

**LEGISLATIVE SERVICES AGENCY**  
**OFFICE OF FISCAL AND MANAGEMENT ANALYSIS**  
**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

**LS 6950**

**BILL NUMBER:** HB 1428

**NOTE PREPARED:** Jan 1, 2026

**BILL AMENDED:**

**SUBJECT:** Swimming Pools in Senior Neighborhoods.

**FIRST AUTHOR:** Rep. Smith H

**BILL STATUS:** As Introduced

**FIRST SPONSOR:**

**FUNDS AFFECTED:**  **GENERAL**  
 **DEDICATED**  
 **FEDERAL**

**IMPACT:** State

**Summary of Legislation:** This bill allows a senior neighborhood to not have a lifeguard on duty if certain conditions are met except for during visiting hours when minors are allowed to use the pool. This bill requires the senior neighborhood to post signs at each pool entrance and inform the senior neighborhood's residents of the rules for the pool.

This bill allows the Indiana Department of Health (IDOH) to assess a fine for each violation. This bill also requires the IDOH to amend the Indiana Administrative Code rule concerning regulating of pools and inform local health departments concerning the changes.

**Effective Date:** Upon passage.

**Explanation of State Expenditures:** IDOH will experience an increase in workload to adopt rules that conform to provisions in the bill and to inform local health departments of the changes. IDOH should be able to implement these provisions using existing staffing and resources. *[The IDOH's administrative expenditures are currently paid from the Tobacco Master Settlement Fund, a dedicated fund.]*

**Explanation of State Revenues:** The bill allows the IDOH to assess a senior neighborhood a fine of \$1,000 per violation. Revenue from fines is expected to be small and will be deposited into the state General Fund.

**Explanation of Local Expenditures:**

**Explanation of Local Revenues:**

**State Agencies Affected:** Indiana Department of Health.

**Local Agencies Affected:**

**Information Sources:**

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