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FISCAL NOTE

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LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ANALYST ESTIMATE

| ESTIMATE OF FISCAL IMPACT – STATE AGENCIES * | | | | |
|--|--------------|---------|--------------|---------|
| | FY 2012-13 | | FY 2013-14 | |
| | EXPENDITURES | REVENUE | EXPENDITURES | REVENUE |
| GENERAL FUNDS | | | | |
| CASH FUNDS | | | | |
| FEDERAL FUNDS | | | | |
| OTHER FUNDS | | | | |
| TOTAL FUNDS | | | | |

^{*}Does not include any impact on political subdivisions. See narrative for political subdivision estimates.

LB 472 would establish the Black-Tailed Prairie Dog Management Act. Counties would be allowed to adopt by resolution and assume authority to carry out a coordinated program for the management of black-tailed prairie dogs. If the assistance of the Department of Agriculture or the Game and Parks Commission was requested by a county, there could be some travel and employee-related costs for the agency to provide technical assistance. It is estimated that such costs could be absorbed by the existing agency budgets.

Any county adopting a black-tailed prairie dog management plan would incur expenses to carry out the purposes of the act. Additional expenses to a participating county would depend upon the availability of staff to assist in the implementation of the program and the extent of operating and travel-related costs that might be included in carrying out inspections and enforcement activities.