

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

Agency: Nebraska Department of Water, Energy, and Environment
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Title: 119 (Revised)
Chapter: 7
Name: Rules and Regulations Pertaining to Extended Producer Responsibility

State Status: GPRO Pre-approval Draft

Type of Fiscal Impact:

	State Agency	Political subdivision	Regulated Public
No Fiscal Impact			
Increase Costs	X	X	X
Decrease Costs			
Increased Revenue	X		
Decreased Revenue			
Indeterminable			

Description of Impact:

State Agency: The proposed new Title 119 regulations allows the Department of Water, Energy, and Environment (DWEE) to collect fees to carry out the NPDES and pretreatment program resulting in increased revenue to the Water Quality and Quantity Cash Fund, administered by DWEE. The increased revenue is anticipated to be approximately \$700,000 per year. This estimate is based on existing permitted facilities at rates set in the draft Chapter 7 of Title 119.

There will be an increased cost in the form of fees to other state agencies, such as construction stormwater for the Department of Transportation (NDOT). The University of Nebraska, Lincoln and Omaha, are currently permitted as non-traditional municipal storm sewer systems.

Political Subdivision: There will be an increased cost in the form of fees to political subdivisions such as municipalities, counties (MS4s), and SIDs.

Regulated Public: If promulgated, there will be an increased cost to the NPDES and pretreatment permitted entities, who will be responsible for paying the following fees to DWEE as specified in proposed Title 119, Chapter 7: an application fee and annual administrative fee.