexico jurisdictions by developing a plan toward an integrated service delivery approach. The University of New Mexico currently provides this training for law enforcement (<https://ccrt.unm.edu/training/dvrc-training-for-law-enforcement.html>)

The New Mexico Coalition Against Domestic Violence (NMCADV) provides trainings at no to little costs for advocates against Domestic Violence (<https://www.nmcadv.org/upcomingtrainings>). These trainings are supported by funding from Children Youth and Families Department (CYFD).

PERFORMANCE IMPLICATIONS

ADMINISTRATIVE IMPLICATIONS

To distribute funding, LGD would need to enter into a grant agreement with Sandoval County to obligate funds and issue payment reimbursements for valid expenditures. The LGD would be

tasked with ensuring the legal requirements of the grant agreement are met and that the funding is monitored throughout the fiscal year.

HB52 does not specify how Sandoval County will conduct the domestic violence training for the various entities. The county will need to follow the procurement code requirements for request for proposals for professional services over \$60,000. It is unknown whether there will be additional administrative costs or burdens on the county to administer the RFP and subsequent contract for services.

CONFLICT, DUPLICATION, COMPANIONSHIP, RELATIONSHIP

TECHNICAL ISSUES

OTHER SUBSTANTIVE ISSUES

ALTERNATIVES

WHAT WILL BE THE CONSEQUENCES OF NOT ENACTING THIS BILL

AMENDMENTS