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Alternative Incarceration Program Amendments
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General, Income Tax, and Uniform School Funds

	Ongoing	One-time	Total
Net GF/ITF/USF (rev.-exp.)	$0	$0	$0

State Government

Revenues	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028
Total Revenues	$0	$0	$0

Enactment of this legislation likely will not materially impact state revenue.

Expenditures	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028
Total Expenditures	$0	$0	$0

Enactment of this legislation likely will not materially impact state expenditures.

	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028
Net All Funds	$0	$0	$0

Local Government

Inasmuch as a county sheriff implements an alternative incarceration program, the county would incur costs to implement the program. Costs would vary based on the size of the county and number of incarcerated individuals in county jails. Some of this increased cost could be reduced due to the reduced number of days a person would be incarcerated in a county jail. For every day reduced of an individual's incarceration, a county would save $83.

Individuals & Businesses

Enactment of this legislation likely will not result in direct expenditures from tax or fee changes for Utah residents and businesses.

Regulatory Impact

Enactment of this legislation likely will not change the regulatory burden for Utah residents or businesses.

Performance Evaluation

This bill creates a new program or significantly expands an existing program.

For a list of questions lawmakers might ask to improve accountability for the proposed program, please see: https://budget.utah.gov/newprogram

Notes on Notes

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