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RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE STATE
CONSTITUTION TO MAKE REFERENCES TO INDIVIDUALS
GENDER-NEUTRAL.

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OFA Fiscal Note

State Impact:

Agency Affected	Fund-Effect	FY 26 \$	FY 27 \$
Secretary of the State	GF - Cost	None	35,000

Note: GF=General Fund

Municipal Impact: None

Explanation

The resolution potentially places a proposed amendment on the ballot during the November 2026 election which will result in a one-time printing cost of \$35,000 in FY 27 to the Secretary of the State. The resolution must pass by three-quarters of the General Assembly for the cost to be in the FY 27 (2026 election). If the requisite votes are not met, the cost to the Secretary of the State will shift to FY 29.

The Out Years

The cost identified above is one-time; however, the FY 27 cost may be shifted to FY 29 pursuant to the requirements of the constitutional amendment process.