

**ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY, MARYLAND  
OFFICE OF THE BUDGET**

**BILL NUMBER: 25-22**

**INTRO. DATE: February 22, 2022**

**FISCAL NOTE**

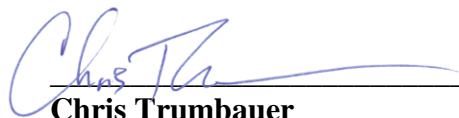
**BILL: AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING: GENERAL PROVISIONS –  
LANGUAGE ACCESS**

**SUMMARY OF LEGISLATION**

The purpose of this legislation is to require County agencies to provide equal access to public services, meetings, websites, and webpages for individuals with limited English proficiency.

**FISCAL IMPACT**

Some County agencies, particularly those with more regular interaction with limited English proficient populations, already offer various language access services. The FY22 Budget also includes an additional \$5,000 for each county agency expected to be impacted by these requirements to expand language access services. However, the full fiscal impact of this legislation is unknown because it is dependent on the number and specificity of future requests for services.

  
Chris Trumbauer

**Budget Officer**

2/17/2022  
**Date**

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