### FISCAL IMPACT OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION

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Measure: SB 32 - 3

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## **Measure Description:**

Directs Public Utility Commission to form work group to study methods by which public utility that furnishes natural gas may expand service to areas that do not have access to natural gas.

## **Government Unit(s) Affected:**

Public Utility Commission (PUC)

### **Local Government Mandate:**

This bill does not affect local governments' service levels or shared revenues sufficient to trigger Section 15, Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.

**Analysis:** This fiscal impact statement is for the purpose of transmitting the measure from the House Committee on Energy and Environment to the Joint Committee on Ways and Means. The bill establishes a work group to study the expansion of natural gas service to underserved communities.. The agency anticipates having a fiscal impact associated with this bill, the amount of this impact is still being determined. A more complete fiscal analysis on the bill will be prepared as the measure is considered in the Joint Committee on Ways and Means.

# Further Analysis Required

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