Multiple Agency Fiscal Note Summary

Bill Number: 2108 HB

Title: Smokey Bear license plates

Estimated Cash Receipts

Agency Name	2023-25			2025-27			2027-29			
	GF-State NGF-Outlook Total GF-State				NGF-Outlook	Total	GF-State	NGF-Outlook	Total	
Office of State Treasurer	Non-zero but indeterminate cost and/or savings. Please see discussion.									
Total \$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

Estimated Operating Expenditures

Agency Name		20	023-25		2025-27				2027-29				
	FTEs	GF-State	NGF-Outlook	Total	FTEs	GF-State	NGF-Outlook	Total	FTEs	GF-State	NGF-Outlook	Total	
Office of State Treasurer	.0	0	0	0	.0	0	0	0	.0	0	0	0	
Department of Licensing	Fiscal n	iscal note not available											
Department of Corrections	Fiscal n	ote not availab	le										
Department of Natural Resources	.0	0	0	0	.0	0	0	0	.0	0	0	0	
Total \$	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	

Estimated Capital Budget Expenditures

Agency Name	2023-25			2025-27			2027-29			
	FTEs	Bonds	Total	FTEs	Bonds	Total	FTEs	Bonds	Total	
Office of State Treasurer	.0	0	0	.0	0	0	.0	0	0	
Department of Licensing	Fiscal note not available									
Department of Corrections	Fiscal note not available									
Department of Natural Resources	.0	0	0	.0	0	0	.0	0	0	
Total \$	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	

Estimated Capital Budget Breakout

NONE

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Individual State Agency Fiscal Note

Bill Number:	2108 HB	Title:	Smokey Bear license plates	Agency: 090-Office of State Treasurer				
Part I: Esti	mates	-						
No Fisca	l Impact							
Estimated Casl	n Receipts to:							
	Non-zero	but ind	eterminate cost and/or savings. Please see discus	sion.				
Estimated Operating Expenditures from: NONE								
Estimated Capi	ital Budget Impact:							
NONE								

The cash receipts and expenditure estimates on this page represent the most likely fiscal impact.	Factors impacting the precision of these estimates,
and alternate ranges (if appropriate), are explained in Part II.	

Check applicable boxes and follow corresponding instructions:

If fiscal impact is greater than \$50,000 per fiscal year in the current biennium or in subsequent biennia, complete entire fiscal note form Parts I-V.

X If fiscal impact is less than \$50,000 per fiscal year in the current biennium or in subsequent biennia, complete this page only (Part I).

Capital budget impact, complete Part IV.

Requires new rule making, complete Part V.

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Part II: Narrative Explanation

II. A - Brief Description Of What The Measure Does That Has Fiscal Impact

Significant provisions of the bill and any related workload or policy assumptions that have revenue or expenditure impact on the responding agency by section number.

HB 2108 creates the smokey bear special license plate for the department of natural resources.

II. B - Cash receipts Impact

Cash receipts impact of the legislation on the responding agency with the cash receipts provisions identified by section number and when appropriate, the detail of the revenue sources. Description of the factual basis of the assumptions and the method by which the cash receipts impact is derived. Explanation of how workload assumptions translate into estimates. Distinguished between one time and ongoing functions.

The smokey bear special license plate receipts will be deposited into the wildfire response, forest restoration, and community resilience account.

Projected cash flows are currently unavailable, as a result, estimated earnings from investments are indeterminable.

There may be an impact on the debt service limitation calculation. Changes to the earnings credited to the general fund impacts, by an equal amount, general state revenues.

II. C - Expenditures

Agency expenditures necessary to implement this legislation (or savings resulting from this legislation), with the provisions of the legislation that result in the expenditures (or savings) identified by section number. Description of the factual basis of the assumptions and the method by which the expenditure impact is derived. Explanation of how workload assumptions translate into cost estimates. Distinguished between one time and ongoing functions.

Part III: Expenditure Detail

- **III. A Operating Budget Expenditures** NONE
- III. B Expenditures by Object Or Purpose NONE

III. C - Operating FTE Detail: *FTEs listed by classification and corresponding annual compensation. Totals agree with total FTEs in Part I and Part IIIA.* NONE

III. D - Expenditures By Program (optional)

NONE

Part IV: Capital Budget Impact

- IV. A Capital Budget Expenditures NONE
- IV. B Expenditures by Object Or Purpose

NONE

IV. C - Capital Budget Breakout

Acquisition and construction costs not reflected elsewhere on the fiscal note and description of potential financing methods. NONE

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NONE

Part V: New Rule Making Required

Provisions of the bill that require the agency to adopt new administrative rules or repeal/revise existing rules.

Individual State Agency Fiscal Note

Bill Number: 2108 HB Title: Smokey Bear license plates	Agency: 490-Department of Natural Resources
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Part I: Estimates

X No Fiscal Impact

Estimated Cash Receipts to:

NONE

Estimated Operating Expenditures from: NONE

Estimated Capital Budget Impact:

NONE

The cash receipts and expenditure estimates on this page represent the most likely fiscal impact. Factors impacting the precision of these estimates, and alternate ranges (if appropriate), are explained in Part II.

Check applicable boxes and follow corresponding instructions:

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Capital budget impact, complete Part IV.

Requires new rule making, complete Part V.

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Part II: Narrative Explanation

II. A - Brief Description Of What The Measure Does That Has Fiscal Impact

Significant provisions of the bill and any related workload or policy assumptions that have revenue or expenditure impact on the responding agency by section number.

Section 1: Creates the Department of Natural Resources' (DNR) Smokey Bear special license plates. Any Washington state auto owner applying for or renewing a license plate can pay for and obtain the smokey bear license plate. In addition to the standard fees and taxes that the car owner pays to the DOL for vehicle registration, there would be an additional \$40.00 as an initial fee to obtain the smokey bear license plate. Every renewal thereafter of the special plate would cost the consumer \$30.00.

Section 2: Amends RCW 46.18.200 to include the Smokey Bear special license plate – all other information in the statutory subsection is unchanged.

Section 3: Amends RCW 46.68.425 to include the Smokey Bear special license plate.

Section 5: The bill would take effect October 1, 2024.

II. B - Cash receipts Impact

Cash receipts impact of the legislation on the responding agency with the cash receipts provisions identified by section number and when appropriate, the detail of the revenue sources. Description of the factual basis of the assumptions and the method by which the cash receipts impact is derived. Explanation of how workload assumptions translate into estimates. Distinguished between one time and ongoing functions.

Revenue impacts are identified in the Fiscal Note submitted by the Department of Licensing (DOL). DOL has estimated this revenue to be less than \$100,000 per year. DNR's share of these funds will be deposited into Account 25P to offset the General Fund State revenue transfer that is done yearly by the Office of the State Treasurer.

II. C - Expenditures

Agency expenditures necessary to implement this legislation (or savings resulting from this legislation), with the provisions of the legislation that result in the expenditures (or savings) identified by section number. Description of the factual basis of the assumptions and the method by which the expenditure impact is derived. Explanation of how workload assumptions translate into cost estimates. Distinguished between one time and ongoing functions.

No additional expenditure authority is being requested to make use of the revenue. DNR plans to use these revenues to fund supplies and services associated with conducting wildfire prevention outreach activities in support of RCW 76.04.511 (House Bill 1168 passed in 2021 session).

Examples of supplies being purchased would be Smokey Bear promotional items for prevention booths, like pins, stickers, activity books, bandanas, pens, pencils, etc. that share prevention messages like "Only You Can Prevent Wildfires." Services include publishing and printing of various DNR flyers and the like to share during community meetings and events where messages of prevention and preparedness are shared. Topics of these events vary and may include information related to how to properly apply for a burn permit, how to sign up for landowner assistance using the Wildfire Ready Neighbors platform, and how to understand fire danger and burning restrictions, etc..

Part III: Expenditure Detail

III. A - Operating Budget Expenditures NONE

III. B - Expenditures by Object Or Purpose

NONE

III. C - Operating FTE Detail: *FTEs listed by classification and corresponding annual compensation. Totals agree with total FTEs in Part I and Part IIIA.* NONE

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III. D - Expenditures By Program (optional)

NONE

Part IV: Capital Budget Impact

IV. A - Capital Budget Expenditures NONE

IV. B - Expenditures by Object Or Purpose

NONE

IV. C - Capital Budget Breakout

Acquisition and construction costs not reflected elsewhere on the fiscal note and description of potential financing methods. NONE

IV. D - Capital FTE Detail: FTEs listed by classification and corresponding annual compensation. Totals agree with total FTEs in Part IVB.

NONE

Part V: New Rule Making Required

Provisions of the bill that require the agency to adopt new administrative rules or repeal/revise existing rules.



Multiple Agency Ten-Year Analysis Summary

Bill Number	Title
2108 HB	Smokey Bear license plates

This ten-year analysis is limited to the estimated cash receipts associated with the proposed tax or fee increases.

Estimated Cash Receipts

Office of State Treasurer	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Department of Natural Resources	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0



Ten-Year Analysis

Bill Number	Title	Agency
2108 HB	Smokey Bear license plates	090 Office of State Treasurer

This ten-year analysis is limited to agency estimated cash receipts associated with the proposed tax or fee increases. The Office of Financial Management ten-year projection can be found at http://www.ofm.wa.gov/tax/default.asp .

Estimates

X No Cash Receipts		F	Partially Indeterminate Cash Receipts					Indeterminate Cash Receipts					
Name of Tax or Fee	Acct Code												

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Ten-Year Analysis

Bill Number	Title	Agency
2108 HB	Smokey Bear license plates	490 Department of Natural Resources

This ten-year analysis is limited to agency estimated cash receipts associated with the proposed tax or fee increases. The Office of Financial Management ten-year projection can be found at http://www.ofm.wa.gov/tax/default.asp .

Estimates

X No Cash Receipts		F	Partially Indeterminate Cash Receipts					Indeterminate Cash Receipts					
Name of Tax or Fee	Acct Code												

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