

Fiscal Impact Statement Prepared By New York City Mayor's Office of Management and Budget



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Proposed Intro No. / Title: *Int. 1408-A / Study and report on burial capacity on Hart Island*

Sponsors: Ayala

Committee: General Welfare

Summary of Legislation: This legislation requires the Department of Social Services (DSS), in collaboration with the Department of Parks and Recreation, to conduct a study regarding burial capacity on Hart Island. The study will assess current burial protocol on Hart Island, the capacity for future burials in the location, whether there should be changes made to burial procedures. The study shall also make recommendations, where applicable, for changes to burial procedure on Hart Island.

Effective Date: Immediately upon enactment

First Fiscal Year Legislation Takes Effect: Fiscal Year 2026

First Fiscal Year with Full Impact: Fiscal Year 2026

Agencies Impacted: Department of Social Services, Department of Parks and Recreation

Fiscal Impact Analysis

A. Total Impact (Expense and Revenue)

	Fiscal Year 1	Fiscal Year 2	Fiscal Year 3	Fiscal Year 4	Total
Expense	(\$750,000)	0	0	0	(\$750,000)
Revenue	0	0	0	0	0
Total	(\$750,000)	0	0	0	(\$750,000)

Date Prepared:

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B. Expense

	Fiscal Year 1	Fiscal Year 2	Fiscal Year 3	Fiscal Year 4	Total
Expenditures	(\$750,000)	0	0	0	(\$750,000)

Impact on Expenditures (Expense):

It is anticipated that DSS would require \$750,000 in one-time Other Than Personal Service (OTPS) resources to hire a consultant to conduct the required study, including a re-assessment of the 2022 study.

C. Revenue

	Fiscal Year 1	Fiscal Year 2	Fiscal Year 3	Fiscal Year 4	Total
Revenue	0	0	0	0	0

Impact on Revenue:

There is no anticipated impact on revenue.

D. Capital

	Fiscal Year 1	Fiscal Year 2	Fiscal Year 3	Fiscal Year 4	Total
Expenditures	0	0	0	0	0

Impact on Expenditures (Capital):

There is no anticipated impact on capital expenditures.