

FISCAL NOTE FOR NON-CAPITAL PROJECTS

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Legislation Title:

AN ORDINANCE relating to the City of Seattle’s use of surveillance equipment; requiring City departments to obtain City Council approval prior to acquiring certain surveillance equipment; requiring departments to propose protocols related to proper use and deployment of certain surveillance equipment for Council review, requiring departments to adopt written protocols that address data retention, storage and access of any data obtained through the use of certain surveillance equipment, and establishing a new Chapter 14.18 in the Seattle Municipal Code.

Summary of the Legislation:

This legislation requires City departments to obtain Council approval before acquiring surveillance equipment. It also requires departments to develop operational and data management protocols.

Background:

This legislation is intended to create a public process and decision-making structure for the City’s acquisition and use of surveillance equipment.

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_____ This legislation does not have any financial implications.

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