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Research Analysis

The committee substitute for HB 1910 authorizes the Conservation Commission to establish the Urban Agriculture Cost-Share Program with the purpose of promoting sustainable urban agriculture, improving food security, and enhancing green spaces in Oklahoma's urban counties. Funding for the program will come from the Oklahoma Conservation Commission Infrastructure Revolving Fund. When sufficient funds are available, the Commission shall develop and disseminate the program guidelines to the conservation districts containing urban areas. The measure defines "eligible projects". "eligible applicants" and "urban counties".

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Fiscal Analysis

The committee substitute to HB 1910 creates the Oklahoma Urban Agriculture Cost-Share Program within the Oklahoma Conservation Commission. The Conservation Commission believes they have the staffing necessary to administer the program, so the agency anticipates no start up costs. The agency would utilize possible grant funds to cover the initial cost share, in addition to any one-time appropriated dollars allocated to the Oklahoma Conservation Commission Infrastructure Revolving Fund referenced within the measure. As written, this measure has no direct fiscal impact to state budgetary resources at this time.

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Other Considerations

None.