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Critical Unfunded Mandate Alert

<u>House Bill 982</u> is in danger of dying. If this bill dies, counties and cities will be forced to begin paying for a mandated cancer policy for first responders during these times of financial uncertainty. Please contact your legislators and request that the mandated cancer policies be either funded or its implementation be delayed until 2022.

In addition, please have your legislators approach the conferees assigned to House Bill 982, and express the unfunded mandate concerns from your county.

Those conferees are as follows:

House Conferees: Rep. Kevin Ford; Rep. Gene Newman; Rep. Henry Zuber

Senate Conferees: Sen. Walter Michel; Sen. Dean Kirby; Sen. John Polk