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MEMORANDUM

TO: The Honorable Phil Mendelson
Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia

FROM: Jeffrey S. DeWitt
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DATE: September 21, 2018

SUBJECT: Fiscal Impact Statement – Advisory Neighborhood Commission
Candidate Proof of Residence Amendment Act of 2018

REFERENCE: Bill 22-348, Draft Committee Print sent to the Office of Revenue
Analysis on September 19, 2018

Conclusion

Funds are sufficient in the fiscal year 2019 through fiscal year 2022 budget and financial plan to implement the bill.

Background

The bill requires¹ candidates for Advisory Neighborhood Commission positions to file with the Board of Elections one item from a list of fourteen to prove their residency. The items include documentation such as a driver's license, utility bill, mortgage, lease, official mail from a District or federal agency, among other things. The item the candidate files with the Board of Elections must include the candidate's name and residential address, and their address must be within the single-member district they seek to represent.

Financial Plan Impact

Funds are sufficient in the fiscal year 2019 through fiscal year 2022 budget and financial plan to implement the bill. The Board of Elections may have to print additional forms to document the proof of residency, but it can do so without additional resources.

¹ By amending Section 6(a) of the Advisory Neighborhood Councils Act of 1975, effective October 10, 1975 (D.C. Law 1-21; D.C. Official Code § 1-309.05(a))