



North Carolina Code Officials Qualification Board
Education and Research Committee

Agenda

October 24, 2023, 11:00 AM – 12:00 PM

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1. Introduction - The Education and Research Committee shall be responsible for (a) developing and approving pre-service and in-service educational programs for code officials and (b) conducting and encouraging research in code enforcement, administration, and education.

A. Roll Call / Conflict of Interest Reminder

- Committee Chair, Danny Couch
- Committee Member, Andy Matthews
- Committee Member, Jeff Griffin
- Committee Member, Stephen Terry
- Committee Member, Montrena Hadley
- Committee Member, Kenny Weatherington
- Committee Member, Joshua Robbins

2. Discussion Items

- A. 2024 Board Course Update Planning Sessions
- B. Board rules
- C. NCDOI Apprenticeship program NCORR/S463 & H850 (Attachment A)

3. Adjournment

H850 Legislative Fiscal Note

Volunteer Apprenticeship Program

Section 5 amends G.S. 143-151.13 to authorize DOI to establish a volunteer apprenticeship program to train and issue certificates for code enforcement officials and authorizes a fee for the program. DOI currently provides this pilot training program under a cooperative agreement with the Department of Public Safety, North Carolina Office of Recovery and Resiliency (NCORR). The pilot is funded by a federal grant that will expire June 30, 2025. Using these existing resources, DOI can absorb the initial cost to implement the apprenticeship program through FY 2024-25 but will require additional resources to continue the program in the out years. The fee authorized in the bill may help offset future costs, however no information is available to determine the number of individuals that might participate and the corresponding receipts that might be collected. Because the bill does not mandate the apprenticeship program, no additional costs are attributed the State. Table 3 reflects the projected cost for continuation of the program but is not included in the fiscal note summary table.

Table 3

Volunteer Apprenticeship Pilot	FY 2023-24	FY 2024-25	FY 2025-26	FY 2026-27	FY 2027-28
Total Requirements	-	-	\$1,114,296	\$1,112,302	\$ 1,142,468
Total FTEs	-	-	5.00	5.00	5.00



NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY

2023 Session

Legislative Fiscal Note

Short Title: Licensing Board/Contractors & Inspectors.
Bill Number: House Bill 850 (First Edition)
Sponsor(s): Rep. Brody

SUMMARY TABLE

FISCAL IMPACT OF HB 850, V.1 (\$ in thousands)					
	FY 2023-24	FY 2024-25	FY 2025-26	FY 2026-27	FY 2027-28
State Impact					
General Fund Revenue	31,735	32,052	32,373	32,697	33,024
Less Expenditures	267,281	271,839	386,565	391,436	395,920
General Fund Impact	(235,546)	(239,787)	(354,192)	(358,740)	(362,896)
NET STATE IMPACT	(\$235,546)	(\$239,787)	(\$354,192)	(\$358,740)	(\$362,896)
Local Impact					
Local Revenue	-	-	-	-	-
Less Local Expenditures	-	-	-	-	-
NET LOCAL IMPACT	No Fiscal Estimate Available				
STATE POSITIONS	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00