STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

RS29808 / S1395

This is the FY 2023 original appropriation bill for the Idaho Millennium Fund. It appropriates a total of \$1,710,000. Grant funding is provided to Recovery Idaho for the operations of nine community recovery centers around the state. Funding is also provided to the Public Health Districts for educational materials and equipment needed to work directly with youth on cessation and prevention efforts. Finally, this appropriation provides funding to Idaho Public Television to produce smoking and vaping prevention and cessation content. These grant awards were recommended by the Joint Legislative Millennium Fund Committee.

The Joint Legislative Millennium Fund Committee made a recommendation to utilize \$22,533,000 from the Idaho Millennium Income Fund across multiple state agencies. The Millennium Income Fund also supports operations and programming at the Office of the Attorney General, Office of the State Treasurer, and the Department of Health and Welfare.

FISCAL NOTE

The bill includes \$900,000 for the State Treasurer to be provided to Recovery Idaho and Recovery Idaho shall distribute equally to each of the nine recovery community centers for operational support, \$500,000 for Public Health Districts for educational materials and equipment to be distributed equally, and \$310,000 for Idaho Public Television for the production of smoking and vaping prevention and cessation content. The total fiscal impact of this bill is \$1,710,000 from the Idaho Millennium Income Fund.

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