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FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

SPONSOR	Martinez	ORIGINAL DATE LAST UPDATED	2-4-2008 HB	
SHORT TITI	E Puertecito de Po	joaque Battle Historic Ma	rker SJM	36
			ANALYST	Dearing

ESTIMATED ADDITIONAL OPERATING BUDGET IMPACT (dollars in thousands)

	FY08	FY09	FY10	3 Year Total Cost	Recurring or Non-Rec	Fund Affected
Total		\$5.0	\$0.0	\$5.0	Non Recurring	General Fund

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

SOURCES OF INFORMATION LFC Files

<u>Responses Received From</u> Cultural Affairs Department (DCA) **SUMMARY**

Synopsis of Joint Memorial

Senate Joint Memorial 36 contains no appropriation. Enactment of the legislation would place an historic roadside marker on U.S. 84/285 between Pojoaque and Espanola to commemorate the battle of Puertecito de Pojoaque; an historic Rio Arriba rebellion attempt against Mexican government and local militia troops in 1838.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

The cost of fabricating and installing a marker is estimated at \$5,000. Because the memorial contains no funding, it is expected that the historic marker fabrication and installation costs would be funded under NMDOT District 5's annual sign maintenance budget. Funding for this proposed new marker would compete with existing official Historic Markers that require replacement and/or maintenance.

ADMINISTRATIVE IMPLICATIONS

The draft marker text specified in this joint memorial would be reviewed by the Historic Preservation Division staff and the Cultural Properties Review Committee for historical accuracy and conformance to marker legend standard.

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