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STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

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Last year the Idaho Legislature passed House Bill 518a which required property tax statements to include expiration dates of bonds and levies for transparency. County treasurers were given the option to include this data as an insert with the mailed tax statement; or they could list a URL to the county website where the expiration data was available electronically. An incorrect reference was made in the amended bill. This legislation makes a few technical corrections to section 63-803 & 63-902 regarding bonds and levies but does not change the intent.

A new requirement stipulates that county treasurers are to maintain an electronic version of voter-approved bonds and levies on a county's website for the public. Taxing districts are also required to send voter-approved bond and levy expiration data to the county tax collector for the purpose of maintaining such electronic version.

FISCAL NOTE

This involves a treasurer posting a public document on a county's website, so no additional cost is expected. No cost to the general budget is anticipated.

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