

Senate Fiscal Summary

2nd Session of the 60th Legislature



Senate Bill 1187

Version:	INT
Agency:	Higher Ed
Senate Author:	Jett
House Author:	
FY'27 Impact:	\$8,160,000
Full Year Impact:	\$8,160,000

Bill Summary and Fiscal Analysis:

SB 1187 requires each institution of higher education within the Oklahoma State System of Higher Education to establish on its main campus a square or plaza to be designated as the Charlie Kirk Memorial Plaza. It directs the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education to establish guidelines for minimum size and configuration of the square or plaza. It requires the governing board of each institution to submit to the Legislature by March 1, 2027, a detailed plan for the square or plaza, which the Legislature may approve or direct modifications. The bill also requires each square or plaza to include a statue of Charlie Kirk.

State Regents anticipate that meeting the requirements of SB 1187 will require placement of 34 statues at 25 public colleges and universities and 9 constituent colleges and universities. Each statue and its associated security is anticipated to cost \$230,000.00 for a total of \$7,820,000 in total one-time costs. Recurring costs for security, maintenance and repairs are estimated at \$10,000 per statue per year totaling \$340,000 annually. State Regents expect total first-year costs of \$8,160,000.

Fiscal Impact provided by Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education.