

**FINAL  
FISCAL NOTE**

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<b>Prime Sponsor(s):</b> Sen. Brophy Rep. Mitsch Bush	<b>Bill Status:</b> Signed into Law
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**TITLE:** CONCERNING THE CONTINUATION OF THE NOXIOUS WEED ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

<b>Fiscal Impact Summary</b>	<b>FY 2013-2014</b>	<b>FY 2014-2015</b>
<b>State Revenue</b>		
<b>State Expenditures</b>	See State Expenditures section.	
<b>FTE Position Change</b>		
<b>Effective Date:</b> The bill was signed into law by the Governor and took effect on May 28, 2013.		
<b>Appropriation Summary for FY 2013-2014:</b> None required.		
<b>Local Government Impact:</b> None.		

**Summary of Legislation**

This bill continues the Noxious Weed Advisory Committee (committee) until September 1, 2023, and adds 2 nonvoting members which increases the size of the committee to 17. One nonvoting member is appointed by the Department of Transportation and one by the Department of Natural Resources with approval of the Commissioner of Agriculture. Prior to repeal, the committee will undergo a sunset review.

**State Expenditures**

The Department of Agriculture spends approximately \$1,000 annually for administrative expenses, legal services, personal services, meals, and travel reimbursements for the committee from the Noxious Weed Management Fund. Because this is a sunset bill that continues the committee, these are considered new expenditures but are expected to be addressed with existing appropriations.

**Departments Contacted**

Agriculture      Counties      Natural Resources      Transportation