



ATTORNEY GENERAL OF MISSOURI
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April 25, 2019

OPINION LETTER NO. 76-2019

The Honorable Nicole Galloway
Missouri State Auditor
State Capitol, Room 121
Jefferson City, MO 65101

Dear Auditor Galloway:

This office received your letter of April 15, 2019, submitting a fiscal note and fiscal note summary prepared under § 116.175, RSMo, for an initiative petition submitted by Christopher Pieper (20-054). The fiscal note summary that you submitted is as follows:

Individual St. Louis County municipalities expect decreased revenues to exceed savings with a total unknown impact. The overall annual local fiscal impact is unknown but estimated to be between a cost of \$80 million to a savings of \$1 billion by 2032. State revenue could increase up to \$7 million annually by 2032.

Under § 116.175.4, RSMo, we approve the legal content and form of the fiscal note summary. Because our review of the fiscal note summary is mandated by statute, no action that we take with respect to such review should be construed as an endorsement of the initiative petition or as the expression of any view regarding the objectives of its proponents.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Eric S. Schmitt".

ERIC S. SCHMITT
Attorney General