



www.lsc.ohio.gov

# OHIO LEGISLATIVE SERVICE COMMISSION

Office of Research  
and Drafting

Legislative Budget  
Office

**S.B. 268**  
**133<sup>rd</sup> General Assembly**

## **Fiscal Note & Local Impact Statement**

[Click here for S.B. 268's Bill Analysis](#)

**Version:** As Introduced

**Primary Sponsor:** Sen. Sykes

**Local Impact Statement Procedure Required:** No

Edward M. Millane, Senior Budget Analyst

The bill's repurposing of a capital appropriation item (C25087) in H.B. 529 of the 132<sup>nd</sup> General Assembly will provide the University of Akron (UAK) with \$100,000 for its Dr. Shirla R. McClain Gallery of Akron Black History and Culture. According to UAK, the on-campus gallery develops and displays exhibits and related programs that portray the history and culture of Akron's African-American community. Under current law, the \$100,000 appropriated from Higher Education Improvement Fund (Fund 7034) line item C25087 is appropriated to UAK but would be passed through to the AxessPointe Community Health Center as a community project. According to the state accounting system, the funding appropriated by H.B. 529 in line item C25087 remains unspent and unencumbered as of February 21, 2020.