

BILL SUMMARY
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Bill No.:	SB 6
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Impact:	See Analysis Below

Research Analysis

The committee substitute to SB 6 requires the general elections for school boards and CareerTech boards to be conducted on the first Tuesday after the first Monday of November. Primary elections for school boards and CareerTech boards will be on the fourth Tuesday of August. Lastly, the measure requires school board candidates to file no earlier than 8:00 a.m. on the first Wednesday of April through 5:00 p.m. the next succeeding Friday. The measure will go into effect on November 1, 2026.

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Fiscal Analysis

The committee substitute to SB 6 does not materially alter the prior fiscal impact statement. The ultimate fiscal impact that the measure may have on the state depends on various factors such as the exact number of split precincts, and whether the State Election Board (SEB) makes and receives any of the following requests. SEB may require additional precinct officials which may cost up to \$230,000 per election. SEB may require additional absentee voting board members which may cost up to \$70,400 per election. SEB may also incur a one-time training and materials with a cost of up to \$265,000. It should be noted that this fiscal impact portrays a range of costs, and that the actual cost may be significantly lower than these maximum values.

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Other Considerations

None.