## **BILL SUMMARY**

1<sup>st</sup> Session of the 59<sup>th</sup> Legislature

Bill No.: HB1776
Version: Introduced
Request Number: 5465
Author: Rep. Hilbert
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Impact: \$1,200,000 over 4 years

## **Research Analysis**

HB 1776 creates the Oklahoma U.S.A. Semiquincentennial Commission whose responsibilities are to plan, sponsor, and promote events, programs, and activities to commemorate the United States Semiquincentennial. The Commission is to be comprised of 22 members, of which 15 members are appointed, and 7 are ex officio members. The Commission will be dissolved on June 30, 2027.

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## **Fiscal Analysis**

HB 1776 creates the Oklahoma U.S.A. Semiquincentennial Commission with 22 total members. These members would receive no compensation, but shall receive travel reimbursement. The State Travel Reimbursement Act provides that such expenses shall be the responsibility of the appointing authority or agency. Staffing costs will be the responsibility of the Oklahoma Historical Society. Per the Society, operating expenses to fully staff this Commission for its four-year existence are estimated to total \$1,200,000.

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## **Other Considerations**

None.

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