

March 16, 2021

PUBLIC FINANCE

Cromwell Wright Fire and Ambulance Special Taxing District established

	Yes	No
DOR Administrative Cost/Savings		X

Department of Revenue

Analysis of H.F. 2096 (Sundin) / S.F. 2008 (Rarick) as introduced

		Fund Impact			
	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024	FY2025	
		(000's)			
General Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	

Effective the day following final enactment.

EXPLANATION OF THE BILL

The bill would allow the Cities of Cromwell and Wright to create the Cromwell Wright Fire and Ambulance Special Taxing District. The district would have levy authority and would be allowed to incur debt.

REVENUE ANALYSIS DETAIL

- The proposal is assumed to not impact the state general fund. It is assumed the property tax levies used to fund current fire protection and emergency medial services in Cromwell and Wright would be shifted from the current general levies of political subdivisions in Cromwell and Wright.
- It is possible the change in levy authority would lead to lower or higher levies for property tax payers.

Source: Minnesota Department of Revenue Property Tax Division - Research Unit https://www.revenue.state.mn.us/revenueanalyses

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PROPERTY TAX BENCHMARKS (Minn. Stat. § 270C.991)

Transparency, Understandability, Simplicity & Accountability	Neutral
Efficiency & Compliance	Neutral
Equity (Vertical & Horizontal)	Neutral
Stability & Predictability	Neutral
Competitiveness for Businesses	Neutral
Responsiveness to Economic Conditions	Neutral

The bill is scored on a three point scale (decrease, neutral, increase) for each principle in comparison to <u>current law.</u>