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**LB 595** 

Revision: 00

## **FISCAL NOTE**

**LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ANALYST ESTIMATE** 

ESTIMATE OF FISCAL IMPACT – STATE AGENCIES (See narrative for political subdivision estimates)					
	FY 2025-26		FY 2026-27		
	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE	
GENERAL FUNDS					
CASH FUNDS					
FEDERAL FUNDS					
OTHER FUNDS					
TOTAL FUNDS					

Any Fiscal Notes received from state agencies and political subdivisions are attached following the Legislative Fiscal Analyst Estimate.

LB 595 proposes to create the Research Excellence Cash Fund, to be managed by the University of Nebraska (Board of Regents). The fund is to consist of money from gifts, grants, or bequests designated for the fund and transfers authorized by the Legislature. The fund would be used to support research-based investments in data, data collection, and ongoing research critical to the Nebraska economy, including, but not limited to, the Nebraska Mesonet system. The Nebraska Mesonet is a statewide network of automated weather monitoring stations that measures variables such as air temperature, humidity, precipitation, wind speed, and the like. The bill, as written, does not propose transfers into the fund, or appropriations from the fund, so there is no fiscal impact.

# **2025** FISCAL NOTE

### LB (1) 0595 Create the Research Excellence Cash Fund

State Agency OR	R Political Subdivision Name: (2)	University of Nebrasi	ka System		
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FY 202	5 - 26	FY 202	26 - 27
<b>EXPENDITURES</b>	<u>REVENUE</u>	<b>EXPENDITURES</b>	<u>REVENUE</u>
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

 FEDERAL FUNDS
 0.00
 0.00
 0.00
 0.00

 OTHER FUNDS
 0.00
 0.00
 0.00
 0.00

TOTAL FUNDS 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00

#### **Explanation of Estimate:**

**GENERAL FUNDS** 

**CASH FUNDS** 

No fiscal impact.

LB 595, if passed, would allow investments toward data and data collection research at the University of Nebraska.

### BREAKDOWN BY MAJOR OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURE

POSITION TITLE	NUMBER OF <u>25 - 26</u>	F POSITIONS <u>26 - 27</u>	2025 - 26 EXPENDITURES	2026 - 27 EXPENDITURES
	0	0		
<u>_</u>	0	0		
Benefits				
Operating				
Travel				
Capital outlay				
Aid				
Capital improvements				
TOTAL				