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HB4351 AS INTRODUCED

Sponsor Committee Rep. Cameron Brown REDISTRICTING AND

ELECTIONS

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State Fiscal Impact Local Fiscal Impact

CostNoneCostNoneRevenuesNoneRevenuesNone

House Bill 4351 would amend the Michigan Election Law to require additional instructions to voters on 1) the official primary election ballot, 2) on the two placards of instructions displayed in each polling place, 3) be included with paper ballots, 3) and in the materials that accompany ballots to be used with voting machines. The two additional instructions are that if the voter does not understand a ballot, the voter shall ask an election official for assistance, and that if the voter makes a mistake in voting the ballot, the voter shall return the spoiled ballot to an election official and obtain a new ballot.

This bill would have no fiscal impact on state or local government.