

**Department of Planning and Budget  
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State Fiscal Impact Statement**

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**ORIGINAL**

**Bill Number:** SB533

**Patron:** Suetterlein

**Bill Title:** Elections; absentee voting in person; uniform availability.

**Bill Summary:** Requires absentee voting in person to be available between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday during early voting, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. on the first and second Saturday immediately preceding all elections, and between the hours of 1:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m. on the second Sunday immediately preceding all elections. Under current law, local electoral boards have some discretion to decide certain hours and days when absentee voting in person is available.

**Budget Amendment Necessary:** No

**Items Impacted:** N/A

**Explanation:** N/A

**Fiscal Summary:** There is no anticipated state fiscal impact as a result of the provisions of this bill.

**Fiscal Analysis:** As stand-alone legislation, the Department of Elections considers implementation of this bill as “routine,” and does not require additional funding.

**Other:** N/A