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Bill Number:	H. 4247	Introduced on April 22, 2021
Author:	Chumley	
Subject:	African American Confederate Veterans Monument	
Requestor:	House Medical, Military, Public, and Municipal Affairs	
RFA Analyst(s):	Coomer, Gallagher, and Williams	
Impact Date:	April 30, 2021	

Fiscal Impact Summary

This bill will have no fiscal impact on the Department of Administration (DOA) as the duties of this bill can be accomplished using existing resources.

This bill will have no fiscal impact on the House of Representatives or the Senate as the duties of the bill can be accomplished using existing appropriations and staff.

The fiscal impact of this bill on the Confederate Relic Room and Military Museum is pending contingent upon a response from the agency.

Explanation of Fiscal Impact

Introduced on April 22, 2021

State Expenditure

This bill provides for the establishment of an African American Confederate Veterans Monument on the State House grounds. The bill further provides for the creation of the African American Confederate Veterans Monument Commission (commission) to determine the design and location of the monument. The commission is empowered to raise private funds to carry out its purpose and is able to create a tax-exempt nonprofit corporation for the purpose of receiving and disbursing funds for the monument. The commission is composed of five members from the House of Representatives, five members from the Senate, and the Chairman of the Confederate Relic Room and Military Museum or their designee, who serves as chairman of the commission. The commission must report the proposed design and location of the monument to the State House Committee for approval by July 1, 2022. Unless the duties of this bill are completed beforehand, the commission will be dissolved on January 1, 2026.

Department of Administration. This bill requires the staff of DOA to assist with the preparation and maintenance of financial records as they relate to the funding for the monument. DOA indicates that the duties of this bill can be accomplished using existing resources.

House of Representatives and Senate. This bill would require five members of the House of Representatives, as appointed by the Speaker of the House, to serve on the commission. The House of Representatives has indicated they anticipate being able to accomplish the duties

specified in this bill using existing appropriations and staff. It would also require five members of the Senate, as appointed by the President of the Senate, to serve on the commission. The Senate has also indicated they anticipate being able to accomplish the duties specified in this bill using existing appropriations and staff.

Confederate Relic Room and Military Museum. This bill requires the Chairman of the Confederate Relic Room and Military Museum, or their designee, to serve as chairman of the commission. Further, the commission is directed to consult with the Confederate Relic Room and Military Museum to determine and confirm the names of African American Confederate veterans to be placed on the African American Confederate Veterans Monument.

The expenditure impact of this bill is pending contingent upon a response from the Confederate Relic Room and Military Museum.

State Revenue

N/A

Local Expenditure

N/A

Local Revenue

N/A



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