

# SENATE STAFF ANALYSIS AND ECONOMIC IMPACT STATEMENT

(This document is based on the provisions contained in the legislation as of the latest date listed below.)

BILL: SB 604

SPONSOR: Senator Clary

SUBJECT: Marine Resources Conservation Trust Fund

DATE: February 8, 2001 REVISED: \_\_\_\_\_

	ANALYST	STAFF DIRECTOR	REFERENCE	ACTION
1.	<u>Hendon</u>	<u>Martin</u>	<u>AGG</u>	<u>Favorable</u>
2.	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>	<u>AP</u>	<u>Withdrawn: Favorable</u>
3.	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>
4.	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>
5.	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>

## I. Summary:

This legislation re-creates the Marine Resources Conservation Trust Fund without modification, effective November 4, 2004. The Marine Resources Conservation Trust Fund, FLAIR #77-2-467, is administered by the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission. This fund was last re-created by Chapter 99-100.

## II. Present Situation:

The re-creation of the Marine Resources Conservation Trust Fund would provide receipt of funding for various marine-related activities, including marine education, information, law enforcement, research, and fisheries enhancement.

## III. Effect of Proposed Changes:

This bill re-creates the trust fund without modification.

## IV. Constitutional Issues:

### A. Municipality/County Mandates Restrictions:

None.

### B. Public Records/Open Meetings Issues:

None.

C. Trust Funds Restrictions:

None.

**V. Economic Impact and Fiscal Note:**

A. Tax/Fee Issues:

None.

B. Private Sector Impact:

None.

C. Government Sector Impact:

This legislation has no fiscal impact on state agencies or state funds, on local governments as a whole or on the private sector. It simply re-creates, without modification, an existing state trust fund and continues the current use of the fund.

**VI. Technical Deficiencies:**

None.

**VII. Related Issues:**

None.

**VIII. Amendments:**

None.

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